

## USE BY THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section is new language derived without substantive change from Art. 62B, §6 (c), (f), and the first sentence of (a). It is revised to conform to similar provisions appearing elsewhere in this article; see, e.g., §5-714 of this article.

In subsection (a) of this section, the present phrase "if a reasonable price cannot be agreed upon or if the owner is legally incapacitated or... absent, unknown or unable to convey legal title" is deleted as unnecessary and to conform with the language granting condemnation authority elsewhere in this article, e.g., §7-401.

In subsection (b) (3) of this section, the term "public service company" is substituted for "public service or public utility corporation" to conform to the nomenclature used in Art. 78 of the Code. Also, the present prerequisite that property not subject to condemnation be "held in reasonable amounts for necessary future public use" is revised to refer more simply to property "reasonably necessary for future public use"; certainly, the intention was to consider the possible public use of the actual property considered for condemnation, not the amount of other property that might or might not be held by the company.

As to the exercise of the powers granted by this section, see §6-203(b) of this title.

As to the general power of the Administration to acquire property, see, also, §6-205(c) and (e) of this title.

As to the "territorial jurisdiction" of the Administration, referred to in subsection (b) (2) of this section, see §6-103 of this title.

6-302. POWER OF STATE AND POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS TO TRANSFER PROPERTY TO ADMINISTRATION.

NOTWITHSTANDING ANY CONTRARY PROVISION OF LAW, THIS STATE, ITS AGENCIES, AND ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS MAY LEASE, LEND, GRANT, OR OTHERWISE CONVEY TO THE ADMINISTRATION, AT ITS REQUEST, ANY PROPERTY, INCLUDING PROPERTY DEVOTED TO PUBLIC USE, THAT IS NECESSARY OR CONVENIENT FOR THE PURPOSES OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 62B, §6 (t).