

P.S.C. No. 2 – Water
SUEZ Water New York Inc.
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F. The entire private fire service system shall be subject to the inspection, test and approval of the Company before the service is made effective. The Company shall have the right to enter the premises at any reasonable time for the purpose of making an inspection of the entire private fire service system. Any irregularities disclosed shall be cause for discontinuing service unless corrected by the Customer within ten days after written notice is given by the Company.

G. No water shall be taken or used through a private fire service connection for any purpose other than for extinguishing accidental fires, except for the purpose of testing fire fighting equipment, or as specified under paragraph (d). Such tests as mentioned above may be made only under special permit from the Company and the Company may require that its representative be present at such test.

5.7 Private Fire Hydrants

Private unmetered fire protection shall be available only through hydrants owned by the Company, adjacent to mains of the Company installed within easements granted to and accepted by the Company within private streets or in other privately owned areas. Such private fire protection shall be subject to the provisions of the preceding paragraph and to the same usage restrictions as are listed for public fire hydrants in Section 6.1. Charges are made in accordance with Service Classification No. 3.

5.8 Interest on Customer Overpayments

A. The Company shall provide interest on Customer overpayments in accordance with 16 NYCRR 534.

B. A Customer overpayment is defined as payment by the Customer to the Company in excess of the correct charge for water service supplied to the Customer which was caused by erroneous billing by the Company due to its own mistake.

C. The rate of interest on such amounts shall be the greater of the unadjusted Customer deposit rate or the applicable late payment rate, if any, for the service classification under which the Customer was billed. Interest shall be paid from the date when the Customer overpayment was made, adjusted for any changes in the deposit rate or late payment rate, if any, and compounded monthly, until the date when the overpayment was refunded.

D. The Company shall be required to pay interest on any Customer refunds that occurred on or after August 24, 1992. The Company shall not be required to pay interest on Customer overpayments that are refunded within 30 days of overpayment.

5.9 Drought Charges

Cancelled by supplement No. 6 effective 01/23/2023
Whenever the Rockland County Health Department or any duly authorized government entity ("Government Entity") enacts mandatory county-