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GENERAL INFORMATION

PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

6. EXTENSION AND MAINTENANCE OF DISTRIBUTION PROVIDER FACILITIES (Cont'd)

B. ALLOWANCES FOR THE PROVISION OF ELECTRIC SERVICE (Cont'd)

(7) Allowance for a Combination of Overhead and Underground Service

The costs and expenses the Distribution Provider must bear for combined overhead and underground service shall be equal to the material and installation cost allowances contained in Rule 6.B.(3) for residential Retail Customers and Rule 6.B.(6) for non-residential Retail Customers.

(8) Facilities in Excess of Those Allowed in Rule 6.B.(1)-(7)

When a Distribution Customer requires facilities in addition to the allowances provided in Rule 6.B.(1) - (7), such costs and expenses shall be paid for by the Distribution Customer.

C. <u>PERMANENT SERVICE LATERALS</u>

An overhead service lateral for a residential Retail Customer shall be installed, owned, operated and maintained by the Distribution Provider.

An overhead service lateral for a non-residential Retail Customer may be installed by the Distribution Provider, or by the Distribution Customer, or the Distribution Provider and the Distribution Customer may each install a portion of the lateral.

An underground service lateral may be installed and owned by a Distribution Customer or by the Distribution Provider.

The Distribution Customer and the Distribution provider are each responsible for the ownership, operation, and maintenance of the portion of the service lateral, if any, on its side of the service point.

Normal maintenance of a service lateral by the Distribution Provider shall not be considered an increase in service capacity. Increases in service capacity shall be made in accordance with Rule 6.C.(7), except where the Retail Customer requires an increase in voltage or number of phases, in which case such increase shall be considered a new service installation. Replacement of a Distribution Provider owned service lateral shall also be considered a new service application. In both cases, the Distribution Customer will be entitled to the appropriate allowances.

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