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June 24, 2010

# ADVICE LETTER NO. 243

Doug Dean, Director The Public Utilities Commission of the State Colorado 1560 Broadway, Suite 250 Denver, CO 80202

## Dear Mr. Dean:

I have the privilege of serving as the President and CEO of SourceGas Distribution LLC ("SourceGas Distribution" or "Company"). SourceGas Distribution makes this filing because it has determined that it must seek an increase in its revenue requirement for natural gas service based on a review of its current and projected cost of service in order to recover its costs and have an opportunity to earn a reasonable rate of return on its investment while continuing to provide safe, efficient, and reliable service.

SourceGas Distribution submits the following Tariff Sheets for filing with the Commission in compliance with requirements of the Colorado Public Utilities Law:

# Colorado PUC Tariff No. 7

Sheet No.	Revision No.	Cancels Sheet No.	Revision No.
2	Third Revised	2	Second Revised
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79	Second Revised	79	First Revised
80	Second Revised	80	First Revised
81	Second Revised	81	First Revised
81C	Second Revised	81C	First Revised

I respectfully submit the following Executive Summary of the Company's proposal for the benefit of the Commission and its Staff:

# **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

# Background

SourceGas Distribution provides regulated natural gas retail distribution and transportation service to approximately 87,000 customers in Colorado. The Company also provides retail natural gas service in Nebraska and Wyoming. SourceGas Distribution's affiliate Rocky Mountain Natural Gas LLC provides intrastate natural gas transmission service in Colorado. SourceGas Distribution's affiliate Arkansas Western Gas Company provides retail natural gas service to customers in Arkansas.

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SourceGas Distribution began utility operations in Colorado in late March 2007. SourceGas Distribution serves a large area of Colorado including over seventy municipalities and large tracts of sparsely populated rural Colorado. The vast majority of these customers, approximately 85,000, are residential and small commercial customers. The Commission approved SourceGas Distribution's current distribution and transportation rates in August 2008, through Decision No. R08-0820 issued in Docket Nos. 08S-108G and 08A-127G.

# Summary of Proposed Tariff Changes

The Company has determined that it must seek an increase in its revenue requirement to meet the natural gas needs of its customers and be allowed an opportunity to earn a reasonable rate of return on its investment while continuing to provide safe, efficient, and reliable service.

The rates previously approved by the Commission took effect September 1, 2008. Since that time, several factors have increased the Company's revenue requirement. The most significant factor is a \$5.07 million annual increase in revenue requirement attributable to plant and equipment investments made so that SourceGas Distribution can continue providing safe, efficient, and reliable service to its Colorado customers. Additionally, annual operating costs increased \$1.15 million, largely due to inflation, and taxes, such as ad valorem assessments, which alone account for \$0.54 million of the increase in annual operating costs. At the same time, the cost of common equity capital as determined by the marketplace has increased as investors require a higher return on equity.

The Company made substantial efforts to control expenses to avoid increases of its revenue requirement. Specifically, SourceGas Distribution produced annual savings of almost \$3 million by implementing workforce reductions, operational enhancements, and efficiencies. These efforts substantially mitigated the amount of the increase required. However, the business conditions confronting the Company nevertheless require an increase of the Company's revenue requirement.

The effect of this filing on SourceGas Distribution's annual non-gas base rate revenues in Colorado would be an increase of \$6,042,185. This proposed increase would allow SourceGas Distribution the opportunity to earn a 12.0% return on equity and a 9.03% overall return on rate base.

Except for the General Rate Schedule Adjustment Rates that are proposed to implement the requested revenue increase, there are no other substantive changes the Company's Tariff.

Under the proposal, an average residential customer will experience a monthly bill increase of 5.30 (5.23%) or 1.75 (2.58%) in Base Rate Area 1 or 2, respectively. An average small commercial customer will experience a monthly bill increase of 8.09 (5.20%) or 2.69 (2.38%) in Base Rate Area 1 or 2, respectively.

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The Company's proposal is presented through the testimony and exhibits that accompany this Advice Letter. As the Company's President and CEO, I present an overview of the Company's operations, reasons for the rate increase, and testimony of other witnesses.

William H. Meckling, Director of Regulatory Affairs, describes the proposed tariffs and implementation of the rate increase, including bill impacts on customer classes.

Dr. R. Charles Moyer, an outside utility business expert and the Dean of the College of Business at the University of Louisville, addresses the fair and reasonable rate of return on equity capital committed to the Company's Colorado natural gas distribution assets. Dr. Moyer estimates that the Company's required return on equity capital is 12.0%. SourceGas Distribution's Treasurer, Denise L. Martinez, explains the Company's capital structure and cost of debt. Applying Dr. Moyer's recommended return on equity to the Company's capital structure results in a total overall proposed rate of return of 9.03%.

