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PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

9. EXTENSION AND MAINTENANCE OF DISTRIBUTION PROVIDER FACILITIES (Cont'd)

H. LIMITATIONS OF SERVICE OFFER (Cont'd)

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 - h) <u>Waivers (Cont'd)</u>

In the case of a dwelling having six or more stories, storm windows will not be required as long as the Distribution Provider certifies that the dwelling's windows are caulked and weatherstripped. This certification shall be made in writing to the Commission. A storm window will not be required on any window opening onto a fire escape.

Copies of waivers granted or denied by the Distribution Provider shall be made available to the Commission. Distribution Customers denied waivers shall be informed of their right to appeal that denial to the Commission.

The Commission may grant a waiver of the requirements of Rule 9.H.6.g for just cause after a Distribution Customer has been denied a waiver by the Distribution Provider.

i) <u>Certificate of Compliance</u>

A dwelling's compliance with Rule 9.H.6.g shall be certified either by (1) the owner, (2) a contractor of the owner's choice who has inspected the building, or (3) a Distribution Provider representative who has inspected the building at the owner's request (see Rule 12.D).

The Distribution Provider will provide the Certificate of Compliance to the Distribution Customer at the time of application for service, so that the Distribution Customer will be apprised of the requirements for service and the methods by which compliance can be certified.

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