

PSC NO: 119 ELECTRICITY  
NEW YORK STATE ELECTRIC & GAS CORPORATION  
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### GENERAL INFORMATION

3. Service Connections/Meters: (Cont'd.)

A. General: (Cont'd.)

III. Meter Owned, Installed and Maintained by Third Party: (Cont'd.)

- b. The Company is not responsible for the adequacy or safety of customer's metering equipment or wiring. The Company reserves the right to discontinue service whenever the customer or other third party fails to maintain such metering equipment and wiring in a safe and adequate condition or fails to utilize electricity in such a manner as to avoid interference with the service provided by the Company to other customers, or with the use of service by customer or others.
- c. New or re-built meter installations shall, at a minimum, conform to National Electric Code requirements and shall be subject to inspection from an independent, competent inspection body.
- d. Consistent with the Manual, customers must provide the utility and MSP/MDSP with clear access to the metering site for the purpose of meter installation, reading, inspecting or auditing the metering installation, recovery of metering equipment, or maintaining metering equipment.
- e. For the Competitive Metering Option, all new metering installations shall conform to standards specified in the Manual. Meter equipment sealing and locking shall also be provided in accordance with the standards specified in the Manual and further clarified in the Competitive Metering Operating Agreement. Meter inspections and testing shall be done in accordance with the Manual.

B. Outdoor Meters:

The Company requires an applicant for service to install its service wiring so that the meter is accessible to the Company employees from the outside of the applicant's building. The cost of the installation of facilities to accept an outdoor meter, or to relocate an existing non-accessible meter, shall be borne by the customer. The Company's authorized employees shall have the ability to access and seal the metering equipment. Meters shall be installed outside, unless approved by the Company.

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