

Rule No. 15
MAIN EXTENSIONS
(continued)

C. Extensions to Serve Subdivisions, Tracts, Housing Projects,
Industrial Developments, Commercial Buildings, or Shopping Centers

c. In lieu of providing the advances in accordance with Sections C.1.a. and C.1.b., the applicant for a main extension shall be permitted, if qualified in the judgment of the utility, to construct and install the facilities himself, or arrange for their installation pursuant to competitive bidding procedures initiated by him and limited to the qualified bidders. The cost, including the cost of inspection and supervision by the utility, shall be paid directly by applicant. The applicant shall provide the utility with a statement of actual construction cost in reasonable detail. The amount to be treated as an advance subject to refund shall be the lesser of (1) the actual cost or (2) the price quoted in the utility's detailed cost estimate. The installation shall be in accordance with the plans and specifications submitted by the utility pursuant to Section A.5.b.

d. If, in the opinion of the utility it appears that a proposed main extension will not, within a reasonable period, development sufficient revenue to make the extension self-supporting, or if for some other reason it appears to the utility that a main extension contract would place an excessive burden on customers, the utility may require nonrefundable contributions of plant facilities from developers in lieu of a main extension contract. (N)

e. If an applicant for a main extension contract who is asked to contribute the facilities believes such a request to be unreasonable, such applicant may refer the matter to the Commission for determination, as provided for in Section A.8. of this rule.

2. Refunds (N)

a. The amount advanced under Sections C.1.a., C.1.b., and C.1.c. shall be subject to refund by the utility, in cash, without interest, to the party or parties entitled thereto as set forth in the following two paragraphs. The total amount so refunded shall not exceed the total of the amount advanced and for a period not to exceed 40 years after the date of the contract.

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