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# VIA HAND DELIVERY

Ms. Renne Vance Chief Clerk North Carolina Utilities Commission 430 N. Salisbury Street, Dobbs Building Raleigh, NC 27603

> Docket No. G-5, Sub 495—Revised Stipulation Exhibits Re:

Dear Ms. Vance:

On August 13, 2008, Public Service Company of North Carolina, Inc. ("PSNC") filed a stipulation and exhibits ("Stipulation") by and among PSNC, the Public Staff - North Carolina Utilities Commission, and Carolina Utility Customers Association, Inc. (collectively, the "Stipulating Parties"). Subsequent to the filing, PSNC discovered three errors in the exhibits.

Please accept for filing three replacement pages to the exhibits revised as follows: 1) the reference to the "Customer Usage Tracker" has been removed from Rate Schedule No. 126 (Exhibit E, p.7); 2) The reference to Rate Schedule No. 126 has been removed from the definition of "Customer Usage Tracker" in the Service Regulations (Exhibit F, p. 1); and 3) Rate Schedule No. 180 has been revised to correct the reference to Rate Schedule No. 190 to Rate Schedule No. 165 (Exhibit E, p. 15). The undersigned counsel has been in contact with the Stipulating Parties and has been authorized to represent that they have no objection to these revised pages.

Please accept the original and 30 copies of the attached revised exhibits to the Stipulation for filing and return one-file-stamped copy to my courier. If you have any questions regarding this matter, you may reach me at the number shown above.

Sincerely,

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A Professional Limited Liability Company

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#### RATE SCHEDULE NO. 126

#### SMALL GENERAL SERVICE - COOLING

This Rate Schedule is available to commercial and small industrial Customers that are primarily engaged in the sale of goods or services, manufacturing, schools, institutions, and governmental agencies, including single-metered health care facilities. This Rate Schedule is available to master metered apartment buildings, but is not available for theto any individual Customer who qualifies for a residential Service under Rate schedule No. 101. Family care homes as defined in G.S. 168-21 may elect Service under a residential Rate Schedule No. 101. This Rate Schedule is also available to Customers utilizing Gas-fired desiccant dehumidification systems or Gas-fired absorption or Gas enginedriven air conditioning units. Separate Meters, separate Accounts, and separate locations may not be combined for billing under this schedule Schedule.

#### <u>Rate</u>

The applicable monthly Facilities Charge and the <u>applicable</u> Energy Charge are set forth in the currently effective <del>Shoet</del> No. 100-1Summary of Rates and Charges of this Tariff and are incorporated herein by reference. Bills under this Rate Schedule are subject to a Weather Normalization Adjustment procedure as set forth under Rider E of this Tariff.

The minimum monthly bill is the Facilities Charge.

## Payment of Bills

Bills are due and payable upon receipt and become past due 15 days after the billing date. Late payment charges will be added to the total balances in arrears on the next billing date at the rate of 1% per month. A charge will be imposed for checks and drafts returned to PSNC. Reconnection charges will be made to restore Service for: (a) Customers whose Service was discontinued for nonpayment of bill or (b) Customers whose Service was discontinued and reconnected at the request of Customer at the same Premises within the past year.

The charges above are set forth in the currently effective Sheet No. 190-2Summary of Rates and Charges of this Tariff under the heading of Miscellaneous Fee Schedule and are described in PSNC's approved Rules and Regulations.

### Rules and Regulations

Service under this schedule Rate Schedule is subject to all lawful orders, rules, and regulations of duly constituted governmental authorities having jurisdiction over either PSNC and or Customer, or both, including any orders of the Commission requiring PSNC to curtail or discontinue Service hereunder or setting priorities for such curtailment or discontinuance of Service. PSNC shall not be liable for any damages that may result to Customers or any other person, firm, or corporation by reason of PSNC's curtailing Gas Service in accordance with any order by a duly constituted governmental authority or in accordance with any order of priorities which may be deemed practicable under existing conditions by PSNC. Service under this Rate Schedule is subject to PSNC's Rules and Regulations as approved by the Commission, which are incorporated herein by reference.

#### 1. APPLICABILITY

- (a) These Rules and Regulations apply to all services provided by Public Service Company of North Carolina, Incorporated ("PSNC") under its rate schedules on file with, and subject to the jurisdiction of, the North Carolina Utilities Commission ("Commission") and are adopted for the mutual protection of both the Customer and PSNC. They provide standards for PSNC's practices, promote safe and adequate service to the public, and establish a reasonable basis for meeting the public's demands for natural gas service.
- (b) The rates, terms and other conditions, and rules and regulations stated in this tariff are subject to change upon PSNC's application to the Commission and approval of such application by the Commission, or upon order of the Commission, in the manner prescribed by law at any time. In the event of such change, the new rates, terms and conditions, and rules and regulations prescribed by the Commission will apply to Service received hereunder from the date such change is made effective. Customer agrees to accept and be bound by all such rates, terms and conditions, and rules and regulations in connection with such Service, which are now or may hereafter be filed with, or issued or promulgated by, the Commission or other governmental bodies having jurisdiction thereof.
- (c) If a conflict exists between these Rules and Regulations and the provisions of the applicable currently effective Rate Schedule, the provisions of the Rate Schedule shall govern. The Rules and Regulations of the Commission shall govern in the event of a conflict with these Rules and Regulations.

