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Rules and Regulations
Governing the Intrastate Transportation by Pipeline of

## CRUDE PETROLEUM From and To Points Within the State of Texas

Rules and Regulations published herein apply only under tariffs which make specific reference by number to this tariff; such reference will include successive issues hereof. Special rules and regulations published in Section II hereof will take precedence over the rules and regulations published in Section I hereof.

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## Section I Rules and Regulations

The following nineteen (1-19) Rules are reprinted here pursuant to the requirements of the Texas Railroad Commission Title 16 Part 1 Chapter 3 Rule§ 3.71. The Rules and Regulations set forth in this Section I are subject to the Special Rules and Regulations set forth in Section II hereof.

Carrier (herein generally referred to as "the pipeline", in this tariff) will accept Crude Petroleum (referred to variously in this tariff as "crude oil", "crude", "oil", and "marketable oil", and defined in Rule 1 below) for intrastate transportation by pipeline from the point of origin to the point of destination named in this tariff, subject to the following rules and regulations.

### Rule 1 All Marketable Oil to Be Received For Transportation

By the term "marketable oil" is meant any crude petroleum adapted for refining or fuel purposes, properly settled and containing not more than two percent of basic sediment, water, or other impurities above a point six inches below the pipeline connection with the tank. Pipelines shall receive for transportation all such "marketable oil" tendered; but the pipeline shall not be required to receive for shipment from any one person an amount exceeding 3,000 barrels of petroleum in any one day; and, if the oil tendered for transportation differs materially in character from that usually produced in the field and being transported therefrom by the pipeline, then it shall be transported under such terms as the shipper and the owner of the pipeline may agree or the Railroad Commission of Texas ("Commission") may require.

### Rule 2 Basic Sediment, How Determined - Temperature

In determining the amount of sediment, water, or other impurities, the pipeline is authorized to make a test of the oil offered for transportation from an average sample from each such tank, by the use of centrifugal machine, or by the use of any other appliance agreed upon by the pipeline and the shipper. The same method of ascertaining the amount of the sediment, water or other impurities shall be used in the delivery as in the receipt of oil. The pipeline shall not be required to receive for transportation, nor shall consignee be required to accept as a delivery, any oil of a higher temperature than 90 degrees Fahrenheit, except that during the summer oil shall be received at any atmospheric temperature and may be delivered at like temperature. Consignee shall have the same right to test the oil upon delivery at destination that the pipeline has to test before receiving from the shipper.

### Rule 3 "Barrel" Defined

For the purpose of these rules, a "barrel" of crude petroleum is declared to be 42 gallons of 231 cubic inches per gallon at sixty degrees Fahrenheit (60°F).

### Rule 4 Oil Involved in Litigation, Etc. - Indemnity against Loss

When any oil offered for transportation is involved in litigation, or the ownership is in dispute, or when the oil appears to be encumbered by lien or charge of any kind, the pipeline may require of shippers an indemnity bond to protect it against all loss.

### Rule 5 Storage

The pipeline shall provide, without additional charge, sufficient storage, such as is incidental and necessary to the transportation of oil, including storage at destination or so near thereto as to be available for prompt delivery to destination point, for five days from the date of order of delivery at destination.

### Rule 6 Identity of Oil, Maintenance of Oil

The pipeline may deliver to consignee, either the identical oil received for transportation, subject to such consequences of mixing with other oil as are incidental to the usual pipeline transportation, or it may make delivery from its common stock at destination; provided, if this last be done, the delivery shall be of substantially like kind and market value.

### Rule 7 Minimum Quantity to Be Received

The pipeline shall not be required to receive less than one tank carload of oil when oil is offered for loading into tank cars at destination of the pipeline. When oil is offered for transportation for other than tank car delivery, a pipeline shall not be required to receive less than 500 barrels.

### Rule 8 Gathering Charges

Tariffs to be filed by a pipeline shall specify separately the charges for gathering of the oil, for transportation, and for delivery.

### Rule 9 Gauging, Testing and Deductions

(Reference Commission Special Order No. 20-63, 098, Effective June 18, 1973).

- (A) All crude oil tendered to the pipeline shall be gauged and tested by a representative of the pipeline prior to its receipt by the pipeline. The shipper may be present or represented at the gauging and testing. Quantities shall be computed from correctly compiled tank tables showing 100% of the full capacity of the tanks.
- (B) As an alternative to the method of measurement provided in subparagraph (A) of this Rule, crude oil and condensate may be measured and tested, before transfer of custody to the initial transporter, by:
  - (i) lease automatic custody transfer (LACT) equipment, provided such equipment is installed and operated in accordance with the latest revision of American Petroleum Institute (API) Manual of Petroleum Measurement Standards, Chapter 6.1, or;
  - (ii) any device or method, approved by the commission or its delegate, which yields accurate measurements of crude oil or condensate.

- (C) Adjustments shall be made for temperature from the nearest whole number degree to the basis of 60°F and to the nearest 5/10 API degree gravity in accordance with the volume correction Tables 5A and 6A contained in API Standard 2540, American Society for Testing Materials 01250, Institute of Petroleum 200, first edition, August 1980. The pipeline may deduct the basic sediment, water, and other impurities as shown by the centrifugal or other test agreed upon; and 1% for evaporation and loss during transportation. The net balance shall be the quantity deliverable by the pipeline. In allowing the deductions, it is not the intention of the commission to affect any tax or royalty obligations imposed by the laws of Texas on any producer or shipper of crude oil.
- (D) A transfer of custody of crude between transporters is subject to measurement as agreed upon by the transporters.

### Rule 10 Delivery and Demurrage

The pipeline shall transport oil with reasonable diligence, considering the quality of the oil, the distance of transportation and other material elements, but at any time after receipt of a consignment of oil, upon 24 hours' notice to the consignee, may offer oil for delivery from its common stock at the point of destination, conformable to Rule 6 of this tariff, at a rate not exceeding 10,000 barrels per day of 24 hours. Computation of time of storage (as provided for in Rule 5 of this tariff) shall begin at the expiration of such notice. At the expiration of the time allowed in Rule 5 of this tariff for storage at destination, the pipeline may assess a demurrage charge on oil offered for delivery and remaining undelivered, at a rate for the first 10 days of \$.001 per barrel and thereafter at a rate of \$.0075 per barrel, for each day of 24 hours or fractional part thereof.

### Rule 11 Unpaid Charges, Lien For and Sale to Cover

The pipeline shall have a lien on all oil to cover charges for transportation, including demurrage, and it may withhold delivery of oil until the charges are paid. If the charges shall remain unpaid for more than 5 days after notice of readiness to deliver, the pipeline may sell the oil at public auction at the general office of the pipeline on any day not a legal holiday. The date for the sale shall be not less than 48 hours after publication of notice in a daily newspaper of general circulation published in San Antonio, Texas, the city where the general office of the pipeline is located. The notice shall give the time and place of the sale, and the quantity of the oil to be sold. From the proceeds of the sale, the pipeline may deduct all charges lawfully accruing, including demurrage, and all expenses of the sale. The net balance shall be paid to the person lawfully entitled thereto.

### Rule 12 Notice of Claims

Notice of claim for loss, damage or delay in connection with the shipment of oil must be made in writing to the pipeline within 91 days after the damage, loss, or delay occurred. If the claim is for failure to make delivery, the claim must be made within 91 days after a reasonable time for delivery has elapsed.

