

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS

36. ANNUAL CHARGE ADJUSTMENT SURCHARGE TO RECOVER FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION EXPENSES

Northern will collect the Annual Charge Adjustment (ACA) unit surcharge, as calculated by the Commission, applicable to all of Northern's throughput rate schedules pursuant to the provisions of 18 CFR 154.402 of the Commission's Regulations to recover the annual charges assessed to Northern by the Commission pursuant to Part 382 of its Regulations. Northern intends to recover these costs under these tariff provisions and not in a NGA Section 4 rate case.

Shippers shall pay the ACA unit surcharge, as revised annually and posted on FERC's website at <http://www.ferc.gov>, which is incorporated herein by reference. The ACA unit surcharge is non-discountable.