#### 2. DEFINITIONS

For the purposes of PSNC's Tariff, Rate Schedules and these Rules and Regulations, the following capitalized terms shall be defined as follows:

- (a) "Account" means service provided to any Person at a single location on a single Rate Schedule.
- (b) "Applicant" means any Person applying for Service.
- (c) "BTU Factor" means the factor used to convert a volume of Gas (e.g. 100 cubic feet ("CCF")) into Therms.
- (d) "CIAC" means a non-refundable cash contribution in aid of construction made by a Customer to PSNC to defray the cost of construction of Excess Facilities installed by PSNC to provide Service to that Customer.
- (e) "City Gate" means point(s) where Gas is delivered to PSNC.
- (f) "Commission" means the North Carolina Utilities Commission, which regulates gas utilities operating within the State of North Carolina, including PSNC.
- (g) "Customer" means any Account being supplied Service by PSNC.
- (h) "Customer Facilities" means any piping, appliances, gas burning devices, regulating, or other gas delivery Facilities located downstream of the Delivery Point.
- (i) "Customer Usage Tracker" is the mechanism approved by the Commission that tracks and trues up variations in average per customer usage from levels approved in PSNC's last general rate case for residential and commercial customers receiving service on Rate Schedule Nos. 101 and 125. See Rider C.
- (ij) "Dekatherm" or "Dt" means the unit of energy equivalent to 10 Therms, or 1,000,000 British Thermal Units ("BTU"). PSNC's purchases of Gas are measured in Dts.
- (jk) "Delivery Point" means the physical point in the Gas delivery system where Customer Facilities meets the outlet of PSNC's Meter Assembly.

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#### RATE SCHEDULE NO. 180

## INTERRUPTIBLE TRANSPORTATION SERVICE FOR CUSTOMERS QUALIFYING FOR SERVICE ON RATE SCHEDULE NO. 150

Interruptible Transportation Iteration Service under this Rate Schedule may be offered to a large commercial or industrial Customer who that is presently connected to PSNC's system, has qualified for Service on Rate Schedule No. 150, has obtained an independent supply of Gas, and has made arrangements to have Gas delivered to one of PSNC's existing Receipt Points. All transportation under this Rate Schedule is provided in accordance with PSNC's Transportation Pooling Agreement, as may be revised from time to time.

Once a qualified Customer elects Service under this Rate Schedule, Service will be provided for a term extending through the following May August 31. Subject to the consent of PSNC, Customer may, subject to the sensent of the Company, elect to discontinue Service under this Rate Schedule and receive Service from Rate Schedule No. 150 by giving written notice to the Company PSNC prior to March June 1 of any year. The Company PSNC will grant such consent provided that if it has, or is able to acquire gas under commercially reasonable terms and conditions, the necessary Gas supplies and capacity under reasonable conditions to provide Service to Customer under Rate Schedule No. 150. Proper notice having been provided and consent obtained, with the Company's consent Customer shall discontinue Service under this Rate Schedule effective the first June September 1 following the notice.

Gas transported under this Rate Schedule shall be separately measured from Gas purchased or transported under any other Rate Schedule. Neither separate Accounts nor separate locations may be combined to qualify for the minimum quantity provision of this Rate Schedule.

PSNC may refuse transportation Service if PSNC determines that:

- 1) it does not have Gas delivery capacity in excess of the requirements of its other existing Customers; or
- 2) the requested Service would require an uneconomic enlargement or extension of PSNC's facilities; or
- 3) the provision of the requested Service might unreasonably increase the average cost of Gas purchased by PSNC for sales to other Customers due to PSNC's demand charge obligations, minimum bill obligations, or the take or pay obligations of <a href="mailto:Transcontinental Pipe Line Corporation">Transcontinental Pipe Line Corporation</a>.

PSNC will attempt to deliver Gas transported for Customer's Account under this Rate Schedule on a day-to-day basis in accordance with Customer's requirements; however, PSNC reserves the right to suspend Service on any day when, in PSNC's sole opinion, its operating conditions are such that this is necessary.

### <u>Rate</u>

The applicable monthly Facilities Charge and the <u>applicable Transportation Charge</u> are set forth in the currently effective <u>Sheet No. 100-2Summary of Rates and Charges</u> of this Tariff and are incorporated herein by reference.

When Customer has the installed and operable capability to burn an alternate fuel and the equivalent alternate fuel cost is less than the combined cost of Gas received from Customer's independent supply and the transportation Transportation charge Charge applicable under this Rate Schedule, Customer may be served under PSNC's Rate Schedule No. 160165. In order to receive Service under Rate Schedule No. 160165, Customer must maintain separately metered Accounts for each type of alternate fuel.

The minimum monthly bill is the Facilities Charge. The Facilities Charge will be waived in any month when PSNC is unable to deliver any Gas during that billing month. Service under this Tariff Rate Schedule is subject to PSNC's Rider A of this Tariff.

# Payment of Bills

Bills are due and payable upon receipt and become past due 15 days after the billing date. Late payment charges will be added to the total balances in arrears on the next billing date at the rate of 1% per month. A charge will be imposed for checks and drafts returned to PSNC. Reconnection charges will be made to restore Service for: (a) Customers whose Service was discontinued for nonpayment of bill or (b) Customers whose Service was discontinued and reconnected at the request of Customer at the same Premises within the past year.

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the attached *Revised Stipulation Exhibits* are being served upon the parties to this docket by depositing a copy of the same in the United States Mail, First Class, Postage Prepaid, at the addresses contained in the official service list in this proceeding.

This the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August, 2008.

Mary Lynne Grigg