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**SERVICE CLASSIFICATION No. 13**

### **BALANCING SERVICE**

#### **Customer Eligibility:**

Balancing service will be available to any customer that :

1. is party to a gas transportation arrangement by which the customer receives interstate gas transportation service from a third-party pipeline transporter which delivers gas for the customer's account meeting the quality specifications of this Schedule for Gas Service at a minimum daily quantity of three hundred (300) Dth at the delivery points(s) specified in the Service Agreement; and
2. has entered into a mutually agreed upon Balancing Service Agreement (in the form provided herein) for a term of not less than one (1) year; and
3. receives gas balancing service under this service classification for consumption of such gas in the customer's facilities located in the Company's service territory or in the service territory of a New York gas utility with facilities interconnected with the New York Facilities System.

#### **Availability of Service:**

Service is available on a first-come, first-serve basis subject to the Company's sole determination that its existing delivery capacity and facilities are adequate to supply the total estimated gas requirements of its customers receiving service under sales service classifications and to provide the balancing service required for the term of the Balancing Service Agreement. The Company shall not be obligated to expand its facilities or construct new facilities to render the balancing service. Service under this Service Classification will not be available to new or existing customers on and after the effective date of tariff leaves under this Schedule for Gas Service initiating service under Service Classification Nos. 16, 17 and 18. Service under this Service Classification shall be continued to customers pursuant to service agreements in effect on such date to the end of the term of such agreement or, if such agreement contains no definitive termination date, to the first date that such agreement is terminable by the Company.

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