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## SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 15 INTERRUPTIBLE SALES SERVICE (Cont'd)

## **NEW METERED SERVICE POINTS:**

To initiate service for either a new Customer or an existing Customer with a new service point, the Customer must submit a signed General Service Application to the Marketing and Sales Department. The Customer must have installed daily metering equipment, and a Company approved method of communication with the daily meter reading device by the 20th calendar day of the month in order for service to be initiated on the 1st calendar day of the next month. All provisions of this Service Classification shall be initiated on the 1st calendar day of the month.

## SPECIAL PROVISIONS - ALL CUSTOMERS:

A. All sales hereunder shall be subject to interruption, temporary curtailment or discontinuance, and permanent discontinuance, on not less than two hours' notice from the Company and Company shall not be in any way liable for any failure in whole or in part, temporary or permanent, to deliver gas under this Service Classification. Customers that fail to comply with a notification to interrupt, curtail or discontinue shall pay a charge, in addition to all other prices and charges payable by said customer, of \$2.50 per therm for all quantities consumed in violation of the notification, as determined by the Company.

A Customer that fails to comply with a notification to interrupt, curtail, or discontinue shall also be subject to the following:

- (a) The addition of one unannounced interruption test at the end of January. A waiver of this test shall be granted for interruptible customers interrupted due to weather within five days of a scheduled January test;
- (b) A requirement to provide an affidavit attesting to compliance with the Company's tariff, except those customers that have elected to cease using natural gas when directed to by the Company in lieu of maintaining an alternate fuel inventory; and,
- (c) The contact information for the customer's alternate fuel supplier is required to be included in the affidavit described in(b) above.
- B. Customer's equipment supplied hereunder should have an alternative source of fuel; however this requirement may be waived by written permission of the Company. The Company reserves the right to conduct an on-site inspection of the Customer's alternate fuel facilities at any time to determine whether the equipment is properly installed, maintained, functioning and capable of serving the Customer's energy requirements at a level equivalent to that of the natural gas provided under this Service Classification. Equipment supplied under this Service Classification, may be transferred to an applicable firm Service Classification with the written permission of the Company. However, any such equipment cannot be resupplied under an interruptible Service Classification prior to the elapse of a minimum period of one year.
- C. Customers taking service under this Service Classification will be required to install daily metering equipment, at the customer's expense, and have a dedicated telephone line available as set forth in the Gas Transportation Operating Procedures Manual.
- D. The Customer shall provide the Company with an affidavit certifying the grade and sulphur content of fuel oil that can be utilized in the facilities served under this Service Classification or a description of the alternate fuel used.
- E. The Company may, at its sole discretion, adjust the prices charged customers that are exempt from the Petroleum Business Tax (PBT), imposed by Article 13-A of the New York State Tax Law. Such adjustments shall be made on a non-discriminatory basis, such that, PBT-exempt customers within the same price area and price category receive the same PBT adjustment.
- F. Customers taking service under this Service Classification must negotiate an individual Service Agreement with the Company.
- G. The Company shall implement daily communication with each interruptible customer facility location via email, text messages, fax or phone call. See the Company's GTOP Manual for specific details. Additionally, the Company shall communicate with each interruptible customer facility location at the end of every interruption to remind customers to replenish alternate fuel inventories as needed to maintain minimum levels.

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