### Rule 13 Telephone - Telegraph Line - Shipper to Use

If the pipeline maintains a private telegraph or telephone line, a shipper may use it without extra charge, for messages incident to shipments. However, the pipeline shall not be held liable for

failure to deliver any messages away from its office or for delay in transmission or for interruption of service.

### Rule 14 Contracts of Transportation

When a consignment of oil is accepted, the pipeline shall give the shipper a run ticket, and shall give the shipper a statement that shows the amount of oil received for transportation, the points of origin and destination, corrections made for temperature, deductions made for impurities, and the rate for such transportation.

### Rule 15 Shipper's Tanks, Etc. - Inspection

When a shipment of oil has been offered for transportation, the pipeline shall have the right to go upon the premises where the oil is produced or stored, and have access to any and all tanks or storage receptacles for the purpose of making any examination, inspection, or test authorized by these Rules and Regulations.

#### Rule 16 Offers In Excess Of Facilities

If oil is offered to the pipeline for transport in excess of the amount that can be immediately transported, the transportation furnished by the pipeline shall be apportioned among all shippers in proportion to the amounts offered by each; but no offer for transportation shall be considered beyond the amount which the person requesting the shipment then has ready for shipment by the pipeline. The pipeline shall be considered as a shipper of oil produced or purchased by itself and held for shipment through its line, and its oil shall be entitled to participate in such apportionment.

### Rule 17 Interchange of Tonnage

Pipelines shall provide the necessary connections and facilities for the exchange of tonnage at every locality reached by two or more pipelines, when the Commission finds that a necessity exists for connection, and under such regulations as said Commission may determine in each case.

### Rule 18 Receipt and Delivery - Necessary Facilities For

The pipeline shall install and maintain facilities for the receipt and delivery of marketable crude petroleum of shippers at any point on its line if the Commission finds that a necessity exists therefor, and under regulations by the Commission.

### Rule 19 Report of Loss from Fire, Lightning and Leakage

- (A) The pipeline shall immediately notify the commission district office, electronically or by telephone, of each fire that occurs at any oil tank owned or controlled by the pipeline, or of any tank struck by lightning. The pipeline shall in like manner report each break or leak in any of its tanks or pipelines from which more than five barrels escape. The pipeline shall file the required information with the commission in accordance with the appropriate commission form within 30 days from the date of the spill or leak.
- (B) No risk of fires, storm, flood or act of God, and no risk resulting from riot, insurrection, rebellion, war, an act of the public enemy, or from quarantine or authority of law or any

order, requisition or necessity of the government of the United States in time of war, shall be borne by the pipeline, nor shall any liability accrue to it from any damage thereby occasioned. If loss of any crude oil from any such causes occurs after the oil has been received for transportation, and before it has been delivered to the consignee, the shipper shall bear a loss in such proportion as the amount of his shipment is to all of the oil held in transportation by the pipeline at the time of such loss, and the shipper shall be entitled to have delivered only such portion of his shipment as may remain after a deduction of his due proportion of such loss, but in such event the shipper shall be required to pay charges only on the quantity of oil delivered. This rule shall not apply if the loss occurs because of negligence of the pipeline.

(C) Common carrier pipelines shall mail (return receipt requested) or hand deliver to landowners (persons who have legal title to the property in question) and residents (persons whose mailing address is the property in question) of land upon which a spill or leak has occurred, all spill or leak reports required by the commission for that particular spill or leak within 30 days of filing the required reports with the commission. Registration with the commission by landowners and residents for the purpose of receiving spill or leak reports shall be required every five years, with renewal registration starting January 1, 1999. If a landowner or resident is not registered with the commission, the common carrier is not required to furnish such reports to the resident or landowner.

## Section II Special Rules and Regulations

To the extent there is a conflict between the language in this Section II and any applicable language in Section I, the language in this Section II shall control.

### Special Rule 1 Definitions

API American Petroleum Institute.

API Gravity determined in accordance with ASTM designation and

expressed in degrees.

ASTM American Society for Testing Materials.

Base Period Forty two (42) gallons of two hundred thirty-one (231) cubic inches per

gallon at sixty degrees Fahrenheit (60°F).

Barrel or barrel Means the previous twenty-four (24) Months beginning with the twenty-

eighth (28) Month prior to the month of prorationing. Months where no

prorationing is in effect will be included in the Base Period.

Capacity The quantity of Crude Petroleum the Pipeline Segment at issue is capable

of transporting under the current operating conditions.

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Crude Petroleum or Product The direct liquid product of oil wells or a mixture of the direct product of oil wells and the indirect petroleum products resulting either from refining crude oil or the operation of gasoline recovery plants, gas recycling plants, or distillate recovery equipment in gas and distillate fields, or products broken out during the normal production or processing of natural gas and

meeting the specifications referenced in Special Rule 2.

Committed Shipper Any Shipper that has signed a Shipper Agreement with Carrier.

Day or day

Means a period of twenty four (24) consecutive hours commencing at

7:00 A.M., Central Daylight Time, on a calendar day and ending at 7:00

A.M., Central Daylight time, on the next succeeding calendar day.

Delivery Point(s) The outlet flange of the Pipeline where the Product is delivered by Carrier

into Shipper's storage, at the point of interconnection between the outlet flange of the Pipeline and the inlet flange of such storage near the custody meter at a terminal located in Elmendorf, Texas or any other mutually

agreeable delivery point(s).

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Firm Service

Means the category of service provided to Committed Shippers with priority treatment during Months when apportionment or curtailment for operational necessity occurs.

Force Majeure

The term "Force Majeure" shall include acts of God (and threats thereof), acts or Laws of any Governmental Authority (and acts taken to comply therewith), acts of war, or acts of terrorists; storm, flood, earthquakes, sinkholes, extreme weather, or precautions taken in accordance with Good Industry Practice against any threats (which, in the reasonable judgment of the Party claiming Force Majeure, are bona fide threats) of storm, flood, sinkholes, or extreme weather; accident, fire, freezing, explosions, or breakdown of or accident to machinery or equipment (except to the extent set forth below); quarantine on authority of law; strikes or other industrial, civil, or public disturbances, insurrections, or rebellions; interruptions in Shipper's supply of crude oil (except to the extent set forth below); limited periods of scheduled maintenance or inspections at downstream facilities as may be mutually agreed to between Shipper and Carrier in a Shipper Agreement; or any other cause reasonably beyond the control of the Party experiencing Force Majeure, whether similar or dissimilar to the causes herein enumerated. Force Majeure shall include any maintenance, testing, inspections or repairs of or to the Pipeline relating to, resulting from, caused by, made necessary by, or arising in connection with other events of Force Majeure. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the term "Force Majeure" shall not include or excuse any of the following: (a) Shipper's or Carrier's decision to cease, or materially reduce, or change its operations in the market area served by the Pipeline; (b) Shipper's or Carrier's financial condition; (c) Shipper's or Carrier's obligation to pay money that has become due under the Agreement; (d) any accident, fire, freezing, explosions, or breakdown of or accident to machinery or equipment resulting from the failure of the affected Party to perform maintenance, testing, inspections, and repairs of or to assets and facilities in accordance with Good Industry Practice; (e) either Party's failure to perform any release, indemnity, defense, hold harmless, or similar obligations in this Tariff or a Shipper Agreement; (f) shortages or failures of, or interruptions in, Shipper's sources or supply of crude oil in excess of three (3) consecutive Months; or (g) interruptions in Shipper's supply of Crude Petroleum resulting from, caused by, or arising out of any act or omission of Shipper that is within the reasonable control of Shipper.

