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GENERAL INFORMATION

10. CONDITIONS OF GAS SERVICE: (CONT'D)

H. Minimum Insulation Standards for the Provision of Gas Service:

(1) <u>Definitions</u>:

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

- (a) "Dwelling" A building designed or used as the living unit for one or more families. Mobile homes shall not be considered dwellings.
- (b) "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."
- (2) Applicability and Compliance for New Dwellings:

All new dwellings 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:

- (a) 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,
- (b) An affirmation is given by the contractor or builder on a certificate of compliance (see Rule 10.H.11.a) that the construction of the dwelling will comply with the Energy Conservation Construction Code within 30 days after occupancy; or,
- (c) A modification or variance from the requirements of the Energy Conservation Construction Code is issued by the State Board of Review as constituted pursuant to the Executive Law.

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