

**PSC NO. 4 GAS**

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 16. SERVICE CLASSIFICATION RIDERS

##### RIDER A

Applicable to Service Classification Nos. 4, 6 and 8

#### **GAS TRANSPORTATION SERVICE PROGRAM**

The Gas Transportation Service Program is designed to allow customers to purchase their gas supply from Qualified Sellers ("Sellers") meeting the requirements of Service Classification Nos. 11 or 13. A customer may designate only one Seller to serve an individual gas account. The operational requirements of the program are fully described in the Company's Gas Transportation Operating Procedures.

Service is provided in accordance with the provisions of this Rider and the provisions of the UBP. In the event of any conflict between the provisions of this Rider and the provisions of the UBP, the UBP shall control.

#### **CUSTOMER ELIGIBILITY**

All retail customers shall be eligible to contract with a Seller for gas supply. A customer with annual gas consumption in excess of 3,500 Mcf may participate as a Direct Customer and procure its own gas supply, solely for its own use, without a Seller. A customer may designate only one Seller to serve each gas account.

#### **CUSTOMER ENROLLMENT**

A customer may choose a Seller by directly contacting a Seller whom the Commission and the Company have determined to be eligible to serve retail customers in the Company's service territory. Customers may enroll with such Seller either by telephone or in writing. The customer may enroll with a Seller by providing its account number and the name of the customer of record who is financially responsible for the account. If this information is insufficient to verify the customer's account, the Company will inform the Seller of any additional verification information required.

#### **PROVIDER OF LAST RESORT**

In order to ensure continued access to gas supply services pursuant to consumer protection rules for residential and non-residential service to those customers for whom gas transportation service is not a viable option, who choose not to choose an alternate supplier, or who terminate their agreements with a Seller and fail to designate a substitute Seller, the Company will provide gas supply services.

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