Force Majeure Event An event caused by Force Majeure.

Good Industry
Practice

Generally accepted pipeline industry standards and pipeline industry practices and procedures.

Governmental Authority Any federal, state, or local government or other political subdivision thereof, any entity exercising executive, legislative, judicial, regulatory, or administrative functions of or pertaining to government or any other authority, agency, department, board, commission, or instrumentality of the United States, any state of the United States, or any political subdivision thereof, whether civil or military, and any court,

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tribunal or arbitrator(s) of competent jurisdiction, and any governmental or non-governmental self regulatory organization, agency, or authority.

Hazardous Waste Any material defined as hazardous waste under any environmental,

health, or safety Law, including the Resources Conservation and

Recovery Act of 1976.

Law Any applicable federal, state, local, municipal or other administrative

order, constitution, ordinance, law, decree, directive, injunction, order, permit, requirement, statute, regulation, rule, or code issued or

promulgated by a Governmental Authority.

Line Fill Has the meaning set forth in Special Rule 12.

Minimum Monthly

Payment 1

Means a payment made by a Committed Shipper as determined in

accordance with a T&D Agreement.

Minimum Volume Requirement The volume set forth in Special Rule 14.

Month or month Means a calendar month beginning at 7:00 A.M., Central Time, on the first

Day of the calendar month and ending at 7:00 A.M., Central Time, on the

first Day of the next succeeding calendar month.

New Shipper Any Uncommitted Shipper who does not qualify as a Regular Shipper.

Nomination A request by a Shipper to Carrier, to accept a stated quantity and grade

of Crude Petroleum for transportation from a specified Receipt Point(s) to

a specified Delivery Point in accordance with this Tariff.

Party Either Carrier or Shipper.

Pipeline Carrier's Hobson Lateral Pipeline, including owned and leased pipeline

facilities, to which this Tariff applies.

Pipeline Loss Allowance Has the meaning set forth in Special Rule 21.

Pipeline Segment Section of Carrier's Pipeline, the limits of which are defined by two

geographically identifiable points, that, because of the way that section of Carrier's Pipeline is designed and operated, must be treated as a unit for

purposes of determining Capacity.

Railroad Commission of Texas or RRC Means the Governmental Authority with which Carrier's Tariffs governing the Pipeline are filed or any successor Governmental Authority thereto.

Receipt Point(s)

A point named in the Tariff or corresponding to a point in an applicable

Shipper Agreement at which point Carrier will accept Crude Petroleum for

transportation.

Reid Vapor Pressure The absolute vapor pressure exert by a liquid at 100° F (37.8°C), as

determined by the test method ASTM-D-323.

Regular Shipper

Any Shipper other than a Committed Shipper who either tendered or received deliveries during each month of the Base Period or previously has been classified as a Regular Shipper. For the purposes of apportionment, Committed Shipper Barrels Nominated in excess of that Shipper's Firm Service allotment shall be treated as Regular Shipper Barrels

Barrels.

Shipper A Committed Shipper or an Uncommitted Shipper.

Shipper Agreement Means a T&D Agreement or a TSA Agreement.

Tank Bottoms Has the meaning set forth in Special Rule 12.

Tariff(s) Means either individually or collectively, (a) Carrier's Tariff Containing the

Rules and Regulations Applicable to the Pipeline (the "Rules and Regulations"), and/or (b) Carrier's Tariff Containing the Rates Applicable to the Pipeline (the "Rates Tariff"), both filed with the Railroad

Commission of the State of Texas.

Tender A delivery by a Shipper to Carrier of a stated quantity and grade of Crude

Petroleum, under a Nomination accepted by Carrier, for transportation in

accordance with this Tariff.

**Total Available** 

Capacity

The delivery Capacity available to Shippers as determined by Carrier,

subject to change based on operating conditions.

TSA Agreement A Transportation Services Agreement executed by a Committed Shipper

and Carrier.

T&D Agreement A Throughput and Deficiency Agreement executed by a Committed

Shipper and Carrier.

**Uncommitted** 

**Shipper** 

Means a Regular Shipper or New Shipper complying with all applicable

terms of Carrier's Tariffs, who Nominates product for transportation

without having an effective Shipper Agreement with Carrier.

Working Day Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, or Friday of a calendar week,

except when a Federal holiday falls on such day of the week.

### Special Rule 2 Acceptance of Crude Petroleum

(A) Carrier will reject Crude Petroleum containing more than one percent (1%) of basic sediment, water, and other impurities, except that:

(1) If required by operating conditions, Carrier will reject Crude Petroleum containing less than one percent (1%) of basic sediment, water, and other impurities.

- (2) Sediment and water specifications of a connecting Carrier will be imposed upon Carrier (and thus, upon Shippers) when such limits are more restrictive than that of the Carrier, in which case the limitations of the downstream connecting carrier will be applied, and Carrier shall file to amend this Tariff.
- (B) Carrier will reject Crude Petroleum for transportation which has a sulfur content that exceeds 5,000 PPM. Carrier does understand the production variations of lease produced crude and will allow periodic fluctuations of sulfur as productions comes online.
- (C) Carrier will reject Crude Petroleum for transportation which has a gravity below 45 degrees API or above 58 degrees API.
- (D) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum which contains organic chlorides.
- (E) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum which contains any Hazardous Waste.
- (F) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum having Reid Vapor Pressure in excess of 10 pounds above a temperature of 100 degrees Fahrenheit.
- (G) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum where the Shipper has failed to comply with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations made by any Governmental Authority regulating shipments of Crude Petroleum.
- (H) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum with a wax appearance temperature, or cloud point, at or above 60 degrees Fahrenheit.
- (I) Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum that is contaminated by the existence of and/or excess amounts of impure substances, including but not limited to chlorinated and/or exygenated hydrocarbons, arsenic, lead, and/or other metals.
- (J) Notwithstanding the foregoing, Carrier, may waive the requirements set forth in Sections (A) through (I) of this Special Rule 2 on a non-discriminatory basis. If Carrier agrees in writing to accept Crude Petroleum that does not meet all of the applicable quality specifications in this Special Rule 2, then, as to such Crude Petroleum (but only as to the specifications waived), Shipper shall be deemed to be in compliance with this Special Rule 2, but only until such time as Carrier may withdraw any such agreement or waiver (which may occur at any time and for any non-discriminatory reason, at Carrier's sole discretion).

### Special Rule 3 Additives

Crude Petroleum shall be free of any additives and inhibitors, including drag reducing agents other than paraffin additives, unless expressly approved by Carrier on a non-discriminatory basis.

### Special Rule 4 Storage

Carrier operates working tankage required for transporting Crude Petroleum on the Pipeline, but has no facilities available for rendering or offering nonincidental storage, as part of transportation services provided under this Tariff.

