..DID: 5455 ..TXT: PSC NO: 12 GAS LEAF: 32 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 GENERAL INFORMATION - Continued

C. Non-Residential No Access Procedures

<u>Statement of Non-Residential Non-Access Fee</u> - statement which sets for the applicable non-access fee, but in no event shall such fee exceed \$100, excluding applicable taxes. Every such statement shall be filed with the Commission not less than fifteen (15) business days before the date on which the statement is proposed to be effective.

The Company will provide no access notices to the access controller and the nonresidential customer when the nonresidential customer is not the access controller as follows:

- I. On the Fourth Consecutive Estimated Bill (or Tenth Consecutive Bill Rendered Based on a Remote Registered, Estimated, or Customer Reads). At this time the Company will render, in addition to the bill, a notice advising the recipients that if no appointment for a meter reading is made a charge of up to \$100 will be applied to the next bill and every bill thereafter of the access controller, but that no charge will be imposed if an appointment is arranged and kept.
- II. On the Fifth Consecutive Estimated Bill (or Eleventh Consecutive Bill Rendered Based on a Remote Registered, Estimated, or Customers Reads). At this time the Company will render, in addition to the bill, a notice advising the parties that:

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