

**EXTENSION OF  
FULL REQUIREMENTS INTERRUPTIBLE  
NATURAL GAS TRANSPORTATION CONTRACT  
BETWEEN  
NEWPORT STEEL CORPORATION  
AND  
THE UNION LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER COMPANY**

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
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SECTION 9 (1)

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FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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This AGREEMENT is made and entered into this 28th day of February, 1996, by and between THE UNION LIGHT, HEAT AND POWER COMPANY, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky with general offices at 107 Brent Spence Square, Covington, Kentucky, hereinafter referred to as ULH&P, and NEWPORT STEEL CORPORATION, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky with general offices at Ninth & Lowell Streets, Newport, Kentucky, hereinafter referred to as NEWPORT.

**WITNESSETH**

WHEAREAS, ULH&P is currently providing natural gas transportation service to NEWPORT pursuant to a Natural Gas Transportation Contract executed on March 1, 1991 (hereinafter the March 1, 1991 Contract); and,

WHEREAS, the March 1, 1991 Contract expires pursuant to Article XVI on February 28, 1996, "unless extended by the written mutual agreement of both parties . . .;" and,

WHEREAS, ULH&P and NEWPORT are engaged in negotiations regarding the future terms and conditions of natural gas transportation service;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants and agreements contained herein, ULH&P and NEWPORT hereby agree as follows:

The March 1, 1991 Contract shall be extended from February 28, 1996, and shall continue in full force and effect until March 31, 1996.

IN WITNESS HEREOF, ULH&P and NEWPORT executed this agreement on the day and year first above written.

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