PSC NO. 3 GAS Leaf: 188 St. Lawrence Gas Company, Inc. Revision: 2 Initial Effective Date: 7/1/2009 Superseding Revision: 1 Issued in Compliance with Commission Order in Case 09-M-0311, dated June 19, 2009.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

## 2. General Rules, Regulations, Terms and Conditions: (Cont'd)

- XII. Adjustment of Rates in Accordance With Changes in the Cost of Purchased Gas: (Cont'd)
  - N. Statement of Gas Cost Adjustment:

The GAC will be applied to total measured quantities included in bills for which meters are read on and after the effective date of the gas cost adjustment.

Where provisions are made in gas schedules for automatic adjustment of rates because of changes in the cost of gas, the company may file statements to their schedules in lieu of amendments. Such statements shall not be a part of the schedule and will not bear a leaf designation. Each statement shall be numbered consecutively. Every such statement shall be filed not less than three days prior to the date on which it is proposed to be effective, except that a new statement may be filed on one day's notice to become effective not more than five days after the effective date of the initial statement if the replacement of cost estimates in the initial statement with actual figures results in a change in the average cost of gas of more than five percent. Such statement will be available to the public at company offices at which application for service may be made.

Each statement shall contain:

- 1. an identification of the schedules and service classifications to which they apply;
- 2. the date when the increase or decrease in rates shall become effective and the period it will remain in effect;
- 3. the present average cost to the utility of gas purchased to serve customers subject to the gas adjustment;
- 4. the date at which, and the period for which, the average was determined,
- 5. the base cost of gas (stated separately, when more than one base is used in the schedule);
- 6. the amount per unit of consumption affected;
- 7. a summary of refunds or surcharges to be applied to the adjustment;
- 8. the net amount per unit of consumption affected; and
- 9. if applicable, the weather normalization adjustment factor for each billing cycle for the prior month.