

**Fourth Quarter
Heating and Cooling-Degree Days ¹**

	2009	Normal ²	2008	Increase/(Decrease)			
				2009 vs. Normal ²	% Chg.	2009 vs. Last Year	% Chg.
Albuquerque, NM							
Heating-Degree Days	1,761	1,632	1,534	129	8%	227	15%
Cooling-Degree Days	6	14	12	(8)	-58%	(6)	-50%
Dallas, TX							
Heating-Degree Days	972	813	734	159	20%	238	32%
Cooling-Degree Days	67	220	243	(153)	-70%	(176)	-72%
Houston, TX							
Heating-Degree Days	599	522	476	78	15%	123	26%
Cooling-Degree Days	275	335	276	(60)	-18%	(1)	0%

¹ Source: NOAA/National Weather Service; heating-degree and cooling-degree days are quantitative indices designed to reflect the demand for energy needed to heat or cool a home or business and are derived from daily average temperatures.

² Reflects 10-year average (1998-2007)