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SECTION 2 - GENERAL REGULATIONS, (CONT'D.)

- 2.6 Payment For Service Rendered, (Cont'd.)
 - 2.6.6 Late Payment Charges
 - A. If any portion of the payment is received by the Company after the date due, or if any portion of the payment is received by the Company in funds which are not immediately available upon presentment, then a late payment charge shall be due from the Customer to the Company. The late payment charge shall be the portion of the payment not received by the date due, multiplied by a late factor. The late factor shall be the lesser of the following:
 - 1. a rate of 1.5 percent per month accrued on a daily basis, from the date such amount was due; or
 - 2. the highest interest rate which may be applied under state law for commercial transactions.
 - B. Late payment charges do not apply to government agencies of the State of New York. These agencies are required to make payment in accordance with the provisions of Article XI-A of the New York State Finance Law (Chapter 153 of the Laws of 1984).