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When a Customer takes Capacity Release Service and the maximum rate on the pipeline(s) on which capacity is released is less than the Rate for Capacity Release Service, the Customer shall pay a monthly charge equal to the difference multiplied by the monthly quantity of released capacity. If the maximum rate on the pipeline(s) is greater than the Rate for Capacity Release Service, and the Customer pays the pipeline in excess of the Company's average cost of capacity as a result of pipeline's bidding process, the Capacity Release Customer shall receive a credit equal to the difference multiplied by the monthly quantity of released capacity.

(6) Pipeline Transition Cost Charge:

All Customers shall pay a Transition Cost Charge per therm to recover Order No. 636 transition costs, except a Customer(s) who provides the Company suitable documentation demonstrating that it is paying Order No. 636 transition costs directly to a pipeline for firm pipeline transportation.

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