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GENERAL INFORMATION

2. How Service May Be Obtained: (Cont'd.)

K. Residential Insulation Standards: (Cont'd.)

2. Minimum Standards for New Dwellings: (Cont'd.)

e) Penalties for Noncompliance (Cont'd.)

- (3) In the event the owner is not billed for the provision of electric service, no surcharges will be applied to the bills of the non-owner occupants of the dwelling. Instead, after notification to the owner that the dwelling is not in compliance, a surcharge will be billed to the owner. The surcharge will be 25 percent of the electric bills for the dwelling that is not in compliance.

In the event that circumstances prevent collecting the surcharge amount from the owner of the non-complying dwelling, the Corporation may refuse future connections for service to new tenants in the dwelling until it is brought into compliance.

Furthermore, if the owner is an occupant of the dwelling, but is not billed for any gas or electric service, the surcharge will be imposed on the bill for service to the unit occupied by the owner.

3. Minimum Standards For Existing Dwellings Converting to Electric Space Heat:

a) Applicability and Compliance

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

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

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