

- (ii) a telecommunications corporation;
- (iii) a cable television corporation;
- (iv) a political subdivision;
- (v) a municipal corporation;
- (vi) a steam heating company; and
- (vii) an authority.

(G) "OWNER-CONTRACTOR INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEM" MEANS AN AUTOMATED VOICE RESPONSE UNIT MAINTAINED AS A PART OF A ONE-CALL SYSTEM.

[(g)](H) (1) "Person" has the meaning stated in § 1-101 of this article.

(2) "Person" includes:

- (i) a municipal corporation; and
- (ii) a governmental unit, department, or agency.

[(h)](I) (1) "Underground facility" means personal property that is to be buried or submerged for:

(i) use in connection with the storage or conveyance of water, sewage, oil, gas, or other substances; or

(ii) transmission or conveyance of electronic, telephonic, or telegraphic communications or electricity.

(2) "Underground facility" includes pipes, sewers, conduits, cables, valves, lines, wires, manholes, attachments, and those portions of poles below ground.

(3) "Underground facility" does not include a stormwater drain.

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(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, a person that operates a one-call system in the State shall register with and obtain certification to operate from the Commission.

(b) A person operating a one-call system on or before July 1, 1990, is automatically registered with and certified by the Commission to continue to operate.

(C) (1) THE OPERATOR OF A ONE-CALL SYSTEM SHALL INSTALL AND MAKE AVAILABLE AN OWNER-CONTRACTOR INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEM IN ITS ONE-CALL CENTER IN THE STATE.

(2) THE OWNER-CONTRACTOR INFORMATION EXCHANGE SYSTEM SHALL BE AVAILABLE TO ANY CALLER AT ALL TIMES.

[(c)](D) The Commission may grant, amend, or revoke the certification of a person operating a one-call system.