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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 8 (Cont'd)

INTERRUPTIBLE RATE (Cont'd)

SPECIAL PROVISIONS (Cont'd)

- 8.2 Service supplied under this classification shall be subject to interruption prior to interruption of service supplied under Service Classification No. 2, and have priority over Service Classification No. 9.
- 8.3 The Company shall not be obligated to interrupt or curtail service simultaneously to all or within interruptible customer categories under this classification.
- 8.4 On or before the date indicated on the Company's Calendar of Gas Transportation Scheduling as defined in General Information, Section 2, the Company shall determine the rate per 100 cu. ft. to be charged for the next calendar month under this Service Classification.
- 8.5 If the Company curtails service and the Customer is not able to meet requirements of the curtailment, the Company will charge the Customer a curtailment penalty charge for all gas consumed by the Customer until the Customer is able to meet the requirements of a curtailment. The curtailment penalty charge for all gas consumed will be \$2.50 per Ccf plus the highest price of the natural gas purchased by Central Hudson during the curtailment.

A Customer that is not able to meet the requirements of a curtailment will also be subject to the following:

- (a). One unannounced curtailment test at the end of January, provided however that such test shall be waived if scheduled to occur within five days of an actual curtailment wherein the Customer was able to meet the requirements of such curtailment;
- (b). Provision of an affidavit in writing attesting to compliance with the Company's tariff; Customers electing to cease using natural gas when directed to by the Company in lieu of maintaining an alternate fuel inventory are excluded from this provision; and,
- (c). Provision of the Customer's oil dealer's contact information in the aforementioned affidavit.
- 8.6 If the customer fails to meet the alternate fuel reserve requirement, the Company will charge the customer the greater of 130% of the market price of the customer's alternate fuel or 110% of the applicable tariff rate for natural gas service for all gas consumed. The alternate fuel market price will be the New York spot \$/MMBtu price of the customer's alternate fuel as published in Platt's Gas Daily in the table "Platt's oil prices" for the day prior to the noncompliance. If the customer's alternate fuel is No. 4 or No. 6 oil, the applicable alternate fuel price will be "1% Resid HP". The curtailment charge is effective for the billing period during which the noncompliance becomes known and for any subsequent periods during which noncompliance continues.
- 8.7 Prior to November 15 of each year, the Company will institute an annual announced system curtailment. Customers will be notified by registered mail that the Company will be conducting a system curtailment. The notification letter will also request information concerning the Customer's alternate fuel supply and arrangements for deliveries during actual curtailment periods, and will request verification and/or update of customer contact information. Customers must reply to the request for information within thirty (30) days of receipt. Failure to reply will subject the Customer to the Company's curtailment charge. In addition, if for any reason the Customer is not able to curtail usage during the annual system curtailment, the Customer will be subject to the Company's curtailment charge, as described above, for all gas consumed by the Customer until the Customer is able to meet the requirements of a curtailment.