

Important Notice: November 1 changes

October 26, 2018

As a reminder, as per the <u>Decision</u> issued by the BCUC on July 20th of this year, effective November 1, 2018 all transportation customers in the Lower Mainland and Interior will be held to daily balancing provisions. In addition, the daily balancing tolerance has been reduced to 10%, and a new balancing charge has been approved for shortfalls within the 10% to 20% tolerance range at \$0.25 per GJ.

For Rate Schedule 22B customers located in the Columbia region, daily balancing provisions will apply effective November 1, 2019.

Nomination and Group Changes

- Daily groups will be configured in WINS for Shippers currently managing monthly balanced customers in the Lower Mainland or the Interior. This will be configured in WINS by day ending October 26.
- With respect to migrating monthly customers into your daily group, this will be completed as quickly as possible once October billing is finished.
- Given the elimination of monthly groups at the Lower Mainland and Interior, starting November 1, Shippers should insert <u>one nomination</u> for their <u>daily group</u> at each receipt point requesting total gas supply requirements for all customers.
- Any remaining supply imbalances from your monthly group for October will be transferred to your daily group once billing is complete for the month.

Imbalance Return

As a result of the feedback from the Imbalance Return stakeholder session held last month on September 25, FEI has revised the allocation of this service. Imbalance Return will now be allocated based on a percentage of the Shipper's average demand at the Lower Mainland and Interior receipt points. Given the Force Majeure and Hold to Authorize restriction, and the extensive customer changes in November, any supply authorized from Imbalance Return will be updated manually as it is today. Please ensure you insert a nomination requesting imbalance return for the month of November as a placeholder should this service be authorized. **FEI will determine the availability of Imbalance Return for November 1 early next week. The Hold to Authorize restriction will remain in effect for November 1 going forward.**

Note this posting will be appended to the news flash section of our web site for your future reference: <u>https://www.fortisbc.com/NaturalGas/Business/TransportationServiceOption/TransportMarketersActivities/Pages/default.aspx</u>

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