The Company presents testimony of several other members of its Regulatory Affairs group. James M. Elliott, Manager, Regulatory Affairs provides an overview of SourceGas Distribution's proposed revenue requirement, the updated Cost Assignment and Allocation Manual and rate base analysis. Olga S. Odell, Manager, Regulatory Affairs describes the Fully Distributed Cost Study and test year adjustments to operations and maintenance expenses. Jerrad S. Hammer, Manager, Regulatory Affairs provides details on test year revenues. Their testimony demonstrates that the total revenue increase needed to cover SourceGas Distribution's costs and allow it an opportunity to earn a fair and reasonable return is \$6,042,185.

Additionally, the Company submits the testimony of William (Len) L. Mize III, its Director of Customer Services and Corporate Communications, to address the Company's transition to its current billing system and call center.

A list of the six Company Exhibits and the eight pieces of Direct Testimony is attached to this Advice Letter.

The proposed effective date of the changes described in this filing is August 1, 2010. SourceGas Distribution will give notice of the proposal to its customers in the Form of Notice attached to this Advice Letter as Exhibit 6.

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# **Company Contact Persons**

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## **Conclusion**

SourceGas Distribution respectfully requests that the Commission allow the requested rate increase so that the Company can continue to provide its Colorado customers with safe, efficient, and reliable natural gas service at just and reasonable rates.

Respectfully submitted,

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William N. Cantrell President and CEO

Enclosures

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# **COMPANY EXHIBITS**

- 1. Proposed Tariff Sheets
- 2. Redlined Tariff Sheets
- 3. Revenue Requirement Summary Schedules
- 4. Updated Cost Assignment and Allocation Manual
- 5. Fully Distributed Cost Study
- 6. Form of Notice

# **DIRECT TESTIMONIES**

Testimony and Exhibits of Mr. William N. Cantrell

Testimony and Exhibit of Mr. William H. Meckling

Testimony and Exhibits of Mr. R. Charles Moyer, Ph.D.

Testimony of Ms. Denise L. Martinez

Testimony and Exhibits of Mr. James M. Elliott

Testimony and Exhibits of Ms. Olga S. Odell

Testimony and Exhibits of Mr. Jerrad S. Hammer

Testimony of Mr. William (Len) L. Mize III

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<b>North Eastern Colorado</b> Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 2) (1)									
Rate	Sheet	Type of	Billing	Base	DSMCA	GRSA	GCA	<u>Total</u>	N
<u>Schedule</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Rates</u>	<u>(4)</u>	( <u>5)</u>	(2)		N
R-2	9	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$10.00	\$0.32	\$0.76		\$11.08	I, N
R-2	9	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.2070	\$0.0066	\$0.0157	\$0.5912	\$0.8205	I, N
SC-2	10	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$20.00	\$0.54	\$1.51		\$22.05	1, N
SC-2	10	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1424	\$0.0038	\$0.0108	\$0.5912	\$0.7482	1, N
LC-2	11	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$100.00	\$2.68	\$7.57	\$0.5912	\$110.25	I, N
LC-2	11	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1165	\$0.0031	\$0.0088		\$0.7196	I, N
ICD-2	12	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$40.00	\$1.07	\$3.03	\$0.5912	\$44.10	I, N
ICD-2	12	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0702	\$0.0019	\$0.0053		\$0.6686	I, N

(1) Base Rate Area 1 is composed of Western Slope and North Central. Base Rate Area 2 is composed of North Eastern, Arkansas Valley and Southwestern.

(2) The Company has the following five GCA Rate Areas: North Eastern, Western Slope, North Central, Arkansas Valley, and Southwestern. The GCA rates shown on this tariff sheet are subject to adjustment for changes in Company's cost of gas as provided for by the Gas Cost Adjustment provisions on Sheet Nos. 37-39 of this Tariff. The above GCA rates reflect a gas cost adjustment as follows:

GCA Formula:	Current Gas Cost +	Deferred Gas Cost =	<u>GCA</u>
	\$0.7603	(\$0.1691)	\$0.5912

(3) The Customer Charge shall be increased by \$40.00 per month for premises that avail themselves of the Extra Construction Allowance for the duration of the repayment period.

(4) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 13 summarized below:

Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment ("DSMCA")							
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate				
R-2	3.16%	\$0.32	\$0.0066				
SC-2	2.68%	\$0.54	\$0.0038				
LC-2	2.68%	\$2.68	\$0.0031				
ICD-2	2.68%	\$1.07	\$0.0019				

(5) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the General Rate Schedule Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 8B summarized below:

etric Rate	Monthly Rate	Percent	Rate Schedule
 .0157	\$0.76	7.57%	R-2
.0108	\$1.51	7.57%	SC-2
.0088	\$7.57	7.57%	.C-2
.0053	\$3.03	7.57%	CD-2

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## North Eastern Colorado Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 2)