### Special Rule 5 Pipeage or Other Contracts

Separate pipeage and other contracts, in accordance with this Tariff and these regulations covering further details, may be required by Carrier before any duty to Regular Shippers and New Hobson Lateral Pipeline

Shippers for transportation shall arise. Such separate contracts shall not be required in the case of Committed Shippers unless specified in the applicable Shipper Agreement.

### Special Rule 6 Destination Facilities Required

Carrier will refuse to accept Crude Petroleum for transportation unless documentary evidence is furnished that the Shipper has provided the necessary facilities for the prompt receiving of Crude Petroleum. Such documentary evidence shall not be required from a Committed Shipper unless the applicable Shipper Agreement specifically so requires. If a Regular Shipper or a New Shipper is unable or refuses to receive said Crude Petroleum as it arrives at Delivery Point, Carrier reserves the right to make arrangement for disposition of the Crude Petroleum as it deems appropriate (including sale of same, pursuant to the procedures set forth in Special Rule 17(E)), in order to clear the Carrier's pipeline. Any additional expenses incurred by Carrier in making such arrangements shall be borne by the Shipper. If a Committed Shipper is unable or refuses to receive said Crude Petroleum as it arrives at Delivery Point, Carrier's remedies shall be as set forth in the applicable Shipper Agreement.

### Special Rule 7 Rejection of Crude Petroleum Subject to Dispute, Liens, or Charges; Warranty of Title

Carrier will reject any Crude Petroleum which, when Nominated for transportation, may be involved in litigation, or the title of which may be in dispute, or which may be encumbered by lien or charge of any kind unless the Shipper provides documentary evidence of the Shipper's unencumbered title or satisfactory indemnity bond to protect Carrier. By nominating Crude Petroleum, the Shipper warrants and guarantees that it owns or controls, has the right to deliver or have delivered for its account, such Crude Petroleum, and agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold Carrier harmless for any and all loss, cost, liability, damage, and/or expense resulting from failure of ownership or control thereto, provided that acceptance for transport by Carrier shall not be deemed: (a) a representation by Carrier as to ownership or control or (b) a waiver of Carrier's rights hereunder.

### Special Rule 8 Measurement

The quantity of Crude Petroleum handled hereunder shall be determined by the custody transfer meter. Meter proving procedures and reports shall be in accordance with current American Petroleum Institute ("API") guidelines. Meter tickets and the meter proving report shall be the only recognized documents for custody transfer. It is agreed that, unless such is not possible due to instrument or mechanical failure of meters, the measurement system proving and calibration is to be made at the custody transfer meter. The measurement system shall be proven and calibrated during each calendar month, or for each crude type or for a flow rate change of more than +/-10%, or for a gravity change of more than 5 degrees from the prior calibration, or any condition which results in a meter factor variation of more than 0.0010. It is agreed that, in the event of meter failure during the course of transfer and discharge operations at the custody transfer meter, adjustment will be made based on pipeline information supplied by the Shipper and Carrier. Unless otherwise provided for herein, applicable sections of the API Manual of Petroleum Measurement Standards are to be observed and apply as to any measurement by mutually agreeable meters and/or pipeline measurement, as well as the sampling of crude oil at the custody transfer meter. Corrections will be made for temperature from observed degrees Fahrenheit to 60 degrees Fahrenheit.

Carrier will adjust any overage or short of Crude Petroleum with Shippers to allow for inherent losses or gains, including but not limited to shrinkage, evaporation, interface mixture, product

measurements, and other physical losses not due to negligence of Carrier. The adjustments for losses or gains will be allocated by grade by month, among the Shippers in the proportion that the total number of Barrels of a given grade delivered out of the system, by grade, for each Shipper, bears to the total number of barrels of that grade delivered out of the system for all Shippers.

### Special Rule 9 Evidence of Receipts and Deliveries

Crude Petroleum received from Shipper shall, in each instance, be evidenced by tickets or Carrier's statements containing data essential to the determination of quantity. Carrier will provide Shipper with a Monthly statement on or before the fifth (5th) Working Day of each calendar Month which will include the number of Barrels delivered or redelivered though each Meter during the immediately preceding calendar month and Carrier's calculation of Barrels for each Meter.

### Special Rule 10 Duty of Carrier

- (A) Carrier shall not be required to transport Crude Petroleum except with reasonable diligence, considering the quality of the Crude Petroleum, the distance of transportation, and other material elements, and will not accept Crude Petroleum to be transported in time for any particular market. Carrier will not be required to deliver the identical Crude Petroleum received.
- (B) Carrier may suspend transport services on the Pipeline in order to comply with applicable Laws of any Governmental Authority, to perform maintenance, testing, inspections, or repairs; to attach new Receipt Point(s) or Delivery Point(s), or other interconnections to the Pipeline, or to prevent injuries to persons, damage to property, or harm to the environment, without incurring any obligation relating thereto (except for a proportionate decrease in the Minimum Monthly Payment, if applicable, as provided in a Shipper Agreement). Carrier will provide Shipper with at least fifteen (15) days advance notice of any routine or scheduled maintenance, testing, or interconnections on the Pipeline.

### Special Rule 11 Pro Rata Utilities

In addition to the any rates payable under a Tariff, Shipper will be responsible for either providing or reimbursing Carrier for its pro-rata share of the monthly utilities required to operate the Pipeline, provided that, with respect to a Committed Shipper, such obligation shall be subject to the applicable provisions, if any, in the Shipper Agreement.

### Special Rule 12 Line Fill and Tank Bottom Inventory Requirements

Carrier will require each Shipper to supply its pro rata share (as set forth in the following paragraph) of Crude Petroleum necessary for pipeline fill ("Line Fill") and tankage inventory ("Tank Bottoms") to ensure efficient operation of the Pipeline prior to Shipper delivering any volumes to the Pipeline. Carrier reserves the right to waive, in its sole discretion, the application of this Special Rule 12 as to any Shipper; provided, that such waiver does not affect the calculation of the pro rata shares of Line Fill or Tank Bottoms, as applicable, owed by any other Shipper. Shipper may, in its discretion, contract with a third party to supply Shipper's pro rata share of Line Fill or Tank Bottom volumes, as applicable; provided, in such case Shipper shall remain obligated to supply any increases in its pro rata share as determined by Carrier from time to time under this Special Rule 12.

As used herein, the term "pro rata share" of Line Fill or Tank Bottoms for a Shipper on the Pipeline means a fraction of the total amount of Product required for Line Fill or Tank Bottoms, as applicable, in the Pipeline, with the numerator of such fraction (a) for Committed Shippers, being equal to the Firm Service allotment for such Shipper or (b) for Uncommitted Shippers, such Shipper's Nomination, and the denominator of such fraction being equal to the total Capacity of the Pipeline.

Crude Petroleum provided by a Shipper for this purpose may be withdrawn only after: (1) Shipper's shipments have ceased, Shipper has notified Carrier in writing to discontinue shipments in Carrier's Pipeline and such Shipper's balances have been reconciled between all Shippers and Carrier; or (2) where after recalculation of pro rata shares (as set forth in the following paragraph), Shipper's applicable inventory of Line Fill or Tank Bottoms exceeds is applicable pro rata share. Carrier, in its reasonable discretion, may require advance payment of transportation charges on the volumes to be cleared from Carrier's system, and any unpaid accounts receivable, before final delivery will be made. Unless Shipper has not met the foregoing conditions, or Carrier is otherwise delayed (i) by Force Majeure or (ii) by actions of the Shipper, Carrier shall have a reasonable period of time, not to exceed ninety (90) days, from the receipt of the Shipper's written notice to Carrier, to complete administrative and operational requirements incidental to Shipper's withdrawal and deliver such withdrawn volumes to Shipper.

