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# General Industrial Sales Service Rate Schedule GIS-1

#### AVAILABILITY

This Rate Schedule is available to any individually metered industrial customer (hereinafter "Customer") on Company's system. Service under this Rate Schedule is not available for resale to others or for standby service.

## **NET MONTHLY RATE**

The Net Monthly Rate for all gas sold and delivered by Company to Customer hereunder during a billing period shall be equal the currently effective rate for sales to large commercial customers as approved by the Louisiana Public Service Commission. Such net monthly rate shall include the currently effective gas supply rate, rate stabilization plan adjustment and weather normalization adjustment applicable to large commercial sales customers.

## **TERMS OF PAYMENT**

The net monthly bill is payable within twenty (20) days from the date of the bill. If the bill is not paid within this period, an additional amount of five percent (5%) shall be added.

## **GAS SUPPLY RATE**

The gas supply rate for all gas sold and delivered by Company to Customer hereunder during a billing period shall be equal to the currently effective gas supply rate as flowed through to large commercial sales customers in accordance with the rules, regulations, practices and procedures of the Louisiana Public Service Commission regarding cost of gas adjustment clause mechanisms.

### **APPLICABLE TAXES**

In addition to payments provided for above, Customer shall reimburse Company for Customer's proportionate part of any payments made to any governmental authority covering any tax, charge, impost, assessment, license or fee paid under any law, ordinance or agreement covering any tax, in the rate of any such tax, charge, impost, assessment (except for any such tax, charge, impost, assessment, license or fee that is recovered by Company through its tariffed rates) imposed against Company or which directly affect Company's cost of operations pursuant to LPSC General Order dated October 18, 1988.

To reflect any changes in the payment made to any governmental authority covering such tax, charge, impost, assessment, license or fee (except for any such tax, charge, impost, assessment, license or fee that is recovered by Company through its tariffed rate) in effect on November 14, 2003, the billing hereunder may be increased or decreased by an appropriate percentage adjustment sufficient to adjust for the change or changes in the aforementioned taxes, charges, imposts, assessments, licenses or fees above or below the November 14, 2003 level pursuant to LPSC General Order dated October 18, 1988.

#### RATE STABILIZATION PLAN RIDER RSP

Rider RSP-1 is incorporated herein by reference.

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# Rate Schedule GIS-1 (cont'd) WEATHER NORMALIZATION ADJUSTMENT RIDER WNA

Rider WNA is incorporated herein by reference.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS
Service under this Rate Schedule shall be furnished in accordance with the Company's General Rules and Regulations, as such rules may be amended from time to time; provided, however, where Customer has a written contract with Company, the terms and provisions of such contract shall be controlling. A copy of the Company's General Rules & Regulations may be obtained from Company's office.