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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Public Utility Commission of Oregon
Attention: Filing Center
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**Re: Compliance Filing
Revisions to Schedule C:
Late Charges on Customer Deposits**

Northwest Natural Gas Company, dba NW Natural (“NW Natural” or “Company”), files herewith, the following revisions to its Tariff P.U.C. Or. 25¹ (“the Tariff”), stated to become effective on and after January 1, 2018:

Fourth Revision of Sheet C-1,
Schedule C,
“Miscellaneous Charges and Credits.”

This filing is made in compliance with Order 17-477 issued in Docket UM 779, and in accordance with OAR 860-022-0025 and OAR 860-021-210.

The purpose of this filing is to revise Schedule C to reflect the change in late payment rate from 1.9 percent to 2.0 percent pursuant to Order 17-477.

The Company respectfully requests that the tariff sheet filed herewith be permitted to become effective with service on and after January 1, 2018.

In accordance with ORS 757.205, copies of this letter and the filing made herewith are available in the Company's main office in Portland, Oregon, and on the Company's website at www.nwnatural.com.

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¹ Tariff P.U.C. Or. 25 originated November 1, 2012 with Docket UG 221; OPUC Order No. 12-408 as supplemented by Order No. 12-437, and was filed pursuant to ORS 767.205 and OAR 860-022-0005.

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Sincerely,

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NORTHWEST NATURAL GAS COMPANY

P.U.C. Or. 25

Fourth Revision of Sheet C-1
Cancels Third Revision of Sheet C-1

SCHEDULE C MISCELLANEOUS CHARGES AND CREDITS

APPLICABLE:

To all Customers served by the Company under the Tariff of which this Schedule is a part.

PURPOSE:

To describe and summarize the charges and credits that may apply to Customers in addition to the rates established in the Rate Schedule or Service Agreement under which Customer receives service. See the DESCRIPTION OF CHARGES provision of this Schedule for specific terms and conditions.

SUMMARY OF CHARGES and CREDITS:

Late Payment Charge	2.0% of unpaid balance per payment period, but no less than \$3.00	(C)
Charge for Payment Not Honored (per incident)	\$ 15.00	
Service Reconnection Charges		
Scheduled 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Mon.-Fri. (except Holidays)	\$ 30.00	
Scheduled after 5:00 p.m., Mon.-Fri.	\$ 80.00	
Same Day after 5:00 p.m. Mon-Fri, or on Saturday or on a Holiday	\$100.00	
Service Reconnection Charges – Curtailment Order		
8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Mon.-Fri. (except Holidays)	\$ 150.00	
After 5:00 p.m. Mon.-Fri. and on weekends or Holidays	\$ 600.00	
Inaccessible Meter Charge – Installation of Shut-off Valve	\$ 250.00	
Field Visit Charge	\$ 20.00	
Meter Interference	Actual costs of damages, repairs and any additional or unusual costs or services directly related to the meter interference, plus the amount of unbilled gas determined to have been lost, plus applicable Service Reconnection Charges.	
Unauthorized Use – failure to comply with Curtailment Order	\$ 10.00 per therm	
CSR Assisted Automated Payment Charge	\$ 2.50 per check	
Summary Billing Charge		
One-time time set up fee, per account	\$ 5.00	
Per account billed per month	\$ 1.00	

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