Carrier will periodically recalculate each Shipper's pro rata share of Line Fill and Tank Bottoms. If a Shipper's inventory balance drops below its pro rata share of Line Fill or Tank Bottoms, Shipper shall be obligated to deliver the necessary volume to meet its then current pro rata share(s) of such volume(s) of Crude Petroleum. Should Shipper's Line Fill or Tank Bottom shares, as applicable, after recalculation thereof, fall below Shipper's current inventory on the Pipeline, Shipper may request the withdrawal of such excess volumes subject to the terms of the preceding paragraph.

## Special Rule 13 Apportionment (Prorating of Pipeline Capacity); Curtailments for Operational Necessity

For the avoidance of doubt, this Special Rule 13 in Section II shall supersede Rule 16 in Section II.

If Carrier receives Nominations for more Crude Petroleum than Carrier can transport in a Pipeline Segment in a given month, then Committed Shippers will first be allocated their aggregate Firm Service allotments. Any remaining Capacity will be apportioned among all remaining Shipper Nominations in accordance with the provisions in this Special Rule 13. Committed Shipper Nominations in excess of Shipper's Firm Service allotment shall be treated as Regular Shipper Barrels for the purpose of this Special Rule 13.

After fulfilling Committed Shipper Nominations up to their Firm Service allotments, any remaining Total Available Capacity will be allocated among Regular Shippers (and Committed Shippers Barrels for such amounts in excess of their Firm Service allotments, as applicable) in the respective proportions that deliveries during the Base Period bear to the deliveries of all Regular Shippers and Committed Shippers (only including Barrels in excess of such Firm Service allotments) during such period. Allocations to Regular Shippers and Committed Shippers will be subject to further reduction if required to accommodate New Shippers.

A New Shipper nominating Product for shipment during the given period, and who has otherwise satisfied applicable requirements of the Tariff rules, will be allocated Total Available Capacity based on its demonstrated need to ship at least the Minimum Volume Requirement (set forth in

Special Rule 14) up to a maximum allocation of 1.25% of the Total Available Capacity per New Shipper. If total New Shipper allocations exceeds 5.0% of Total Available Capacity, each New Shipper's allocation will be reduced on a proportional basis not to exceed an aggregate of 5.0%. Any unused Total Available Capacity will become available for allocation among Regular Shippers pursuant to the terms of the preceding paragraph.

If, during a month of apportionment, a Shipper fails to deliver to Carrier the number of Barrels equal to its allocated portion of the Total Available Capacity, such unused space shall be made available to other Shippers in accordance with the procedures described in this Special Rule 13.

Except as noted in this Special Rule 13, prorated Total Available Capacity allocated to a Shipper may not be assigned, conveyed, loaded, transferred to or used in any manner by another Shipper. However, a Shipper's allocation may be transferred as an incident of the bona fide sale of the Shipper's business or to a successor to the Shipper's business by the operation of law.

In case of operational necessity, or any other extraordinary circumstance beyond the control of Carrier, including a Force Majeure Event, that substantially affects the ability of Carrier to deliver the Barrels that have been Tendered by all Shippers for a given Day, Carrier, at its sole discretion, may curtail deliveries to all Shippers to the extent that is operationally required. During such an event, Carrier will curtail Shippers in reverse order vis-a-vis its apportionment order set forth in this Special Rule 13, that is: Carrier will curtail scheduled deliveries for Committed Shippers last (up to each Committed Shipper's daily allotment of Firm Service capacity), if necessary, on a prorata basis as among scheduled quantities. All other scheduled service will be reduced pro rata as among scheduled quantities.

### Special Rule 14 Nominations; Minimum Quantity

Crude Petroleum will be transported by Carrier only under a Nomination accepted by Carrier. Any Shipper desiring to Tender Crude Petroleum for transportation shall make such Nomination to Carrier in writing on or before 4:15 PM Central Standard Time, the last Working Day prior to the 20th day of the month preceding the month during which the transportation under the Nomination is to begin; except that, if space is available for current movement and at the reasonable discretion of Carrier, a Shipper may submit a Nomination after such 4:15 PM Central Standard Time deadline.

Nominations for transportation of Crude Petroleum for which Carrier has facilities will be accepted under the Tariffs in quantities of not less than the following ("Minimum Volume Requirement"):

Minimum Volume Requirement:	
2,000 barrels per day	

from each Shipper as operations permit, and provided such Crude Petroleum is of similar quality and characteristics as is being transported from Receipt Point(s) to Delivery Point(s).

Segregated batches may be accepted from time to time if operationally feasible.

Before Carrier will accept a Nomination from a New Shipper, such Shipper must: (i) comply with Special Rule 17(A); (ii) demonstrate to Carrier the adequacy of such Shipper's arrangements and facilities as referenced in Special Rule 5 and Special Rule 6; and (iii) provide any other information reasonably requested by Carrier.

Notwithstanding Rule 10 set forth in Section 1 hereof, Carrier will accept such quantities of Crude Petroleum from any Committed Shipper as the applicable Shipper Agreement may require such Committed Shipper to ship and Carrier to deliver.

### Special Rule 15 Application of Rates

With the exception of Line Fill and Tank Bottom Barrels, Crude Petroleum accepted for transportation shall be subject to the rates in effect on the date of the Tender. For returned Line Fill and Tank Bottom Barrels, Carrier reserves the right to assess a transportation charge (based on the applicable rate provided in Carrier's then effective Rates Tariff) on such Barrels delivered at the Delivery Points.

### Special Rule 16 Legality of Shipments

Carrier will reject Crude Petroleum where the Shipper has failed to comply with all applicable laws, rules, and regulations made by any Governmental Authority regulating shipments of Crude Petroleum, unless this Special Rule 16 is waived by Carrier on a non-discriminatory basis.

### Special Rule 17 Payment of Carrier Charges; Adequate Assurance

(A) Prior to becoming a Shipper, a prospective Shipper must submit to Carrier sufficient financial information or financial assurances satisfactory to Carrier to establish creditworthiness. The types of information Carrier may request from a prospective Shipper include but are not limited to: most recent year-end financials, 10Q or 10K reports, other filings with regulatory agencies, and bank references. The execution of a Shipper Agreement by a Committed Shipper and Carrier shall constitute satisfaction of the foregoing requirements. If a Party (Insecure Party) has reasonable grounds for insecurity regarding the ability of the other Party (Other Party) to provide indemnities or perform other obligations (including minimum insurance requirements) hereunder, or the Other Party's creditworthiness is or becomes unsatisfactory to the Insecure Party (or a Shipper is not deemed creditworthy before a Shipper Agreement is executed by Carrier), or if the Other Party is Shipper and Shipper's title to any Product is disputed, the Insecure Party may require the Other Party to provide adequate assurance of performance; provided that, with respect to Committed Shippers, neither the Committed Shipper nor the Carrier shall have the right to require such adequate assurances unless the applicable Shipper Agreement so provides. When entitled to require adequate assurances under this Tariff, the Insecure Party may require the Other Party to provide one of the following at the Insecure Party's discretion: (a) an irrevocable stand-by letter of credit from a bank reasonably acceptable to the Insecure Party, with terms reasonably acceptable to the Insecure Party, and in an amount reasonably acceptable to the Insecure Party; (b) a parent guaranty with terms reasonably acceptable to the Insecure Party; or (c) prepayment at least ten (10) calendar days prior to the first day of each Month of an amount of money reasonably calculated by the Insecure Party to cover all charges or liabilities under this Tariff likely to be incurred by the Other Party during such month. If the Insecure Party is entitled to and does require the Other Party to provide adequate assurance, the Insecure Party will provide the Other Party with notice. If the Other Party fails to provide the required adequate assurance within five (5) Working Days of its receipt of such notice from the Insecure Party, the Insecure Party may, without liability, immediately cease Tendering or receiving deliveries from the Other Party, as applicable (or, in the case of a potential

