

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Tolling Agreement. A tolling agreement or arrangement means that the owner of the electric generator has agreed with an LDC to convert natural gas owned and provided by the LDC to electricity owned by the LDC.

Total or Gross Heating Value. The term "total or gross heating value" means the total calorific value, expressed in Btus when one cubic foot of anhydrous gas at sixty degrees Fahrenheit (60 F) is combusted with dry air at the same temperature and the products of combustion are cooled to sixty degrees Fahrenheit (60 F). The Btu specified is on a higher heating value (HHV) basis. A conversion factor is required to convert lower heating value to a higher heating value basis to correctly calculate the expected fuel usage of certain equipment. For estimating purposes, the higher heating value of natural gas is approximately 10 percent more than the lower heating value.

Town Border Station (TBS). The term "Town Border Station" ("TBS") shall mean the physical location where the LDC receives gas from Northern. The TBS generally consists of facilities to regulate gas pressure and measure gas quality and volumes.

UAF. The term "UAF" shall mean unaccounted-for gas.

Unauthorized Gas. "Unauthorized Gas" shall mean any volumes delivered to Northern from receipt points which have not been nominated in any amount by any Shipper for that month and which have not been scheduled by Northern.

Valid Request. Any reference in this Tariff to a "valid request" used in conjunction with Section 26 "Requests for Service" shall also include any requests submitted electronically through Northern's Internet website.

Winter Season. The consecutive months November through March.

Wobbe Index - The term "Wobbe Index" shall mean a number which indicates the interchangeability of gas. The Wobbe Index is determined by dividing the higher heating value of the gas in Btu per standard cubic foot by the square root of its specific gravity with the respect to air. Wobbe Index is used as an indicator of the heat release rate of combustion equipment employing fixed orifices such as boilers, stoves, water heaters, and furnaces.