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#### GENERAL INFORMATION

#### 2. Submetering:

# Non-Residential

A customer may purchase electricity for resale under any service classification of this rate schedule that would be applicable if such electricity were not for resale and said customer may resell the electricity purchased to tenants on an individually metered basis subject to approval by the Public Service Commission in response to individual proposals concerning electric service furnished to:

- A. Master metered, new or renovated non-residential buildings; and to commercial tenants who receive directly metered service; and
- B. Commercial occupants of cooperatives, condominiums, campgrounds, recreational trailer parks or recreational marinas whose occupants were purchasing individually metered electric service on May 21, 1980.

Submetered Multi-unit Residential Premises

Submetering, remetering, or resale of electric service shall be permitted as provided in subparagraphs (a) through (d) of this Rule.

- (a) Electric service shall only be provided to a multi-unit residential premises in which individual dwelling units in the premises receive submetered electric service if the submetering
  - (i) is and continues to be authorized by PSC order where a PSC order was necessary;
  - (ii) is and continues to be consistent with any conditions imposed by such order; and
  - (iii) is and continues to be consistent with 16 NYCRR Part 96.
- (b) Existing Direct Metered Multi-unit Residential Premises
  - (1) Electric service provided to individual residential units in existing multi-unit residential premises through direct metering may not be discontinued or replaced by master metering unless a Petition to Submeter is filed that:
    - (i) complies with the applicable requirements of 16 NYCRR 96.5 and 96.6;
    - (ii) seeks to convert such premises from direct metering to master-metering with submetering; and
    - (iii) demonstrates that the building or complex for which master metering with submetering is sought shall participate in building level demand response programs
    - or

shall employ on-site co-generation plant or an alternative, advanced energy efficiency

design, the conversion to submetering may be authorized by the PSC.

(2) All costs associated with a conversion to master metering shall be borne by the customer converting to master metering. Such costs shall be determined in accordance with P.S.C. No. 119, Rule 6, Charges for Special Services.

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### GENERAL INFORMATION

# 2. Submetering: (Cont'd)

Submetered Multi-unit Residential Premises (Cont'd)

(c) Assisted Living and Senior Living Facilities

1. Assisted Living and Senior Living Facilities may be exempted from residential individual metering requirements if they meet all of the following criteria:

- (i) The applicant shall submit sufficient documentation to enable the Company to determine the applicant's eligibility as an Assisted Living or Senior Living Facility.
  (aa) An Assisted Living Facility is a multi-unit residential premises, identified as assisted living facilities and certified by the NYS Department of Health.
  (bb) A Senior Living Facility is a multi-unit residential premises in which energy-efficient housing or other services are provided, and shall be provided in the future, to resident senior citizens.
- (ii) The Company shall inform the applicant if such documentation is insufficient to determine eligibility. Within 30 days of receipt of adequate documentation, the Company shall notify the applicant of its eligibility or ineligibility for master metering.

2. All costs associated with a conversion to master metering shall be borne by the customer converting to master metering. Such costs shall be determined in accordance with P.S.C. No. 119, Rule 6, Charges for Special Services.

3. Assisted Living and Senior Living Facilities that no longer meet the above criteria or desire to convert to a different use shall no longer be exempt from individual metering requirements and shall either convert to individual metering or petition the PSC for approval of an alternative means of receiving electric service.

- (d) Campgrounds, Recreational Trailer Parks, Marinas, and Parking Facilities Electric service may be provided to the facility owner or operator of campgrounds, recreational trailer parks, marinas and parking facilities for redistribution to individual campsites, trailer, boat hookups, or plug-in electric vehicle charging stations with or without submetering. Master metering and submetering, at the facility owner's or operator's option, may be installed and used for billing without PSC approval and are not subject to submetering service conditions.
- (3) <u>Submetering in Master-metered Residential Cooperatives and Condominiums</u> Master-metering with submetering in residential cooperatives or condominiums shall be authorized:

(a) after filing a Notice of Intent to Submeter which includes the information, descriptions, plans, forms, certifications, and other materials and representations specified for such Notices in 16 NYCRR 96.5;

(b) after individual notices to owners or shareholders are provided pursuant to 16 NYCRR 96.3(c); and (c) upon the PSC's determination and order approving such submetering as in the public interest and consistent with the provision of safe and adequate electric service to residents.

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