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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION No. 20

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES TRANSPORTATION, BALANCING AND AGGREGATION

APPLICABLE TO USE FOR:

This is a pilot program. For a two-year period, beginning April 1, 1998, service hereunder is available only to the Department of Social Services agencies located in Chautauqua and Erie counties, (hereinafter called the "DSS Supplier") providing government mandated public assistance to residential customers of the Company ("Public Assistance Customers") To qualify, the DSS Supplier shall (1) agree to assume the primary responsibility for all transportation service obligations for the designated Public Assistance Customers, (2) meet the requirements for creditworthiness as established by the Company, and (3) enter into a DSS Service Agreement with the Company.

CHARACTER OF SERVICE:

Transportation aggregation and balancing service billed to the DSS Supplier. The DSS Supplier assumes all obligations of its Public Assistance Customers for all unbundled services rendered to the Public Assistance Customer by the Company including, but not limited to, transportation, balancing, capacity release, and standby. The Company will bill the DSS Supplier for services rendered by the Company to the DSS Supplier*s Public Assistance Customers. Billing service rates and charges shall be included as described at Special Provisions Section 20, and other applicable provisions of SC 19. Company may perform such additional billing services required by DSS Supplier as provided by mutual agreement. Absent default and failure of security by the DSS Supplier, the Public Assistance Customers shall not be responsible to the Company for the cost of such services.

RATES AND CHARGES:

1. Transportation Service Rates

The Company will provide transportation services to deliver DSS Suppliers* gas supplies from the City Gate to the Public Assistance Customers. The DSS Supplier shall be billed the sum of the charges for the transportation services rendered for each of its Public Assistance Customers at the appropriate charges provided herein.

The DSS Supplier shall pay the following transportation charges for the transportation of gas for each Public Assistance Customer aggregated by the DSS Supplier.

Rate per month for Public Assistance Customers that meet the qualifications under the Residential Service Classification No. 1:

First 400 cubic feet or less \$12.98 Next 4,600 cubic feet per 100 cubic feet .289494 All Over 5,000 cubic feet per 100 cubic feet .236184

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