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COMPANY: NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION STATEMENT NO: 3

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MONTHLY COST OF GAS STATEMENT

Applicable to Billing for Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, & 3

Average Cost of Gas Per Therm as defined in Rule 17.3 of the General Information Section of P.S.C. 218 Gas determined on December 23, 1999 using Supplier Rates Effective for the Month	SC1 <u>Per Therm</u>	SC2 Residential & Commercial <u>Per Therm</u>	SC2 Industrial <u>Per Therm</u>	SC3 <u>Per Therm</u>
of January 1, 2000:	\$0.380698	\$0.380698	\$0.394733	\$0.341143
Factor of Adjustment:	1.019100	1.019100	1.019100	1.019100
Resulting Monthly Cost Adjustment is:	\$0.38796	\$0.38796	\$0.40227	\$0.34765
Applicable to Period: Twelve Months Ending August 31, 1999 Refund Effective January 1, 2000 through December 31, 2000:	(\$0.00799)	(\$0.00799)	(\$0.00799)	(\$0.00799)
Commodity Cost Index Rate Based on period September 1998 - August 1999 Case 95-G-1095				
Surcharge effective January 1, 2000 - December 31, 2000:	\$0.00031	\$0.00031	\$0.00031	\$0.00031
TOTAL EFFECTIVE MONTHLY COST OF GAS:  Commencing with usage on or after the effective date of this statement and thereafter until changed.	\$0.38028	\$0.38028	\$0.39459	\$0.33997

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