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VI. Service Classification Riders (Available on Request) - Continued

RIDER H

Applicable to Service Classification Nos. 2 and 9
(Subject to the provisions thereof)

Distributed Generation Rate

(D) Determination of Contract Demand

The Contract Demand for the initiation of service under Rate II of this Rider, expressed in therms, shall be the highest one-hour gas usage (hereinafter referred to as "Peak Demand") expected during the first fifteen months of operation of the Customer's Distributed Generation Facility, as specified in the Customer's request for service under this Rider.

The Customer shall provide the Company with a reasonable estimate of its Contract Demand at the time of application for service hereunder. Such estimate shall be submitted on a form provided by the Company that is completed and signed by a Professional Engineer retained by the Customer. If the Customer fails to supply a Contract Demand for the initiation of service, the Company will establish the Customer's Contract Demand using the best available information. If the Customer's Peak Demand occurring during any monthly period exceeds the initially established Contract Demand, such higher Peak Demand shall become the Contract Demand for that monthly billing period and for each billing period thereafter, until exceeded by a higher Peak Demand, which in turn shall likewise be subject to the foregoing condition.

At any time a customer may request, in writing, a prospective change in its Contract Demand, to a higher or lower level, subject to the same requirements for the initiation of service under this Rider. Such application must demonstrate, to the Company's satisfaction, that there have been permanent changes to the Customer's gas usage due to physical changes in the Customer's Distributed Generation Facility or changes in the kind of business or activity conducted that will result in a permanent increase or decrease in the Customer's Contract Demand. Changes in anticipated weather patterns shall not constitute permanent changes for purposes of a Customer qualifying for an increase or decrease in Contract Demand.

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