Shipper, refuse to enter into a Shipper Agreement with such potential Shipper or otherwise refuse to accept such Shipper's Tenders as Uncommitted Shipper Barrels), provided, however, that if the Carrier and Shipper are parties to a Shipper Agreement and such Shipper Agreement expressly gives the Insecure Party the right to require such adequate assurances from the Other Party then (i) if the Other Party is the Shipper, Carrier may, if and to the extent provided in the Shipper Agreement and pursuant to the procedures set forth in the Shipper Agreement, terminate the Shipper Agreement with such Shipper upon notice to Shipper and may declare the Monthly Minimum Payment due for all remaining Months in the initial term or extended term in which Shipper fails to provide the required adequate assurance, and (ii) if the Other Party is Carrier, the Committed Shipper shall have a claim against Carrier for its actual damages as a result of such termination.

- (B) Notwithstanding Rule 11 set forth in Section I hereof, Shipper shall pay all transportation and other fees and lawful charges accruing on Crude Petroleum delivered to and accepted by Carrier for shipment as measured at the Receipt Point(s) (i) with respect to Uncommitted Shippers, by the due date stated in Carrier's invoice or (ii) with respect to Committed Shippers, by the due date for such payments specified in the applicable Shipper Agreement, subject to any adjustments, reductions and credits expressly provided for therein.
- (C) If Shipper disputes any portion of any invoice, Shipper shall promptly notify Carrier in writing of the disputed portion and pay the undisputed portion per Special Rule 17(B).
- (D) All undisputed amounts owed by one Party to the other which are not timely paid, shall bear interest from the date due until paid. Such interest will be assessed at an annual rate equal to: (a) the prime rate of interest as reported from time to time in the Wall Street Journal plus two percent (2.0%), or (b) the highest rate permitted by Law, whichever is less, for any invoice not paid pursuant to the terms of this Tariff and the applicable Shipper Agreement. If any amount is disputed, interest will accrue from the date due until the date paid but will only be due after the dispute is resolved and based on the amount found or agreed to be due. If either Party disputes any portion of any amount claimed or invoiced by the other Party, the disputing Party shall promptly notify the claiming or invoicing Party in writing (no later than 15 days from the date of the claim or invoice) and give reasons, with reasonable detail, for the disputed matter(s). Carrier and Shipper shall then endeavor to resolve the disputed amount in accordance with the provisions of the the applicable Shipper Agreement, if applicable. Any payment due resulting from such dispute resolution shall be due within five (5) Working Days following the receipt by the disputing Party of an amended claim or invoice incorporating the agreed resolution. If the Shipper has not entered into a Shipper Agreement, Carrier and Shipper shall each have the right to pursue claims against the other in a court of competent jurisdiction.
- (E) In addition to specific remedies outlined in Special Rule 17(A), if Carrier becomes an Insecure Party, Carrier shall have the right to withhold an amount of Crude Petroleum belonging to Shipper from delivery that would be sufficient to cover all unpaid charges due to Carrier from Shipper until all such unpaid charges have been paid. Furthermore, Carrier shall retain a perfected possessory lien under the Texas Bus. & Comm. Code, Title 1, Chapter 9 (section 9.101, et seq.), as applicable, on an amount of a Shipper's Crude Petroleum in Carrier's possession sufficient to secure payment of any and all amounts owed by such Shipper to Carrier. Carrier reserves the right to set-off any such charges

against any monies owed to Shipper by Carrier on any Crude Petroleum of Shipper in Carrier's custody. If said charges remain unpaid five (5) days after the due date therefor, Carrier shall have the right, through an agent, to sell such Crude Petroleum at public auction at the general office of the Pipeline, on any day not a legal holiday. The date for the sale shall be not less than forty-eight (48) hours after publication of notice of such sale in a daily newspaper of general circulation published in San Antonio, Texas, the city where the general office of the pipeline is located, stating the time, place of sale, and the quantity and location of Crude Petroleum to be sold. At said sale, Carrier shall have the right to bid, and if the highest bidder, to become the purchaser. From the proceeds of said sale, Carrier will pay itself the transportation and all other lawful charges, including expenses incident to said sale, and the balance remaining, if any, shall be paid to Shipper. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the provisions of this Special Rule 17(E) shall not apply to a Committed Shipper unless and to the extent specified, if at all, in the applicable Shipper Agreement.

### Special Rule 18 Liability Limitation of Damages, and Indemnity

- (A) CARRIER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR (i) ANY LOSS, DAMAGE, CONTAMINATION, OR DEGRADATION OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT RESULTING FROM CARRIER'S NEGLIGENCE, WILLFUL MISCONDUCT, STRICT LIABILITY, OR BREACH OF THIS TARIFF AND (ii) ANY ACTUAL. DIRECT DAMAGES INCURRED BY SHIPPER RESULTING FROM DELIVERY OF PRODUCT INTO THE PIPELINE BY ANY PERSON OTHER THAN SHIPPER WHICH FAILS TO COMPLY WITH THE QUALITY SPECIFICATIONS SET FORTH IN THE TARIFF; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, CARRIER'S LIABILITY UNDER THIS SPECIAL RULE 18(A) SHALL BE FOR ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES ONLY AND WILL NOT EXCEED THE SUM OF: (x) THE RESULTING LOSS IN VALUE (AS CALCULATED UNDER SPECIAL RULE 19 FOR ANY CONTAMINATION, DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT ATTRIBUTABLE OR ALLOCABLE TO CARRIER'S NEGLIGENCE, WILLFUL MISCONDUCT, STRICT <u>LIABILITY, OR BREACH, (y) THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF REPAIRING AND/OR</u> REPLACING ANY PIPE OR OTHER FACILITIES OR EQUIPMENT OF SHIPPER DAMAGED AS A RESULT THEREOF, AND (z) IF SHIPPER IS A PARTY TO A SHIPPER AGREEMENT, A CREDIT EQUAL TO THE BASE FIXED RATE AND THE BASE VARIABLE RATE (OR THE INCREMENTAL RATE, IF DURING THE INTERIM TERM). MULTIPLIED BY THE AMOUNT OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT NOT DELIVERED BY CARRIER, NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, IN THE EVENT OF ANY LOSS OF CRUDE PETROLEUM FOR WHICH CARRIER IS RESPONSIBLE WHILE IN THE POSSESSION OF CARRIER, SHIPPER'S SOLE AND EXCLUSIVE REMEDY SHALL BE (AT CARRIER'S SOLE DISCRETION): (1) REPLACEMENT OF SUCH CRUDE PETROLEUM AT CARRIER'S EXPENSE, OR (2) PAYMENT TO SHIPPER OF THE MARKET VALUE OF SUCH CRUDE PETROLEUM IF CARRIER DEEMS REPLACEMENT IMPRACTICABLE. CARRIER DOES NOT CARRY INSURANCE ON SHIPPER CRUDE PETROLEUM.
- (B) SHIPPER SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR (i) ANY LOSS, DAMAGE, CONTAMINATION, OR DEGRADATION OF ANY PRODUCT BELONGING TO PERSONS OTHER THAN SHIPPER IN THE PIPELINE RESULTING FROM SHIPPER'S NEGLIGENCE, WILLFUL MISCONDUCT. STRICT LIABILITY. OR BREACH OF THIS TARIFF AND (ii) ANY

