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PSC NO: 8 GAS

COMPANY: NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION

INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 8/1/05

ISSUED IN COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER IN CASE NO. 04-G-1047 DATED JULY 22, 2005

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STATEMENT OF DELIVERY ADJUSTMENT CHARGE (Issued Under Authority of 16 NYCRR Sec. 270.55)

Effective With Usage On and After August 1, 2005 Applicable to Billings Under Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8 and 9 NATIONAL FUEL GAS DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION P.S.C. No. 8 - GAS

¢ per Ccf APPLICABLE SERVICE TERRITORY All Territory

TAKE OR PAY RECOVERY

Amount applicable during the period July1, 2005 through June 30, 2006 for Take or Pay Reconciliation pursuant to General Information Leaf No. 144 of P.S.C. No. 8 - Gas.

(0.0030)

R & D FUNDING MECHANISM

Amount applicable during the period August 1, 2005 through December 31, 2005 for R & D Funding Mechanism pursuant to Commission Order in Case 04-G-1047.

0.0910

TRANSITION COST SURCHARGE

Intermediate Transition Cost Surcharge pursuant to General Information Leaf No. 148.2 applicable during the period August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005.

Upstream Transition Cost Surcharge pursuant to General Information Leaf No. 0.0000

148.1 applicable during the period August 1, 2005 through August 31, 2005.

RESERVE CAPACITY COST ADJUSTMENT

Amount applicable to changes in reserve capacity costs as calculated in the attached Reserve Capacity Cost Adjustment Statement.

0.0001

LOST REVENUE ASSOCIATED WITH MFC AND BILLING CHARGE

Amount applicable to loss revenue associated with the Merchant Function Charge and the Billing Charge. 0.0000

TOTAL DELIVERY COST ADJUSTMENT

Commencing with the gas used on and after August 1, 2005 and thereafter until changed, the delivery cost adjustment will be.

0.2341

July 29, 2005 Date:

> Issued by D.J. Seeley, President, 6363 Main Street, Williamsville, NY 14221 (Name of Officer, Title, Address)