PSC NO: 12 GAS LEAF: 417 COMPANY: THE BROOKLYN UNION GAS COMPANY REVISION: 2 INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/04 SUPERSEDING REVISION: 1 STAMPS:

FORM OF SERVICE AGREEMENT - Continued

(c) Where a Pool is comprised of Customers taking NCT Service each month (or other period, if so indicated in the Tariff), Seller shall pay the Company for all service provided hereunder, all applicable rates, charges, surcharges, fees, penalties and the like set forth under SC-19 and the general terms and conditions of the Tariff, including, but not limited to the Monthly Balancing Charges set forth under SC-19.

(d) The Company may seek authorization from the Commission for changes to any rate(s) and terms and conditions set forth herein, under SC-19, or the Tariff, as may be deemed necessary by the Company to assure just and reasonable rates and charges.

11. <u>Term of Agreement</u>.

(a) This Agreement shall be effective for an initial term of one (1) year, commencing as of the date first above written, and shall continue thereafter on a ______ to _____ basis, until terminated by Seller or the Company upon at least thirty (30) days' advance written notice to the other, specifying the termination date. The Company's obligation to provide service hereunder, and Seller's obligation to pay the charges referenced in paragraph 10 hereof shall commence on ______, ____.

(b) Seller shall comply with this Agreement, the terms and conditions set forth under SC-19, and all applicable terms and conditions of the Tariff. Notwithstanding anything else herein or in the Tariff to the contrary, the Company shall have the absolute right, in its sole discretion, to terminate this Agreement immediately and the transportation and swing services, and associated services provided hereunder if Seller (I) violates any provision of this Agreement, the terms and conditions of SC-19, or the general terms and conditions of the Tariff; (ii) fails to comply with any term or condition of this Agreement or the general terms and conditions the Tariff; or (iii) makes any false or misleading representation or warranty with respect to this Agreement.

12. <u>Notice</u>. Except as may be otherwise provided in this Agreement or the Tariff, any notice to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing, and shall be hand delivered, sent by prepaid certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or by Federal Express or similar private carrier, and shall be deemed to have been properly given and received (a) when delivered in person to the authorized representative of the party to whom the notice is addressed, (b) on the date received as indicated on the return receipt when sent by prepaid certified or registered mail, to the party notified or (c) or on the business day next following mailing, when sent by Federal Express or other private carrier. Routine communications and monthly billing statements shall be considered as duly delivered when mailed by registered, certified, ordinary mail, Federal Express or other similar private carrier. All communications shall be addressed to the respective parties as follows:

Issued by: John J. Bishar, Jr., Senior Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary, Brooklyn, NY