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GENERAL INFORMATION (Cont'd)

II.17. LEVELIZED PAYMENT PLANS FOR NON-RESIDENTIAL CUSTOMERS

The Company shall provide a written notice offering a voluntary levelized payment plan designated to reduce fluctuations in payments caused by seasonal patterns of consumption to its eligible non-residential customers at least once in each 12 month period. The Company shall offer a levelized payment plan to all non-residential customers except:

- A. customers who have less than 12 months of billing history at the premises;
- B. seasonal, short-term or temporary non-residential customers;
- C. customers who have arrears;
- D. interruptible, temperature-controlled, or dual-fuel customers;
- E. non-residential customers who, for any reason, ceased being billed on a previous levelized payment plan before the end of the plan year in the past 24 months; or
- F. non-residential customers whose pattern of consumption is not sufficiently predictable to be estimated on an annual basis with any reasonable degree of certainty.

A non-residential customer may request that the Company remove the non-residential customer from the levelized payment plan and reinstate regular billing at any time, in which case the Company may immediately render a final levelized settlement bill, and shall do so no later than by the time of the next cycle bill that is rendered more than 10 business days after the request.

The Company may only remove a non-residential customer from its levelized payment plan if the non-residential customer becomes ineligible under the criteria set forth in the tariff and provided that the Company has given the non-residential customer an opportunity to become current in payment, if delinquency is the cause of the non-residential customer's ineligibility, provided further that such opportunity need only be given in any 12 month period.

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