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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 47. Firm Gas Demand Response (“DR”) for Commercial and Industrial Customers (continued)

#### 2. Customer Eligibility

Customers are eligible to enroll in the Company’s Demand Response programs for Commercial and Industrial accounts if they satisfy the following criteria.

- a. Customers may only enroll Firm Service natural gas accounts located in National Grid’s NMPC service territory.
- b. Non-Firm and Interruptible rate classifications may not participate in the program.
- c. Enrolled customers must have hourly gas metering equipment installed and functioning during the DR Season (Nov 1 –Mar 31). The Company will install hourly metering equipment for customers without current hourly meters.
- d. Accounts must enroll a minimum of 1 dth per hour. Customer enrolled accounts must consume at least 4,000 dths per year or have peak consumption greater than 1 dth per hour. This applies to all accounts, including those enrolled as part of an aggregation.
- e. Specific to the Load Shedding Demand Response program option, customers must have the ability to eliminate gas usage without resulting increases in the hours or days before or after an event. Customers who can only shift gas loads to a different period within the same day are encouraged to participate in the Load Shifting Demand Response program option.
- f. Specific to the Load Shifting Demand Response Program, customers are restricted from using an alternate heating fuel during Demand Response Events, except for an Exempt Resource as defined previously.
- g. Customers served under Interruptible service classifications are ineligible to participate in the Firm DR programs. Further, any interruptible service customer that transfers to firm service in the future may be restricted from participating in Firm DR programs for a period of up to 3 years.
- h. [Enrollment Deadlines and Application](#)

The deadlines for enrollment for any given DR season for Commercial and Industrial DR programs are as follows:

*Table 1: Enrollment Deadline and Season Start Dates*

Enrollment Deadline	Season Start
September 30	November 1

The Company may extend the enrollment deadline of September 30 by providing at least five (5) business days’ prior notice. In no event shall the Company extend the enrollment deadline beyond the Season Start date. Customer applications can be submitted via email to [GasDR@nationalgrid.com](mailto:GasDR@nationalgrid.com), or directly to a customer’s account representative. A customer will be considered enrolled in the program only on receipt of a confirmation from National Grid. National Grid will provide this confirmation within 5 business days of the receipt of the customer’s application.

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