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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 9 - Continued

TRANSPORTATION SERVICE - Continued

Miscellaneous Provisions - Continued

Customer Responsibility for Equipment - Continued (E)

The Company assumes no responsibility for the adequacy of any dual-fuel or alternate energy facilities and shall not be liable for any loss, damage, or expense, direct or indirect, which may be incurred by the Customer or others in connection with or as a result of any curtailment, interruption, or discontinuation of gas service, unless there is a separate agreement between the Customer and the Company that establishes such responsibility.

(F) Prepayment for Facilities

(1) Applicable to Requests for Interruptible or Off-Peak Firm Service

An applicant for new service or a Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, 3, or 13 Customer transferring to this service and requiring additional facilities shall pay in advance the costs to be incurred by the Company covering:

- (a) provision and installation of metering and communication equipment as specified by the Company, and
- (b) all main extensions or reinforcements, service pipes, service connections, and other facilities in any street, avenue, road, or way as may be or were necessary to render service:

except to the extent the Customer qualifies for one of the Company's incentive programs in effect at the time of the Customer's application for service under this Service Classification.

A Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, 3, or 13 Customer transferring to this service after taking firm sales service for less than five years, may in the Company's sole discretion, be required to pay all or a portion of the facility costs previously incurred for the Customer.

(Service Classification No. 9 - Continued on Leaf No. 319)

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