# Rule 4406(b) Itemized Billing Units

-		Volumetric C		Monthl	y Charge (Per	Meter)	N		
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Distribution <u>1/</u>	Gas Cost Ad	Upstream Pipeline	DSMCA	<u>Total</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	Customer <u>Charge 1/</u>	<u>Total</u>	N N N
R-1	\$0.2227	\$0.4323	\$0.1589	\$0.0066	\$0.8205	\$0.32	\$10.76	\$11.08	I, N
SC-1	\$0.1532	\$0.4323	\$0.1589	\$0.0038	\$0.7482	\$0.54	\$21.51	\$22.05	I, N
LC-1	\$0.1253	\$0.4323	\$0.1589	\$0.0031	\$0.7196	\$2.68	\$107.57	\$110.25	I, N
ICD-1	\$0.0755	\$0.4323	\$0.1589	\$0.0019	\$0.6686	\$1.07	\$43.03	\$44.10	I, N

1/ Includes General Rate Schedule Adjustment ("GRSA") pursuant to Sheet No. 8B and in the amount shown on Sheet No. 7 (Note 5) for the corresponding class of service and type of charge.

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Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Sheet <u>Number</u>	Type of <u>Charge</u>	<u>Units</u>	Base <u>Rates</u>	<u>(4)</u>	(5)	<u>(6)</u>	<u>(2)</u>	<u>Total</u>
R-1	9	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$11.00		\$0.23	\$1.89		\$13.12
R-1	9	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.2282	\$0.0254	\$0.0048	\$0.0391	\$0.7328	\$1.0303
SC-1	10	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$22.00		\$0.39	\$3.77		\$26.16
SC-1	10	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1869	\$0.0254	\$0.0033	\$0.0321	\$0.7328	\$0.9805
LC-1	11	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$100.00		\$1.76	\$17.15		\$118.91
LC-1	11	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1544	\$0.0254	\$0.0027	\$0.0265	\$0.7328	\$0.9418
ICD-1	12	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$180.00		\$3.17	\$30.87		\$214.04
ICD-1	12	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0923	\$0.0254	\$0.0016	\$0.0158	\$0.7328	\$0.8679

Southwestern. The GCA rates shown on this tariff sheet are subject to adjustment for changes in Company's cost of gas as provided for by the Gas Cost Adjustment provisions on Sheet Nos. 37-39 of this Tariff. The above GCA rates reflect a gas cost adjustment as follows:

GCA Formula:	Current Gas Cost	+	Deferred Gas Cost	=	<u>GCA</u>
	\$0.7301		\$0.0027		\$0.7328

(3) The Customer Charge shall be increased by \$40.00 per month for premises that avail themselves of the Extra Construction Allowance for the duration of the repayment period.

(4) Litigated Settlement Special Rate Surcharge (LSSRS) amount of \$0.0254 per therm pursuant to Sheet No. 39D of this Tariff.

(5) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 13 summarized below:

	Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment ("DSMCA")							
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate					
R-1	2.10%	\$0.23	\$0.0048					
SC-1	1.76%	\$0.39	\$0.0033					
LC-1	1.76%	\$1.76	\$0.0027					
ICD-1	1.76%	\$3.17	\$0.0016					

(6) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the General Rate Schedule Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 8B summarized below:

Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate	<u></u>	
۲-۱	17.15%	\$1.89	\$0.0391		1
SC-1	17.15%	\$3.77	\$0.0321		
LC-1	17.15%	\$17.15	\$0.0265		1
ICD-1	17.15%	\$30.87	\$0.0158		

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# Western Slope Colorado

Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 1)

# Rule 4406(b) Itemized Billing Units

		Volumetric C	Charges Per Th	erm		<u>Monthl</u>	v Charge (Per	Meter)	N
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Distribution <u>1/</u>	<u>Gas Cost A</u> Commodity <u>2 /</u>	<u>djustment</u> Upstream <u>Pipeline</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	Total	<u>DSMCA</u>	Customer Charge 1/	<u>Total</u>	N N N
R-1	\$0.2673	\$0.5115	\$0.2467	\$0.0048	\$1.0303	\$0.23	\$12.89	\$13.12	I, N
SC-1	\$0.2190	\$0.5115	\$0.2467	\$0.0033	\$0.9805	\$0.39	\$25.77	\$26.16	I, N
LC-1	\$0.1809	\$0.5115	\$0.2467	\$0.0027	\$0.9418	\$1.76	\$117.15	\$118.91	I, N
ICD-1	\$0.1081	\$0.5115	\$0.2467	<b>\$</b> 0.0016	\$0.8679	\$3.17	\$210.87	\$214.04	I, N

1/ Includes General Rate Schedule Adjustment ("GRSA") pursuant to Sheet No. 8B and in the amount shown on Sheet No. 7B (Note 6) for the corresponding class of service and type of charge.

2/ Includes Litigated Settlement Special Rate Surcharge (LSSRS) in amount of \$0.0254 per therm pursuant to Sheet No. 39D of this Tariff.

