

PSC NO: 219 GAS
NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
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GENERAL INFORMATION

4. LIMITATION OF SERVICE OFFER: (continued)

4.9 Selection of Service Classification:

- 4.9.1 The Company will endeavor to assist a customer in the selection of the available service which may be most favorable to his requirements, but does not make any warranty, expressed or implied, as to the rates, classifications or provisions favorable to the present or future service requirements of the customer.

- 4.10 The Company requires compliance with appropriate minimum insulation standards for all applications for gas service for new dwellings and any conversions of existing dwellings to gas space heating, as follows:

4.10.1 Definitions:

- 4.10.1.1 "Dwelling" - A building designed or used as a living unit for one or more families. For the purposes of this standard, mobile homes shall not be considered dwellings.
- 4.10.1.2 "Historic Building" - Any building or structure designated historically significant by the state or local governing body or listed (or determined by the Secretary of the Interior to be eligible to be listed) in "The National Register of Historic Places."

4.10.2 Minimum Standards for New Dwellings:

4.10.2.1 Applicability and Compliance:

- 4.10.2.1.1 All new dwellings in the State of New York for which an application for a building permit was made and plans were filed on or after January 1, 1979, and all new dwellings within the state for which construction was begun on or after January 1, 1979, will not be eligible for gas service unless the dwellings comply with the New York State Energy Conservation Construction Code. Compliance with this Code will be satisfied under any of the following circumstances:

- 4.10.2.1.1.1 A building permit is obtained for the dwelling from a building code authority or similar authority empowered by local law to issue building permits; or,