## GENERAL INFORMATION

## II. Rules and Regulations (continued):

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- 2A. General Provisions (continued):
  - .1.5.1 The applicant will be a reasonably permanent and bona fide user of gas service at premises which he owns or occupies; and
  - .1.5.2 that such use of gas service will conform in all respects with the requirements of the service classification under which the applicant desires service; and
  - .1.5.3 that the use of gas service furnished pursuant to the application will not violate any of the Rules and Regulations of the Company or the requirements of any governmental authority having jurisdiction thereof.
  - .1.5.4 The customer at all times during which service is furnished must maintain his equipment, piping and facilities in compliance with the Rules and Regulations of the Company and the requirements of any governmental authority having jurisdiction thereof.
  - .1.5.5 The applicant will make payment for:
  - .1.5.5.1 The material and installation costs relating to any portion of the required new service line, service connections and appurtenant facilities located on the applicant's property that exceeds the portion which the Company is required to install without charge;
  - .1.5.5.2 Any surcharge relating to the portion of the main and appurtenant facilities that exceed the portion which the Company is required to install without charge; and
  - .1.5.5.3 The rates charged like customers.
  - .1.5.6 There is reasonable security as to the performance of the customer agreement, if required by the Company.
  - .1.6 Former Indebtedness Paid Residential: The Company will not be obligated to provide service to an applicant who owes the Company money for residential service provided to a prior account in his or her name unless:
  - .1.6.1 the applicant makes full payment for residential service provided to any such prior account in his or her name; or
  - .1.6.2 the applicant agrees to make payments under a deferred payment plan, as set forth at Rule 4E, of any amounts due for service to a prior account in his or her name; or
  - .1.6.3 the applicant has pending a billing dispute with respect to any amounts due for service to a prior account in his or her name and has paid any amounts required to be paid; or

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