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			Sale		<b>l Colorado</b> edule of Rates Rate Area 1)(1				
Rate	Sheet	Type of	Billing	Base	DSMCA	GRSA	GCA	Total	N
<u>Schedule</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Charge</u>	<u>Units</u>	<u>Rates</u>	<u>(4)</u>	(5)	(2)		N
R-1	9	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$11.00	\$0.23	\$1.89	\$0.5776	\$13.12	I, 1
R-1	9	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.2282	\$0.0048	\$0.0391		\$0.8497	I, 1
SC-1	10	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$22.00	\$0.39	\$3.77	\$0.5776	\$26.16	I, 1
SC-1	10	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1869	\$0.0033	\$0.0321		\$0.7999	I, 1
LC-1	11	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$100.00	\$1.76	\$17.15	\$0.5776	\$118.91	I, P
LC-1	11	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1544	\$0.0027	\$0.0265		\$0.7612	I, N
ICD-1	12	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$180.00	\$3.17	\$30.87	\$0.5776	\$214.04	I, N
ICD-1	12	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0923	\$0.0016	\$0.0158		\$0.6873	I, N

(1) Base Rate Area 1 is composed of Western Slope and North Central. Base Rate Area 2 is composed of North Eastern, Arkansas Valley and Southwestern.

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	\$0.6979		\$(0.1203)		\$0.5776

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	Demand Side Mana	gement Cost Adjustmen	t ("DSMCA")
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate
R-1	2.10%	\$0.23	\$0.0048
SC-1	1.76%	\$0.39	\$0.0033
LC-1	1.76%	\$1.76	\$0.0027
ICD-1	1.76%	\$3.17	\$0.0016

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	General R	ate Schedule Adjustme	nt ("GRSA")	
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate	
R-1	17.15%	\$1.89	\$0.0391	
SC-1	17.15%	\$3.77	\$0.0321	
LC-1	17.15%	\$17.15	\$0.0265	
ICD-1	17.15%	\$30.87	\$0.0158	
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# North Central Colorado

Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 1)

# Rule 4406(b) Itemized Billing Units

		Volumetric C	harges Per Th	erm		Monthl	y Charge (Per )	Meter)	N N
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Distribution	<u>Gas Cost Ac</u> <u>Commodity</u>	<u>ljustment</u> Upstream <u>Pipeline</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	Total	<u>DSMCA</u>	Customer Charge 1/	<u>Total</u>	N N
R-1	\$0.2673	\$0.4693	\$0.1083	\$0.0048	\$0.8497	\$0.23	\$12.89	\$13.12	I, N
SC-1	\$0.2190	\$0.4693	\$0.1083	\$0.0033	\$0.7999	\$0.39	\$25.77	\$26.16	I, N
LC-1	\$0.1809	\$0.4693	\$0.1083	\$0.0027	\$0.7612	\$1.76	\$117.15	\$118.91	I, N
ICD-1	\$0.1081	\$0.4693	\$0.1083	\$0.0016	\$0.6873	\$3.17	\$210.87	\$214.04	I, N

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			Sales		y <b>Colorado</b> dule of Rates ate Area 2) (	•			
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Sheet <u>Number</u>	Type of <u>Charge</u>	Billing <u>Units</u>	Base <u>Rates</u>	DSMCA <u>(4)</u>	GRSA (5)	GCA (2)	Total	N N
R-2	9	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$10.00	\$0.32	\$0.76		\$11.08	I, 1
R-2	9	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.2070	\$0.0066	\$0.0157	\$0.6237	\$0.8530	I, 1
SC-2	10	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$20.00	\$0.54	\$1.51		\$22.05	1, 1
SC-2	10	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1424	\$0.0038	\$0.0108	\$0.6237	\$0.7807	I, 1
LC-2	11	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$100.00	\$2.68	\$7.57		\$110.25	I, I
LC-2	11	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1165	\$0.0031	\$0.0088	\$0.6237	\$0.7521	1, 1
ICD-2	12	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$40.00	\$1.07	\$3.03		\$44.10	I, I
ICD-2	12	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0702	\$0.0019	\$0.0053	\$0.6237	\$0.7011	I, 1

(1) Base Rate Area 1 is composed of Western Slope and North Central. Base Rate Area 2 is composed of North Eastern, Arkansas Valley and Southwestern.

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GCA Formula:Current Gas Cost<br/>\$0.6893+Deferred Gas Cost<br/>\$(0.0656)=GCA<br/>\$0.6237

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	Demand Side M	anagement Cost Adjust	ment ("DSMCA")
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate
R-2	3.16%	\$0.32	\$0.0066
SC-2	2.68%	\$0.54	\$0.0038
LC-2	2.68%	\$2.68	\$0.0031
ICD-2	2.68%	\$1.07	\$0.0019

(5) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the General Rate Schedule Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 8B summarized below:

	General R	ate Schedule Adjustmen	nt ("GRSA")	 
Rate Schedule R-2 SC-2 LC-2 ICD-2	Percent 7.57% 7.57% 7.57% 7.57%	<u>Monthly Rate</u> \$0.76 \$1.51 \$7.57 \$3.03	<u>Volumetric Rate</u> \$0.0157 \$0.0108 \$0.0088 \$0.0053	

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# Arkansas Valley Colorado

Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 2)