ACTUAL. DIRECT DAMAGES INCURRED BY CARRIER OR BY PERSONS OTHER THAN SHIPPER FOR WHOM CARRIER TRANSPORTS PRODUCT IN THE PIPELINE RESULTING FROM DELIVERY OF PRODUCT INTO THE PIPELINE BY SHIPPER WHICH FAILS TO COMPLY WITH SPECIAL RULE 2 OR SPECIAL RULE 3 OF THIS TARIFF: PROVIDED. HOWEVER, SHIPPER'S LIABILITY UNDER THIS SPECIAL RULE 18(B) SHALL BE FOR ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES ONLY AND WILL NOT EXCEED THE SUM OF: (x) THE RESULTING LOSS IN VALUE (AS CALCULATED UNDER SPECIAL RULE 19) FOR ANY CONTAMINATION, DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS OF SUCH OTHER PERSONS' PRODUCT ATTRIBUTABLE OR ALLOCABLE TO SHIPPER'S NEGLIGENCE, WILLFUL MISCONDUCT, STRICT LIABILITY, OR BREACH. (y) AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE RATE PAID BY SUCH OTHER PERSONS UNDER THE TARIFF FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF THEIR PRODUCT IN THE PIPELINE ON A FIRM BASIS MULTIPLIED BY THE AMOUNT OF SUCH OTHER PERSON'S PRODUCT NOT DELIVERED BY CARRIER AS A RESULT OF SHIPPER'S NEGLIGENCE. WILLFUL MISCONDUCT. STRICT LIABILITY. BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT OR DELIVERY OF PRODUCT BY SHIPPER THAT DOES NOT COMPLY WITH SPECIAL RULE 2 OR SPECIAL RULE 3. AND (z) THE COSTS AND EXPENSES OF REPAIRING AND/OR REPLACING ANY PIPE OR OTHER FACILITIES OR EQUIPMENT OF CARRIER OR SUCH OTHER PERSONS DAMAGED AS A RESULT THEREOF.

- (C) EACH PARTY SHALL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY FOR ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES (AND ONLY ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES) TO THE OTHER PARTY RESULTING FROM A MATERIAL BREACH OF THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES CONTAINED HEREIN OR IN THE TARIFF; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT, IN THE CASE OF A MATERIAL BREACH BY CARRIER, SHIPPER'S DAMAGES WILL BE LIMITED TO: (i) THE VALUE OF ANY PRODUCT DELIVERED TO CARRIER AND NOT REDELIVERED BY CARRIER AT THE DELIVERY POINT(S) (CALCULATED UNDER SPECIAL RULE 19 HEREOF) AND (ii) IF THE SHIPPER IS A PARTY TO A SHIPPER AGREEMENT, THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE COSTS SHIPPER WOULD HAVE INCURRED UNDER THIS AGREEMENT FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT AND THE COSTS ACTUALLY INCURRED BY SHIPPER UNDER ANY COMMERCIALLY REASONABLE ALTERNATIVE TRANSPORTATION ARRANGEMENTS ENTERED INTO BY SHIPPER FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT: AND PROVIDED FURTHER THAT THE LIMITATION ON CARRIER'S LIABILITY SET FORTH IN THE PRECEDING PROVISO SHALL NOT APPLY TO OR LIMIT CARRIERS LIABILITY UNDER THE INDEMNITY OBLIGATIONS SET FORTH IN THIS TARIFF
- (D) AS BETWEEN THE PARTIES HERETO, CARRIER SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE IN POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF THE PRODUCT AFTER THE PRODUCT ENTERS A RECEIPT POINT AND UNTIL THE PRODUCT IS DELIVERED AT A DELIVERY POINT AND SHIPPER SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE IN POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF THE PRODUCT BEFORE THE PRODUCT ENTERS A RECEIPT POINT AND AFTER THE PRODUCT IS DELIVERED AT A DELIVERY POINT.
- (E) EXCEPT AS TO LIABILITIES ASSUMED BY SHIPPER IN SPECIAL RULES 18(B) AND 18(C), CARRIER SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD SHIPPER, ITS AFFILIATES, AND ITS AND THEIR SHAREHOLDERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS,

EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, PARTNERS, AND MEMBERS ("SHIPPER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES") HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DAMAGES, FEES, CAUSES OF ACTION, LIABILITIES AND COSTS (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS OF INVESTIGATION AND DEFENSE) BUT LIMITED TO ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES ONLY, ARISING FROM OR RELATED TO CARRIER'S POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF THE PRODUCT AND OPERATION OF THE PIPELINE, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, IF IT IS ALLEGED OR PROVEN THAT ONE OR MORE SHIPPER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES CAUSED THE DAMAGES AT ISSUE THROUGH THEIR SOLE, OWN, OR CONCURRENT NEGLIGENCE. STRICT LIABILITY. OR OTHER LEGAL FAULT: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT CARRIER SHALL HAVE NO DUTY TO DEFEND OR INDEMNIFY ANY SHIPPER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES IF ANY SHIPPER INDEMNIFIED PARTY IS GROSSLY NEGLIGENT OR ENGAGES IN WILLFUL MISCONDUCT: PROVIDED, FURTHER HOWEVER, THAT CARRIER SHALL HAVE NO DUTY TO DEFEND OR INDEMNIFY ANY SHIPPER INDEMNIFIED PARTY TO THE EXTENT THE CLAIM AT ISSUE IS CAUSED BY SHIPPER DELIVERING PRODUCT WHICH FAILED TO COMPLY WITH SPECIAL RULE 2 OR SPECIAL RULE 3 OF THIS TARIFF.

