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GENERAL INFORMATION

B. When the Company requires that meters shall be installed outside of a building on a new customer's or private property, the meter shall be placed in a convenient meter pit or suitable and approved above ground heated meter structure, any and all of which are often referred to as the meter housing. The meter housing shall be located in an accessible place away from the terraces, fences, paved areas, other structures or any location which would create a hazard to vehicles, pedestrians or Company personnel accessing the meters. The meter housing shall be frost-proof and either well drained or watertight and shall be provided with a strong cover fastened with a convenient locking device. The cover shall be kept clear of snow, ice, dirt or any other objects which might prevent easy access for reading, inspecting, testing, changing and making necessary adjustments or repairs of the meter. The installation of the meter housing is subject to the approval of the Company. The cost of installing and maintaining the meter housing is the responsibility of the Customer. When there is evidence of tampering or theft of service associated with a Customer's indoor meter, the Company reserves the right to require that Customer to relocate their indoor meter to an outdoor meter housing at the Customer's cost and in accordance with the provisions of this Tariff.

The Company, in its sole discretion, may permit meters to be installed indoors. Any meters installed indoors shall be located in a clean, dry, safe place not subject to great variations in temperature, at or near the front wall as close as possible to the point of entrance of the connecting pipe. Meters shall be on a support which is free from appreciable vibration and shall be supported firmly, not less than 12 inches nor more than 36 inches above the level of the floor. The location shall be such as to be easily accessible, with no inconvenience to the Customer or to the Company

C. If the meter housing is to be installed upon property which is not owned or controlled by the customer, the Company will require that the Customer obtain an easement.

D. The location of the meter and the arrangement of the fittings to be supplied by the Company and service pipe shall be subject to the inspection and approval by the Company. A Company approved valve is to be installed on the inlet and outlet side of the meter.

E. Neither by inspection approval nor failure to approve, nor in any other way, does the Company give any guarantee, or assume any responsibility, expressed or implied, as to the adequacy, safety or characteristics of any structures, equipment, pipes, appliances or devices owned, installed or maintained by the customer or leased by the customer from third parties.

F. For condominium units which are separately metered as provided in Tariff Section 3.4, Subsection E, it is necessary to house the meters of several customers in a common area whether inside or outside of a building. The meter location shall be approved by the Company prior to the start of any construction. The company will require that provision for such a meter housing arrangement be contained in the declaration of the condominium association or deed conveying the unit to the customer on whose property the meters will be located.