# Rule 4406(b) Itemized Billing Units

		Volumetric C	harges Per Th	ierm		Monthl	y Charge (Per l	Meter)	N N
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Distribution <u>1/</u>	<u>Gas Cost Ac</u> Commodity	<u>ljustment</u> Upstream <u>Pipeline</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	Customer Charge 1/	<u>Total</u>	N N
R-1	\$0.2227	\$0.4777	\$0.1460	\$0.0066	\$0.8530	\$0.32	\$10.76	\$11.08	I, 1
SC-1	\$0.1532	\$0.4777	\$0.1460	\$0.0038	\$0.7807	\$0.54	\$21.51	\$22.05	I, 1
LC-1	\$0.1253	\$0.4777	\$0.1460	\$0.0031	\$0.7521	\$2.68	\$107.57	\$110.25	I, 1
ICD-1	\$0.0755	\$0.4777	\$0.1460	\$0.0019	\$0.7011	\$1.07	\$43.03	\$44.10	I, 1

1/ Includes General Rate Schedule Adjustment ("GRSA") pursuant to Sheet No. 8B and in the amount shown on Sheet No. 7F (Note 5) for the corresponding class of service and type of charge.

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SourceGas Distribution LLC

Colo. PUC No. 7 Fifth Revised Sheet No. 7H

Cancels Fourth Revised Sheet No. 7H

Southwestern Colorado Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 2) (1)									
Rate Schedule	Sheet <u>Number</u>	Type of <u>Charge</u>	Billing <u>Units</u>	Base <u>Rates</u>	DSMCA ( <u>4)</u>	GRSA <u>(5)</u>	GCA (2)	Total	
R-2	9	Customer (3)	Per Meter	\$10.00	\$0.32	\$0.76		\$11.08	
R-2	9	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.2070	\$0.0066	\$0.0157	\$0.4152	\$0.6445	
SC-2	10	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$20.00	\$0.54	\$1.51		\$22.05	
SC-2	10	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1424	\$0.0038	\$0.0108	\$0.4152	\$0.5722	
LC-2	11	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$100.00	\$2.68	\$7.57		\$110.25	
LC-2	11	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1165	\$0.0031	\$0.0088	\$0.4152	\$0.5436	
ICD-2	12	Customer(3)	Per Meter	\$40.00	\$1.07	\$3.03		\$44.10	
ICD-2	12	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0702	\$0.0019	\$0.0053	\$0.4152	\$0.4926	

(2) The Company has the following five GCA Rate Areas: North Eastern, Western Slope, North Central, Arkansas Valley, and Southwestern. The GCA rates shown on this tariff sheet are subject to adjustment for changes in Company's cost of gas as provided for by the Gas Cost Adjustment provisions on Sheet Nos. 37-39 of this Tariff. The above GCA rates reflect a gas cost adjustment as follows:

GCA Formula:	Current Gas Cost	+	Deferred Gas Cost	=	<u>GCA</u>
	\$0.6486		\$(0.2334)		\$0.4152

(3) The Customer Charge shall be increased by \$40.00 per month for premises that avail themselves of the Extra Construction Allowance for the duration of the repayment period.

(4) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 13 summarized below:

	Demand Side M	lanagement Cost Adjust	ment ("DSMCA")
Rate Schedule	Percent	Monthly Rate	Volumetric Rate
R-2	3.16%	\$0.32	\$0.0066
SC-2	2.68%	\$0.54	\$0.0038
LC-2	2.68%	\$2.68	\$0.0031
ICD-2	2.68%	\$1.07	\$0.0019

(5) Base rates under this Tariff are adjusted by the General Rate Schedule Adjustment per Tariff Sheet No. 8B summarized below:

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olumetric Rate	Monthly Rate	Percent	Rate Schedule
\$0.0157	\$0.76	7.57%	R-2
 \$0.0108	\$1.51	7.57%	SC-2
\$0.0088	\$7.57	7.57%	LC-2
\$0.0053	\$3.03	7.57%	ICD-2

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# Southwestern Colorado

Sales Service Schedule of Rates (Included in Base Rate Area 2)

## Rule 4406(b) Itemized Billing Units

_	Volumetric Charges Per Therm					Monthly Charge (Per Meter)			
Rate <u>Schedule</u>	Distribution <u>1/</u>	<u>Gas Cost Ac</u> <u>Commodity</u>	<u>ljustment</u> Upstream <u>Pipeline</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>DSMCA</u>	Customer Charge 1/	Total	
R-1	\$0.2227	\$0.3313	\$0.0839	\$0.0066	\$0.6445	\$0.32	\$10.76	\$11.08	
SC-1	\$0.1532	\$0.3313	\$0.0839	\$0.0038	\$0.5722	\$0.54	\$21.51	\$22.05	
LC-1	\$0.1253	\$0.3313	\$0.0839	\$0.0031	\$0.5436	\$2.68	\$107.57	\$110.25	
ICD-1	\$0.0755	\$0.3313	\$0.0839	\$0.0019	\$0.4926	\$1.07	\$43.03	\$44.10	

1/ Includes General Rate Schedule Adjustment ("GRSA") pursuant to Sheet No. 8B and in the amount shown on Sheet No. 7H (Note 5) for the corresponding class of service and type of charge.

