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- (f) Except as provided elsewhere in paragraph 15A, no other new customer may be attached unless:
  - 1. The above restrictions are lifted by order of the Public Service Commission;
  - 2. The gas is to be used for a commercial or industrial process for which there is no practical substitute, the attachment of which is approved by the Public Service Commission.

Unless otherwise ordered by the Public Service Commission, the restrictions contained in paragraph 15A are lifted until further notice.

Customers eligible under existing tariffs, to whom (g) commitments have been made prior to October 26, 1971, or who have made substantial economic investments prior to such date, and have made written application for gas service prior to September 1, 1972 accompanied by evidence of substantial investment, may be connected without regard to the requirements for new attachments otherwise contained herein. Commitment for this purpose shall mean a written document by which the Company is bound to render service. Substantial investment for this purpose shall mean: (a) for existing buildings, the owner or developer shall submit satisfactory written evidence that the customer was legally obligated to purchase gas utilization equipment prior to October 26, 1971, and was eligible under the Schedule for Gas Service effective at that date (b) for new buildings, the owner or developer shall provide satisfactory written evidence that prior to October 26, 1971, (1) the customer was legally obligated to purchase gas utilization equipment, or (2) an architect or consulting engineer had prepared detailed plans and specifications providing for the installation of gas utilization equipment, and, the customer was eligible under the Schedule for Gas Service effective at that date.

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