..DID: 784 ..TXT: PSC NO: 218 GAS LEAF: 157 COMPANY: NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION REVISION: 0 INITIAL EFFECTIVE DATE: 09/12/97 SUPERSEDING REVISION: STAMPS: Cancelled by 1 Rev. Leaf No. 157 Effective 08/01/2000 RECEIVED: 07/03/97 STATUS: Cancelled EFFECTIVE: 09/12/97 SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 7 LOW-VOLUME FIRM GAS TRANSPORTATION SERVICE

APPLICABLE GAS SERVICE FOR:

Firm transportation of customer-owned gas, on a "Best Efforts" basis by the Company, in minimum annual quantities of not less than 50,000 Therms, either subject to Special Provisions hereof.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

Delivery of customer-owned gas will be at a pressure approved by the Company, Customer-owned gas to be transported by the Company must be of pipeline quality having a minimum BTU value of 1,018 BTU per cubic foot on a dry basis. The gas quality must meet the Public Service Commission's rules and regulations regarding concentrations of hydrogen sulfide, total sulfur and ammonia. Filtration of dust and liquid hydrocarbons, and water removal will be required.

BTU ADJUSTMENT:

Customer-owned gas will be converted from volumetric measurement in CCF to Therm measurement, 100,000 Btu per Therm on a dry basis, if required, at the point the customer-owned gas enters the Company's distribution system. The factor for converting CCF measurement to Therm measurement will be as set forth in Rule 14.3.

DEFINITIONS:

For the purpose of this Service Classification the following terms have the meanings stated below:

(a) The Factor of Adjustment used in calculating both overdelivery and underdelivery imbalances will be calculated as defined in Rule 17.1 of this tariff.

(b) Over-deliveries for stand-alone customers not participating in an aggregation service under Service Classification No. 11 equal the therm balance remaining when delivery of gas exceeds customer's consumption multiplied by the Factor of Adjustment.

(c) Under-deliveries for stand-alone customers not participating in an aggregation service under Service Classification No. 11 equal the therm balance remaining when customer's consumption multiplied by the Factor of Adjustment exceeds the delivery of gas.

(d) Maximum Peak Day Quantity (MPDQ) - means the maximum quantity of gas that the customer may take on any winter day. Customer's MPDQs will be calculated according to the Base and Thermal Methodology.