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Colo. PUC No. 7 Third Revised Sheet No. 7J

Cancels Second Revised Sheet No.7J

	Dis		ortation Service Sci (Base Rate Area 1)	hedule of Rates		
Rate Schedule	Type Of Charge	Billing Units	Maximum Rate (1)	Minimum Rate	Reference Sheet	N
RTS-1 RTS-1	Customer Volumetric	Per Meter Per Therm	\$12.89 \$0.2673	\$11.00 \$0.001	78 78	I, N I, N
SCTS-1 SCTS-1	Customer Volumetric	Per Meter Per Therm	\$25.77 \$0.2190	\$22.00 \$0.001	79 79	l, N I, N
LCTS-1 LCTS-1	Customer Volumetric	Per Meter Per Therm	\$117.15 \$0.1809	\$100.00 \$0.001	80 80	I, N I, N
ATS-1 ATS-1	Customer Volumetric	Per Meter Per Therm	\$210.87 \$0.1081	\$180.00 \$0.001	81 81	I, N I, N
(1) Maximum	rate includes General	Rate Schedule Adj	ustment per Tariff She	et No. 8B as summa	arized below:	N
		General I	Rate Schedule Adjustm	ent (GRSA")		
	Rate Schedule RTS-1 RTS-1 SCTS-1 SCTS-1 LCTS-1 LCTS-1 ATS-1 ATS-1	Billing Un Customer Volumetrie Customer Volumetrie Customer Volumetrie	17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15% 17.15%	Rate   \$1.89   \$0.0391   \$3.77   \$0.0321   \$17.15   \$0.0265   \$30.87   \$0.0158		
Monthly Admin	istrative Charge				\$175	
	ne customers					Т
Overrun Charge Authorize Unauthori	d Overrun Charge				Distribution Charge \$ 2.50 per Therm	
Other Rate Adju				Referer		
Litigated Se	<u>Description</u> ttlement Special Rate		<u>Service Are</u> ) Western Slope Co			

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#### Colo. PUC No. 7 Fourth Revised Sheet No. 7K Cancels Third Revised Sheet No. 7K

	Dis	tribution Transp	(Base Rate Area 2)	hedule of Rates		
Rate Schedule	Type Of Charge	Billing Units	Maximum Rate (1)	Minimum Rate	Reference Sheet	
RTS-2 RTS-2	Customer Volumetric	Per Meter Per Therm	\$10.76 \$0.2227	\$10.00 \$0.001	78 78	
SCTS-2	Customer	Per Meter	\$21.51	\$20.00	79	
SCTS-2	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1532	\$0.001	79	
LCTS-2	Customer	Per Meter	\$107.57	\$100.00	80	
LCTS-2	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.1253	\$0.001	80	
ATS-2	Customer	Per Meter	\$43.03	\$40.00	81	
ATS-2	Volumetric	Per Therm	\$0.0755	\$0.001	81	
(1) Maxir	num rate includes Ge	meral Rate Schedul	e Adjustment per Tariff	Sheet No. 8B as su	immarized below:	
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	Rate Schedule	Billing U		<u>R</u>	ate	
	RTS-2	Customer	7.57%		.76	
	RTS-2	Volumetric		\$0.01		
	SCTS-2	Customer	7.57%		.51	ł
	SCTS-2	Volumetric		\$0.01		
	LCTS-2	Customer	7.57%		.57	
	LCTS-2	Volumetric		\$0.00		
	ATS-2	Customer	7.57%		.03	
	ATS-2	Volumetric		\$0.00		
Ionthly Admin	istrative Charge				\$175	
uel reimbursen	nent quantity:					
Main Li	ne customers					
)verrun Charge	s:					
Authorized Unauthori	d Overrun Charge zed Overrun Charge .				Distribution Charge \$ 2.50 per Therm	
Other Rate Adju	istments:					
	Description		Service Area	Reference Sheet	Rate Per Therm	
	rtation Rate Adjustm		h Eastern Colorado	81 A	\$0.0549	
GT-1 Ra	ate Adjustment	Arka	insas Valley Colorado		\$0.0038	
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## SALES AND DISTRIBUTION TRANSPORTATION SERVICES GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT PERCENTAGE SUMMARY TABLE

## Base Rate Area 1:

The charge for gas service calculated under Company's base rate schedules shall be increased by 17.15%. Said increase shall not apply to charges determined by the Gas Cost Adjustment provision on Sheet No. 37.

Base Rate Area 2:

The charge for gas service calculated under Company's base rate schedules shall be increased by 7.57%. Said increase shall not apply to charges determined by the Gas Cost Adjustment provision on Sheet No. 37.

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William N. Cantrell Issuing Officer

President and CEO Title Issue Date: June 24, 2010

## SALES SERVICE RATE SCHEDULE

#### RESIDENTIAL SALES SERVICE

## RATE SCHEDULE R (R-1, R-2)

#### APPLICABILITY

This Rate Schedule is applicable to all Residential Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available. It is not applicable to Distribution Transportation Service or resale service.

