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COMPANY: THE BROOKLYN UNION GAS COMPANY
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GENERAL INFORMATION - Continued

27.1 ESCO-INITIATED SUSPENSIONS

A. Discontinuance of Service

Public Service Law ' 32(5) requires the Company to suspend utility service to a customer receiving a single bill, upon request of an ESCO upon the ESCO's satisfaction of conditions set forth in PSL ' 32(5) and in the Commission's regulations. Upon receipt of a valid ESCO suspension request, the Company will be required to suspend the customer's utility service in a manner consistent with the law and the Commission's regulations.

For each suspension completed, the Company will charge the ESCO \$142.57.

Customers and ESCOs/Marketers/Direct Customers choosing to take part in the Company's transportation program refer to the Uniform Business Practices for Retail Access Section 9.E.3 – Suspension and Discontinuance.

B. Conditions For Restoration of Service Following ESCO-Initiated Suspensions

Public Service Law ' 32(5)(d) requires the Company to restore utility service following an ESCO-initiated suspension upon the occurrence of any one of the following conditions:

1. Any of the conditions identified in PSL ' 35(1)(a) through (e);
2. Upon the expiration of one year following the termination of commodity service by the ESCO requesting the suspension;

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