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

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(5) Exceptions to the General Rule (Cont'd)

(c) Slow Development of a Subdivision

When the Distribution Customer or its Retail Customer is not primarily engaged in the construction of dwelling units within the subdivision and there is no governmental authority requiring undergrounding; and either (i) five years have elapsed from the sale of the first lot to the first Retail Customer for retail service and there is no indication there will be any other Retail Customers within six months or (ii) five years have elapsed from the time of final approval of the subdivision and less than 25 percent of the lots have been sold in the subdivision or any section thereof except where 10 percent or more were sold within the last two years, overhead distribution facilities may be installed. Where overhead distribution would be permissible under (1) or (2) except that less than five years have elapsed and the Distribution Provider has reason to believe the subdivision will not be developed sufficiently soon to permit orderly utilization of underground lines, the Distribution Provider may petition the Public Service Commission to allow overhead lines, if a governmental authority having jurisdiction to do so has not required that underground facilities be installed; or

(d) Cul-de-sac

Overhead facilities may be installed when no more than 600 feet of overhead extension is required to serve a cul-de-sac where a portion of the street within the subdivision is served by overhead facilities within or at the entrance to the cul-de-sac, if a governmental authority having jurisdiction to do so has not required that underground facilities be installed; or

(e) Connection of Existing Overhead Lines

Overhead facilities may be installed when existing overhead distribution lines can be connected by no more than 1,200 feet of extension, if a governmental authority having jurisdiction to do so has not required that underground facilities be installed; or

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