#### RATE

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet Nos. 7B through 7D.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 2 are described on Sheet Nos. 7, 7A and 7F through 7I.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GAS COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Gas Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 37.

## DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 13.

#### GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable 15 days from date of bill and service is subject to discontinuance pursuant to the Company's Rules and Regulations. If a Customer is disconnected for non-payment, Customer will be subject to Special Charges, including a Reconnection Charge. For Special Charges refer to Sheet No. 8.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Residential Customers only. All services under this schedule are subject to the Company's applicable Rules and Regulations commencing on Sheet No. 40 and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## SALES SERVICE RATE SCHEDULE

SMALL COMMERCIAL SALES SERVICE (5,000 therms or less per year)

RATE SCHEDULE SC (SC-1, SC-2)

## APPLICABILITY

This Rate Schedule is applicable to all Small Commercial Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available. It is not applicable to Distribution Transportation Service or resale service.

## RATE

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet Nos. 7B through 7D.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 2 are described on Sheet Nos. 7, 7A and 7F through 7I.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

## GAS COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Gas Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 37.

## DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 13.

## GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

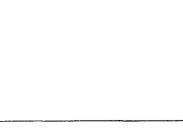
This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable 15 days from date of bill and service is subject to discontinuance pursuant to the Company's Rules and Regulations. If a Customer is disconnected for non-payment, Customer will be subject to Special Charges, including a Reconnection Charge. For Special Charges refer to Sheet No. 8.

### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Small Commercial Customers only. All services under this schedule are subject to the Company's applicable Rules and Regulations commencing on Sheet No. 40 and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.



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## SALES SERVICE RATE SCHEDULE

LARGE COMMERCIAL SALES SERVICE (Greater than 5,000 therms per year)

RATE SCHEDULE LC (LC-1, LC-2)

# APPLICABILITY

This Rate Schedule is applicable to all Large Commercial Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available. It is not applicable to Distribution Transportation Service or resale service.

## <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet Nos. 7B through 7D.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 2 are described on Sheet Nos. 7, 7A and 7F through 7I.

## FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GAS COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Gas Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 37.

### DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 13.

# GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable 15 days from date of bill and service is subject to discontinuance pursuant to the Company's Rules and Regulations. If a Customer is disconnected for non-payment, Customer will be subject to Special Charges, including a Reconnection Charge. For Special Charges refer to Sheet No. 8.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Large Commercial Customers only. All services are subject to the Company's Rules and Regulations commencing on Sheet No. 40 and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, and on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

Decision or Authority No. William N. Cantrell Issuing Officer Issue Date: June 24, 2010

## SALES SERVICE RATE SCHEDULE

#### IRRIGATION, CROP DRYING OR SEASONAL SALES SERVICE

RATE SCHEDULE ICD (ICD-1, ICD-2)

#### APPLICABILITY

This Rate Schedule is applicable to all Irrigation and Crop Drying Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available. Premises having residential services connected at the same premise shall be eligible for service under this rate schedule as long as the residential load connected constitutes a smaller portion of the entire connected load than the load connected for irrigation or crop drying. It is not applicable to Distribution Transportation Service or resale service. The Company's Irrigation Crop Drying or Seasonal Class shall also include seasonal customers. To be included in this class, seasonal customers must not consume natural gas from December 15 through March 15.

#### <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet Nos. 7B through 7D.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 2 are described on Sheet Nos. 7, 7A and 7F through 7I.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GAS COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Gas Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 37.

## DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT COST ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the Demand Side Management Cost Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 13.

## GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable 15 days from date of bill and service is subject to discontinuance pursuant to the Company's Rules and Regulations. If a Customer is disconnected for non-payment, Customer will be subject to Special Charges, including a Reconnection Charge. For Special Charges refer to Sheet No. 8.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared

by others. Service under this schedule is primarily for the use of Irrigation, Crop Drying or Seasonal purposes only. All services are subject to the Company's Rules and Regulations commencing on Sheet No. 40 and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, and on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## RESIDENTIAL DISTRIBUTION TRANPORTATION SERVICE

#### RATE SCHEDULE RTS (RTS-1, RTS-2)

## AVAILABILITY

This Rate Schedule is available to all Residential Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available.

# <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7J.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7K.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable subject to Distribution Transportation Service Agreement and the Company's Distribution Transportation Service General Terms and Conditions.

#### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Residential Distribution Transportation Service Customers only. All services under this schedule are subject to the Distribution Transportation Service Rate Schedule commencing on Sheet No. 81C and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## SMALL COMMERCIAL DISTRIBUTION TRANSPORTATION SERVICE (5,000 therms or less per year)

## RATE SCHEDULE SCTS (SCTS-1, SCTS-2)

## AVAILABILITY

This Rate Schedule is available to all Commercial Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available.

