

GENERAL SERVICE PROVISIONS (continued)

12. TEMPORARY DISCONTINUANCE OF SUPPLY

The Company may temporarily shut off the supply of gas to the customer's premises after reasonable notice for the purpose of making necessary repairs or adjustments to mains or supply pipes, and reserves the right to shut off the supply of gas without notice in case of emergency.

13. INSTALLATION OF SERVICE PIPES AND CONNECTIONS

- a. The provisions of this section apply to customers under all rate schedules except Interruptible Service - Rate Schedule No. 3.
- b. Upon application for connection between a gas main and a building to be supplied with gas, the entire installation of the gas service pipe and connections from the main to the meter shall be made by the Company. This service pipe shall be of the size and type prescribed by the Company.
- c. Except as hereinafter provided, the Company will make no charge for a service pipe installation when (1) the length of the service pipe required between the property line and the meter is 115 feet or less or (2) if a single service is to be installed to serve multiple dwelling units numbering four or more, and the length of service pipe between the property line and the meter does not exceed 50 feet per dwelling unit up to a maximum of 750 feet.
- d. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company shall not be required to install facilities where the revenue from such installation will not justify the investment. Under such conditions, the Company may require a contribution from the applicant to the extent that the required investment exceeds two years' anticipated revenues. Any contribution by the applicant will be based on estimated costs derived from the Company's current cost per foot for service extensions of various lengths under substantially similar conditions based on the size of pipe required for the estimated use of gas, subject to such minimum size as accords with the Company's practice.
- e. In the event the Company is required to install underground facilities in advance of construction or paving for the convenience of a builder or developer, said builder or developer may be required to deposit with the Company a sum equal to \$100.00 per service stub installed. Such deposits will be refunded at a rate of \$100.00 per house when gas use is initiated. Deposits held for three years without completion of gas service to the proposed house will be forfeited.
- f. When, in the opinion of the Company, an existing service is insufficient to supply new demands put upon it and additional investment in facilities is warranted by the revenue, the Company will enlarge the facilities as necessary at no cost to the customer.
- g. When, at the request of the customer, a special service connection of temporary character is made, the cost of the entire connection and removal of same, less the salvage value of the returned material, will be charged to the customer requesting same.

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- h. The Company will own, control and maintain all service pipes, regulators, vents, meters, meter connections, valves and other appurtenances from the main to the outlet side of the meter notwithstanding any contributions to the cost thereof made by the customer.
- i. Contributions by customers toward the Company's cost of furnishing and installing service pipes in accordance with this section are nonrefundable.
- j. Revenues under this section shall be determined exclusive of Purchased Gas Charges.

14. EXTENSION OF MAINS

- a. The provisions of this section apply to customers under all rate schedules except Interruptible Service - Rate Schedule No. 3.
- b. Where it is necessary to extend or enlarge its mains to supply gas service to a customer or group of customers, the Company will bear the cost of the necessary extension or enlargement to the extent of two years' estimated revenue. The remainder of the cost of the extension or enlargement, if any, shall be deposited with the Company by the customer or customers desiring gas service. This deposit will not bear interest but will be returned to the depositors at the rate of two years' estimated revenue from each additional customer served directly from the extension, or a further extension beyond the one which the deposit covers, until the amount of the original deposit is returned. In no case will the amount refunded exceed the amount of the original deposit. A portion or all of the deposit may be waived by the Company when in its judgement a part or all of the extension investment is warranted by the additional revenue expected from customers to be served from the extension or other related conditions.
- c. When the Company installs a main larger than the minimum size as accords with its practice because of prospective new customers to be added thereto, the Company will give proper recognition to the additional cost of the larger main in determining costs for the purpose of requiring a deposit.
- d. When the required extension is of a special or temporary character, the cost of the entire extension and its cost of removal, less the salvage value of the returned material, will be charged to the customer requiring the special or temporary main extension. Such payments are not refundable.
- e. When it is necessary to make an extension of mains from a deposit main to supply a new customer or customers, the revenue allowance to such new customer or customers in determining the amount of the deposit shall be reduced by the amount of refund to be made to any prior depositor or depositors.
- f. When refunds are made involving two or more depositors, the earliest deposit will receive priority. All deposits will be refunded in accordance with the terms and conditions in effect at the time they were made. Refunds of deposits may be made whenever, in the opinion of the Company, the use of gas and other related conditions justify such refunds.
- g. These provisions shall not require the Company to extend its mains across private property or in streets that are not at established grade.

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