..DID: 5449 ..TXT: PSC NO: 12 GAS LEAF: 323 COMPANY: THE BROOKLYN UNION GAS COMPANY REVISION: 1 INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 10/01/98 SUPERSEDING REVISION: 0 STAMPS: Issued in compliance - C.98-G-0824 (8/27/98) and C.95-G-0761 (9/22/98) RECEIVED: 09/25/98 STATUS: Effective EFFECTIVE: 10/01/98 FORM OF SERVICE AGREEMENT - Continued

12. <u>Notice</u>. Except as may be otherwise provided in this Agreement or the Tariff, any notice to be given under this Agreement shall be in writing, and shall be hand delivered, sent by prepaid certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, or by Federal Express or similar private carrier, and shall be deemed to have been properly given and received (a) when delivered in person to the authorized representative of the party to whom the notice is addressed, (b) on the date received as indicated on the return receipt when sent by prepaid certified or registered mail, to the party notified or (c) or on the business day next following mailing, when sent by Federal Express or other private carrier. Routine communications and monthly billing statements shall be considered as duly delivered when mailed by registered, certified, ordinary mail, Federal Express or other similar private carrier. All communications shall be addressed to the respective parties as follows:

If to the Company:	The Brooklyn Union Gas Company One MetroTech Center Brooklyn, New York, 11201-3850
	Attention:
If to Customer:	
	Attention:

13. <u>Incorporation by Reference</u>. The terms and conditions of SC-16 and the general terms and conditions of the Tariff are incorporated herein by reference, and made a part hereof.

Issued by: Steven L. Zelkowitz, Sr. Vice President and General Counsel, Brooklyn, NY