## <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7J.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7K.

# FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable subject to Distribution Transportation Service Agreement and the Company's Distribution Transportation Service General Terms and Conditions.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Small Commercial Distribution Transportation Service Customers only. All services under this schedule are subject to the Distribution Transportation Service Rate Schedule commencing on Sheet No. 81C and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## LARGE COMMERCIAL DISTRIBUTION TRANPORTATION SERVICE (Greater than 5,000 therms per year)

RATE SCHEDULE LCTS (LCTS-1, LCTS-2)

#### AVAILABILITY

This Rate Schedule is available to all Large Commercial Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available.

#### <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7J.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7K.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

### GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

## PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable subject to Distribution Transportation Service Agreement and the Company's Distribution Transportation Service General Terms and Conditions.

#### RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is for the use of Large Commercial Distribution Transportation Service Customers only. All services under this schedule are subject to the Distribution Transportation Service Rate Schedule commencing on Sheet No. 81C and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## IRRIGATION CROP DRYING OR SEASONAL DISTRIBUTION TRANPORTATION SERVICE

## RATE SCHEDULE ATS (ATS-1, ATS-2)

#### AVAILABILITY

This Rate Schedule is available to all Irrigation, Crop Drying or Seasonal Customers within the Company's service territory where natural gas is available. Premises having residential services connected at the same premise shall be eligible for service under this rate schedule as long as the residential load connected constitutes a smaller portion of the entire connected load than for irrigation or crop drying. To be included in this class, Seasonal Customers must not consume natural gas from December 15 through March 15.

#### <u>RATE</u>

Base Rate Area 1 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5A and 5B. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7J.

Base Rate Area 2 Customers are located in the areas described on Sheet Nos. 5, 5C and 5D. The applicable rates for Base Rate Area 1 are described on Sheet 7K.

#### FRANCHISE TAX SURCHARGE

Franchise taxes or charges imposed by any municipality will be surcharged only to the Customers of Company receiving service in such municipality. The appropriate franchise tax shall be applied to each Customer's charge and then set forth as a separate item, or surcharge, on that Customer's bill.

#### GENERAL RATE SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT

This rate is subject to the General Rate Schedule Adjustment tariff commencing on Sheet No. 8B.

#### PAYMENT

Bills for gas service are due and payable subject to Distribution Transportation Service Agreement and the Company's Distribution Transportation Service General Terms and Conditions.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

Natural gas service under this schedule is for the exclusive use of the Customer, and shall not be re-sold or shared by others. Service under this schedule is primarily for the use of irrigation and crop drying purposes. Irrigation and Crop Drying shall also include Seasonal Customers. All services under this schedule are subject to the Distribution Transportation Service Rate Schedule commencing on Sheet No. 81C and the General Terms and Conditions of this Tariff, together with such supplements thereto and revisions thereof as are from time-to-time in effect, provided that copies of all such rules shall be kept on file with the Public Utilities Commission of Colorado.

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## 1. AVAILABILITY

- 1.1 <u>Definition</u>. Distribution Transportation Service is the provision of capacity (separate from Company purchased natural gas supplies) on the Company's system for a customer who is responsible for procuring its own natural gas supplies. Distribution Transportation Service by Company consists of acceptance of gas tendered by Buyer to Company's Distribution Transportation System at the Point(s) of Receipt, and direct delivery, displacement delivery or exchange delivery for Buyer's account, including receipt at mainline measuring facilities. Distribution transportation service does not apply to wellhead, gathering, processing or storage facilities and services.
- 1.2. <u>Customer Class Definitions</u>. Only one class of service shall be furnished to an individual or corporation at a single address or location. A single request for service cannot apply to different locations. A single request cannot cover more than one meter.
  - a. <u>Residential Distribution Transportation Service</u>. Residential distribution transportation service is defined as service provided for domestic general household purposes in a space occupied as living quarters, typically designed for occupancy by one family. Typical service would include, but not be limited to the following: separately-metered units, such as a single private residence, single apartment, mobile home, low income housing unit, nursing home unit, a parsonage paid by the church, low income housing paid by a housing authority, and employee housing paid by the government or business entity. In addition, auxiliary buildings on the same premises as the living quarters, used for residential purposes, will also be considered residential usage.
  - b. <u>Small Commercial Distribution Transportation Service</u>. Small Commercial Distribution Transportation service is defined as service provided to non-residential premises such as a business enterprise in a space occupied and operated for non-residential purposes consuming 5,000 therms or less per year. Typical service would include, but not be limited to the following: nursing home, apartments, low income housing complex and a trailer park where natural gas is supplied through one meter, stores, offices, shops, restaurants, sorority and fraternity houses, boarding houses, hotels, service garages, filling stations, hospitals, schools, churches, service organizations, barber shops, beauty parlors, shopping malls, construction, communication, transportation and agricultural activities, excluding irrigation and crop drying Distribution Transportation Service Rate Schedule. This service shall also include service to industrial activities at non-residential premises used primarily for a process which creates or changes raw or unfinished materials into another form or product including mining, oil and gas extraction, and the generation of electric power.

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