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GENERAL INFORMATION

11. WEATHER NORMALIZATION ADJUSTMENT (WNA)

A. Applicability:

- (1) The WNA shall be applicable to all space heating customers, except as otherwise set forth herein, taking service pursuant to Service Classification Nos. 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9 of this schedule or superseding issues thereof.
- (2) S.C. No. 3 and S.C. No. 7 customers whose use is greater than 35,000 therms annually shall be deemed space heating if more than 60% of their annual usage is experienced between November 1 and March 31. Prior to each WNA season, the Company shall calculate S.C. No. 3 and S.C. No. 7 applicability based on individual customer usage during the preceding 12-month period ending June 30. All affected S.C. No. 3 and S.C. No. 7 customers shall receive notice prior to the application of the WNA that they have exceeded the 60% threshold and are, therefore, subject to the WNA.
- (3) The WNA shall be applied to the total gas usage during the WNA season of October 1st through May 31st of each year. If only a portion of a customer's total gas usage for a particular billing period is applicable to the WNA season, then the WNA shall be adjusted to reflect the portion applicable to the WNA season.

B. Calculation of the WNA:

- (1) The WNA shall be calculated using the following formulas:

$$WAF = \frac{DDF * (NHDD - AHDD)}{(BP * BLT) + (DDF * AHDD)}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Therms}_{\text{Normal}} &= \text{Therms}_{\text{Actual}} + (\text{Therms}_{\text{Actual}} * WAF) \\ WNA_n &= (R_n * \text{Therms}_{\text{Normal}(n)}) - R_n * \text{Therms}_{\text{Actual}(n)} \end{aligned}$$

$$WNA_{\text{Total}} = \text{Sum}(WNA_n)$$

- (2) Where,
 - (a). "WAF" is the Weather Adjustment Factor.
 - (b). "HDD" or Heating Degree Days are the difference between 65 degrees Fahrenheit and the average of the minimum and maximum temperature as reported by the Rochester National Weather Service station for a particular day. The HDD are zero when the average temperature is greater than 65 degrees Fahrenheit. HDD is also used to refer to the cumulative HDD for any defined period greater than one day.
 - (c). "NHDD" or Normal Heating Degree Days, for any given calendar day, are based upon a 10-year average of the heating degree-days for that calendar day. The applicable 10-year period ends on December 31st of the year before the current WNA season. NHDD is also used to refer to the cumulative NHDD for any defined period greater than one day.

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