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**SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 9 - Continued**

**TRANSPORTATION SERVICE - Continued**

**Capacity Release Service - Continued**

**(B) Character of Release:**

The capacity released by the Company to a Capacity Release Seller will be made available in accordance with the Company's Sales and Transportation Operating Procedures Manual.

During the Winter Period, when the temperature is forecasted to be below the prescribed temperature set forth in the Company's Sales and Transportation Operating Procedures, Capacity Release Seller will be required to utilize the capacity released by the Company to deliver gas to its firm customers behind Con Edison's Citygate that elected Capacity Release Service.

Capacity releases shall be effectuated in accordance with FERC regulations and gas tariff(s) of the pipeline(s) on which capacity is released. The Company's release of capacity shall not constitute a guarantee of any particular level of service by the pipeline(s) on which capacity is released. The Company shall not be liable to a Capacity Release Seller in any way for interruptions of service by the pipeline(s).

(Service Classification No. 9 - Continued on Leaf No. 309.0)

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