

(4), and (5) and (b).

Throughout this section, the word "notice" is used uniformly to describe the required filing under this section. Unlike the word "request", in former Article 43, § 568W(a)(1), the word "notice" accurately implies that a change may become effective without active Commission approval. This substitution is based on the word "notice", which appeared in the second and third sentences of former Article 43, § 568W(a)(1).

In subsection (a)(1) of this section, the phrase "defined under § 19-217(b)" is substituted for the phrase "which can not be changed without prior approval of the Commission, except in accordance with the following procedure", for clarity.

Also in subsection (a)(1) of this section, the former reference to "{f}rom and after July 1, 1974" is deleted as unnecessary.

In subsection (b)(5)(ii) of this section, the clause "that relates to the proposed change" is substituted for the reference to evidence "for and against the requested change", since there may be more than a two-sided "for" and "against" consideration of the merits of a proposed change.

In subsection (c)(2) of this section, the former phrase "in advance of any review procedure" is deleted as repetitive.

In subsection (c)(3) of this section, the reference "consider the reasonableness" is substituted for the reference to a "review procedure", for clarity.

In subsection (f) of this section, the phrase "shall comply with the Administrative Procedure Act" is substituted for the requirements that the decision be in writing and state the reasons for the decision, for brevity.

The only other changes are in style.

Former Article 43, § 568W(a)(2)(i), which enabled suspension of a proposed rate change, is deleted because it was repealed by Ch. 387, Acts of 1975, which amended former Article 43, § 568W(a)(1) to set out other suspension provisions. Michie Company, in the codification of former Article 43, § 568W(a)(2) has treated paragraph (i) as revived by Ch. 831, Acts of 1975, which amended