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Cancelled by 2 Rev. Leaf No. 140 Effective 07/01/1998 RECEIVED: 10/28/97 STATUS: Cancelled EFFECTIVE: 12/01/97 SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 3 LARGE GENERAL SERVICE

APPLICABLE TO USE OF SERVICE FOR:

All purposes except as otherwise provided in Service Classification No. 1. Available in all territory served when Company has facilities suitable and adequate for the load.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

Continuous, except as provided in Rule 3 of Rules and Regulations. Natural gas or a mixture of natural gas and other gas of not less than 1000 British Thermal Units per cubic foot. Normal pressure 6 inches, but not less than 4 inches, water column.

THIRTY DAY RATE:

All Customers

Rate
First 5,000 Therms, or less \$2,500.00
Over 5,000 Therms, per Therm .40000

THIRTY DAY MINIMUM CHARGE:

The thirty day minimum charge is the charge for one-third of the highest thirty day equivalent usage taken during any monthly billing period ending in the next previous months of January through March inclusive, but in no case less than \$2,500.00, exclusive of Commodity Cost Adjustment Charges. In addition to the minimum charge, customers may be required to pay a surcharge when service is taken from a main extension constructed in accordance with Rule 10, General Information.

COMMODITY COST ADJUSTMENT CLAUSE:

Commercial heating and industrial customers will be able to apply for a Fixed Commodity Cost Adjustment Clause (FCCAC) or retain the current variable Commodity Cost Adjustment Clause (CCAC). For commercial non-heating customers the Commodity Cost Adjustment Clause (CCAC) will apply. The FCCAC will be effective December 1, 1997, and remain in effect through April 30, 1998 and will be limited to 10 percent of customers by class. The charges set forth herein shall be subject to either 1) a CCAC or 2) a FCCAC per Therm of gas supplied hereunder when changes from the base cost occur as explained in rule 17 of this schedule. Customers that do not elect the FCCAC will automatically be charged the CCAC.

BTU ADJUSTMENT:

Volumes of gas registered at the customer's meter, in Ccf, will be adjusted for Btu content, in Therms, as stated in Rule 14.3.

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