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# 2. HOW TO OBTAIN SERVICE

#### 2.1 APPLICATION FOR SERVICE

A written, duly executed application, on the applicable form as shown in Rule 8, is required from each customer. When accepted by the Company, the application shall constitute the contract between the customer and the Company and shall bind and inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of the respective parties thereto.

#### 2.2 LIMITATION OF SERVICE OFFER

The Company's offer of service included in and made pursuant to the provisions of the Schedule and the Service Classification to which it relates, is subject to and modified by the provisions, conditions and limitations from time to time imposed by executive or administrative rules or orders issued from time to time by State or Federal officers, commissions, boards or bodies having jurisdiction.

#### 2.3 KIND OF SERVICE

The Company will at all times endeavor to furnish service best suited to the applicant's or customer's requirements. Nothing in this Schedule shall be interpreted as requiring the Company to tap its transmission, distribution or series street lighting systems except as found feasible by its engineers.

#### 2.31 STREET LIGHTING

Service for street lighting will be rendered an applicant or customer under a single Service Classification within the applicant's or customer's jurisdictional limits, except under the following conditions:

- Applicant or customer requests service under more than one Service Classification;
- b. Applicant or customer specifies, in writing, the geographical areas to be served under a Service Classification other than Service Classification No. 1:
- c. The described geographic limits, under which the specific service is to be rendered, are readily discernable in the field and meet the requirements of Rule 2.4; and
- d. Applicant's or customer's street lighting equipment is identifiable in the field. (See Special Provision 2e of Service Classification No. 2).

#### 2.32 TRAFFIC SIGNALS

Service for traffic signals will be rendered under Service Classification No. 3.

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# 2. HOW TO OBTAIN SERVICE (Cont'd)

# 2.4 MINIMUM SERVICE AREA

The Company shall not be required to render service under either Service Classification No. 1 or 2 of this Schedule to an area within an applicant's or customer's jurisdictional limits which consists of less than

- a. 1500 contiguous feet, or two full, actual street blocks, whichever is less, in the case of streets, roads, alleys, ways and highways,
- b. the entire contiguous parcel in the case of parks and playgrounds; or
- c. an entire contiguous school parcel in the case of school district premises

unless such area is contiguous to other areas served under the same Service Classification and such areas, combined, meet the foregoing minimum requirements.

The minimum area specified in (a) above, shall include both sides of the street, road, alley, way or highway (but shall be measured only along one side), and, in non-rural areas, shall begin and terminate at intersections. A street which is either only one block long from beginning to end, or a dead-end street from intersection to its end, shall meet the minimum area requirements regardless of length. As used herein, "intersection" may include any adjacent corners.

For purposes of (b) and (c), parcels intersected by a public street or highway, by a railroad right of way, or by a river, shall not be deemed to be contiguous. Where a customer wishes to convert such a parcel from Service Classification No. 1 to Service Classification No. 2, to comply with this Rule 2.4 such customer shall have the option to acquire, in accordance with Special Provision 3.C of Service Classification No. 1 of this Tariff, the Company's street lighting facilities within such parcel, subject, however, to any necessary governmental and private approvals; in exercising this option, such customer may exclude street lighting facilities for public streets or highways within such parcel provided that, thereafter, such streets or highways will meet the requirements of (a) of this Rule 2.4.