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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

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

##### C. PERMANENT SERVICE LATERALS (Cont'd)

If a residential Retail Customer, because of the length of the service line or other conditions, requires that a service line or portion of the service line be installed at a primary voltage or with a transformer located on the Retail Customer's property, the Distribution Provider shall install and maintain the primary portion of the service line. The Distribution Customer shall bear the costs and expenses for the primary portion of the service line, transformer pad installation, and secondary voltage service line less a dollar allowance equivalent to the allowance for residential service lines under Rule 6.B.(1) for underground service or 6.B.(3) for overhead service. For underground service lines, the Distribution Customer may provide for any trenching, provided however that the trench must meet the Distribution Provider's specifications. If there is any delay or rework occasioned by incomplete or inadequate Distribution Customer trenching, the Distribution Provider may charge the Distribution Customer any costs and expenses incurred as a result.

The Distribution Customer shall pay for a service lateral (excluding transformers, accessories and switching equipment) installed by the Distribution Provider as follows:

##### (1) **Overhead Service Lateral**

- (a) At voltages not exceeding 12.5 kilovolts when either an overhead service lateral requires installation of a pole (not including a pole installed for distribution purposes) or the route of the service lateral requires installation of facilities in excess of any allowance provided for under Rule 6.B, the Distribution Customer shall be charged for the costs and expenses of those excess facilities determined by the Distribution Provider to be required at the costs listed in the Distribution Provider's Statement of Common Construction Charges.

##### Special Construction Charges

Whenever special requirements of the Retail Customer or the physical properties of the installation site necessitate construction methods or installations other than standard, the Distribution Customer shall be responsible for any costs and expenses associated with such non-standard construction.

- (b) When voltage exceeds 12.5 kilovolts, the Distribution Customer shall be charged for the Distribution Provider's costs and expenses for that portion of the service lateral on the Retail Customer's property which is in excess of any allowance provided for under Rule 6.B.

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