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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)

- 5) Notwithstanding any other provision in this Rule 9.H, the use of natural gas for outdoor lighting is prohibited by the Power Plant and Industrial Fuel Use Act of 1978. Unless specifically exempted from that prohibition by the Distribution Provider, (1) any customer receiving gas for outdoor lighting purposes commencing on or after November 9, 1978, is prohibited from using gas for outdoor lighting after November 5, 1979, and (2) any customer, other than a residential customer, receiving gas for outdoor lighting purposes commencing before November 9, 1978, is also prohibited from using gas for outdoor lighting after November 5, 1979.

Any exemption granted by the Distribution Provider will be in accordance with the guidelines set forth in the Public Service Commission's Order issued April 14, 1981, in Case 27626.

- 6) Minimum Insulation Standards for the Provision of Gas and Electric Service

a) Definitions

For the purpose of this rule, the following definitions shall apply:

- (i) Dwelling - A building designed or used as the living unit for one or more families. Mobile homes shall not be considered dwellings.
- (ii) Historical 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."

b) Applicability and Compliance for New Dwellings

All 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 these dwellings comply with the New York State Energy Conservation Construction Code. Compliance with this Code will be satisfied under any of the following circumstances:

- (i) 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
- (ii) An affirmation is given by the contractor or builder on a certificate of compliance (see Rule 12) that the construction of the dwelling will comply with the Energy Conservation Construction Code within 30 days after occupancy; or

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