- (F) EXCEPT AS TO LIABILITIES EXPRESSLY ASSUMED BY CARRIER IN SPECIAL RULE 18(A) AND 18(C), SHIPPER SHALL DEFEND, INDEMNIFY, AND HOLD CARRIER, ITS AFFILIATES, AND ITS AND THEIR SHAREHOLDERS, OFFICERS, DIRECTORS, EMPLOYEES, AGENTS, PARTNERS, AND MEMBERS ("CARRIER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES") HARMLESS FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, DAMAGES, FEES, CAUSES OF ACTION, LIABILITIES, AND COSTS (INCLUDING REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS OF INVESTIGATION AND DEFENSE) BUT LIMITED TO ACTUAL, DIRECT DAMAGES ONLY, ARISING FROM OR RELATED TO SHIPPER'S POSSESSION AND CONTROL OF THE PRODUCT AND OPERATION OF ITS FACILITIES UPSTREAM OF THE RECEIPT POINT(S) AND DOWNSTREAM OF THE DELIVERY POINT(S), INCLUDING, IF IT IS ALLEGED OR PROVEN THAT ONE OR MORE CARRIER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES CAUSED THE DAMAGES AT ISSUE THROUGH THEIR SOLE, OWN, OR CONCURRENT NEGLIGENCE, STRICT LIABILITY, OR OTHER LEGAL FAULT: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT SHIPPER SHALL HAVE NO DUTY TO DEFEND OR INDEMNIFY ANY CARRIER INDEMNIFIED PARTIES IF ANY CARRIER INDEMNIFIED PARTY IS GROSSLY NEGLIGENT OR **ENGAGES IN WILLFUL MISCONDUCT.**
- (G) NOTWITHSTANDING ANYTHING TO THE CONTRARY CONTAINED IN THIS AGREEMENT, AND EXCEPTING DAMAGES RESULTING FROM CARRIER'S OR SHIPPER'S GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT, NEITHER PARTY WILL BE LIABLE TO THE OTHER PARTY PURSUANT TO ANY INDEMNITY OR ANY OTHER PROVISION HEREOF FOR, AND EACH HEREBY WAIVES, ANY AND ALL CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES (INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, LOST PROFITS, LOST BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES, LOSS OF USE, OR OTHER BUSINESS INTERRUPTION DAMAGES), INDIRECT, INCIDENTAL, PUNITIVE, EXEMPLARY, OR SPECIAL DAMAGES ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH THIS AGREEMENT, REGARDLESS OF HOW CAUSED AND REGARDLESS OF THE THEORY OF RECOVERY (OTHER THAN GROSS NEGLIGENCE OR WILLFUL MISCONDUCT), INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE NEGLIGENCE (WHETHER

- SIMPLE, SOLE, JOINT, CONCURRENT, COMPARATIVE, CONTRIBUTORY, ACTIVE, PASSIVE, OR OTHERWISE), STRICT LIABILITY, STATUTORY LIABILITY, OR OTHER FAULT OF, OR THE BREACH OF THIS AGREEMENT BY, A PARTY.
- (H) THE INDEMNITIES AND OTHER PROVISIONS EXPRESSED IN THIS SPECIAL RULE
  18 AND THE INDEMNITIES EXPRESSED IN ANY SHIPPER AGREEMENTS SHALL
  SURVIVE THE EXPIRATION OR TERMINATION OF THIS TARIFF OR ANY SHIPPER
  AGREEMENTS. THE PARTIES HEREBY WAIVE AND RELINQUISH ALL RIGHTS AND
  REMEDIES INCONSISTENT WITH THIS SPECIAL RULE 18.
- (I) CARRIER SHALL NOT BEAR ANY RISK FOR. OR BE LIABLE FOR. ANY DAMAGE. CONTAMINATION, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS OF PRODUCT RESULTING FROM AN EVENT OF FORCE MAJEURE. IF CONTAMINATION, DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS OF PRODUCT FROM FORCE MAJEURE OCCURS AFTER THE PRODUCT HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY CARRIER FOR TRANSPORTATION AND BEFORE IT HAS BEEN DELIVERED TO SHIPPER. SHIPPER SHALL BEAR A LOSS IN SUCH PROPORTION AS THE AMOUNT OF SHIPPER'S SHIPMENT IS TO ALL OF THE PRODUCT HELD IN TRANSPORTATION BY THE CARRIER AT THE TIME OF SUCH LOSS, DAMAGE, CONTAMINATION, OR DEGRADATION, AND THE SHIPPER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO HAVE DELIVERED ONLY SUCH PORTION OF SHIPPER'S SHIPMENT AS MAY REMAIN AFTER A DEDUCTION OF SHIPPER'S PROPORTION OF SUCH LOSS. DAMAGE. CONTAMINATION. OR DEGRADATION. NOTWITHSTANDING THE FOREGOING, IN THE EVENT OF ANY LOSS OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT RESULTING FROM A FORCE MAJEURE EVENT. SHIPPER SHALL BE ENTITLED TO A CREDIT AGAINST CHARGES OTHERWISE APPLICABLE HEREUNDER, EQUAL TO THE SUM OF THE BASE RATE AND VARIABLE RATE (OR THE INCREMENTAL RATE, IF DURING THE INTERIM TERM), MULTIPLIED BY THE AMOUNT OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT NOT DELIVERED BY CARRIER.

### Special Rule 19 Claims for Damage; Valuation of Loss

SHIPPER MUST MAKE ANY CLAIMS FOR THE CONTAMINATION. DAMAGE. DEGRADATION. OR LOSS OF SHIPPER'S PRODUCT. OR DAMAGE TO SHIPPER'S FACILITIES, BY NOTICE TO CARRIER WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS OF THE DATE THAT SHIPPER KNEW OR SHOULD HAVE KNOWN OF THE CONTAMINATION. DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS, OR DAMAGE TO FACILITIES, AND SHIPPER IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY CLAIM FOR WHICH THE REQUIRED NOTICE IS NOT PROVIDED WITHIN THE REQUIRED TIME. CARRIER MUST MAKE ANY CLAIMS FOR THE CONTAMINATION, DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS OF PRODUCT OR DAMAGE TO FACILITIES, BY NOTICE TO SHIPPER WITHIN FIFTEEN (15) CALENDAR DAYS OF THE DATE THAT CARRIER KNEW OR SHOULD HAVE KNOWN OF THE CONTAMINATION. DAMAGE. DEGRADATION. OR LOSS. OR DAMAGE TO FACILITIES. AND CARRIER IRREVOCABLY WAIVES ANY CLAIM FOR WHICH THE REQUIRED NOTICE IS NOT PROVIDED WITHIN THE REQUIRED TIME. THE LIABILITY OF EITHER PARTY TO THE OTHER ARISING OUT OF LOSS OF VALUE IN PRODUCT OR LOSS OF PRODUCT WILL NOT EXCEED THE MARKET VALUE OF THE PRODUCT. LESS THE FAIR MARKET SALVAGE VALUE OF THE CONTAMINATED, DAMAGED, OR DEGRADED PRODUCT, ALL ON THE DAY OF SUCH CONTAMINATION, DAMAGE, DEGRADATION, OR LOSS.

### Special Rule 20 Scheduling of Delivery

If a Shipper requests delivery from the Pipeline, at Delivery Point of a number of Barrels of Crude Petroleum greater than can be immediately delivered, Carrier shall not be liable for any delay in delivery of any such Barrels resulting from such scheduling of delivery.

### Special Rule 21 Pipeline Loss Allowance

Each Shipper shall be responsible for its pro rata share of any losses caused by evaporation or ordinary loss during transportation ("PLA"). Each Shipper's PLA shall be capped at one tenth of one percent (0.1%) of its Tendered Barrels during the applicable measuring period and shall exclude any losses caused by Carrier's negligence or willful misconduct.

### **Explanation of Reference Marks**:

[C] Cancelled

[N] New