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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 2. HOW TO OBTAIN SERVICE (Cont'd)

#### **F. LIMITATIONS OF SERVICE OFFER (Cont'd)**

##### (2) Minimum Insulation Standards for the Provision of Electric Service (Cont'd)

##### (g) Applicability and Conditions for Existing Dwelling Converting to Electric Space Heat

An existing dwelling will not be supplied electric service for the purpose of converting to electric space heat unless:

- (i) The roof/ceiling has at least six inches of insulation or insulation with an R value of 19 or greater;
- (ii) The dwelling has storm windows, or thermal windows with multiple glazing; and
- (iii) The entrances have storm doors or thermal doors.

##### (h) Waivers

The Company may waive the requirements in Rule 2.F.2.g where:

- (i) The applicant for service can establish through two estimates, one of which may be a Company audit, that the purchase price and installation charge (excluding interest charges) will be greater than seven times the anticipated annual savings to be obtained (based on the present cost of the fuel currently used in the building); or
- (ii) The dwelling is an historical building; or
- (iii) Other measures have been taken so that the overall heat loss for the dwelling envelope does not exceed the total heat loss which would result from conformance with the minimum requirements of Rule 2.F.2.g. Such a heat loss calculation must be certified by a licensed architect or engineer.

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