## APPENDIX D PIPELINE SAFETY ADJUSTMENT

## **APPLICABILITY**

The Pipeline Safety Adjustment ("PSA") shall be applicable to all Customers on the rates set forth in the PSA CHARGES section below.

## **DESCRIPTION**

The PSA shall cover incremental Operation and Maintenance expenses related to complying with federal pipeline integrity management mandates. Such costs would include expenses related to mapping, training, assessment, testing, data collection and storage, verification audits, remediation, right-of-way clearing, public education programs, and all other costs required to comply, including associated taxes, for Ohio Valley Gas Corporation and its wholly owned subsidiary, Ohio Valley Gas, Inc., (hereinafter called "OVG").

OVG's actual, incremental pipeline safety expenses shall be allocated to the rates using the cost allocation factors as set forth in OVGC's most recent cost of service study.

OVG's actual, incremental pipeline safety expenses shall be reconciled annually with the actual recovery under this Pipeline Safety Adjustment, with any difference being reflected as a charge or credit over the next twelve months.

## **PSA CHARGES**

The Pipeline Safety Adjustment shall be applied to each Therm of gas usage each month. The current PSA Charges by rate are set forth below:

| Rate No.          | PSA Charge (\$ per Therm) |
|-------------------|---------------------------|
| 11 / 41 / 91 / 81 | \$0.0000 per Therm        |
| 12 / 42 / 92      | \$0.0000 per Therm        |
| 14 / 44 / 94      | \$0.0000 per Therm        |
| 15 / 45 / 95      | \$0.0000 per Therm        |
| 16 / 46 / 96      | \$0.0000 per Therm        |
| 18 / 48 / 98      | \$0.0000 per Therm        |