

PRIORITY USE PROGRAM - SCHEDULE PUP-1

The Company may limit or deny gas service to new customers and additional service to existing customers when the Company determines it is necessary to conserve remaining supplies of natural gas or if the supplies are totally depleted. A limitation or denial shall be imposed in a uniform manner with the lowest priority being restricted first. For control purposes five priorities of use are established with Priority 5 consisting of the lowest priority use and Priority 1 the highest priority use.

Definitions

Priority 1 - additional service to existing residential firm customers.

Priority 2 - additional service to existing small volume (under 10 decatherms per day) commercial and industrial customers to not more than an additional 10 decatherms per day.

Priority 3 - new residential firm customers.

Priority 4 - new commercial and industrial customers of 10 decatherms per day or less.

Priority 5 - additional service to existing large volume (over 10 decatherms per day) and new commercial and industrial customers 10 decatherms per day and larger. Interruptible customers are limited to loads not exceeding 200 decatherms per day.

Under the Priority Use Program, applications for interruptible service shall be treated independently from applications for firm service, in that different limitations or denials of service may be imposed upon each type of customer depending upon the characteristics of the available gas supply and the type of service requested.

Service is available within all priority categories 1-5 of the Company's Priority Use Program, limited as follows:

1. New and additional service to all firm customers to maximum individual customer daily requirements of less than 50 decatherms.
2. New and additional service to all interruptible customers to maximum individual customer daily requirements of less than 200 decatherms.