

substituted for the former reference to a "company" for clarity.

In the introductory language of subsection (c)(1) of this section, the former reference to filing a complaint "with the Public Service Commission" is deleted as implicit. Similarly, in subsection (c)(1) of this section, the former requirement that an offender appear "before it" is deleted.

In subsection (c)(1)(ii) and (iv), (2), (3), and (4) of this section, the references to an "offender" are substituted for the former references to "some other carrier", "the offending carrier", and "the carrier complained of" for consistency and conformity with subsection (c)(1) of this section.

In subsection (c)(5)(i) of this section, the reference to "operations" is substituted for the former reference to a "violation or infringement" for consistency and conformity with subsection (c)(3) of this section.

Defined terms: "Commission" § 1-101

"County" § 1-101

"Gas master meter operator" § 1-101

"Person" § 1-101

"Public service company" § 1-101

## 2-118. LONG-RANGE SERVICE PLANS.

### (A) SCOPE OF SECTION.

THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO TAXICABS, POWER BOAT COMPANIES, TOLL BRIDGES, OR TOWING AND LIGHTERING COMPANIES.

### (B) IN GENERAL.

THE COMMISSION SHALL REQUIRE EACH PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY SUBJECT TO ITS JURISDICTION TO FORMULATE AND, AFTER APPROVAL BY THE COMMISSION, TO IMPLEMENT LONG-RANGE PLANS TO PROVIDE SERVICE.

### (C) ENERGY CONSERVATION.

THE COMMISSION SHALL REQUIRE EACH ELECTRIC COMPANY IN THE STATE TO INCLUDE IN THE LONG-RANGE PLAN ADEQUATE PROVISIONS TO PROMOTE ENERGY CONSERVATION TO DECREASE OR MODERATE ELECTRIC AND, AS APPROPRIATE, NATURAL GAS DEMAND FROM CUSTOMERS.

### (D) REVIEW OF PLANS.

(1) THE COMMISSION SHALL REVIEW EACH PLAN FOR ADEQUACY UNDER THE CRITERIA OF § 2-113 OF THIS SUBTITLE, GIVING ATTENTION TO THE INTERRELATIONSHIP OF SERVICES OF OTHER PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANIES AND TO PROVISIONS FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT TO ENSURE ADEQUATE SERVICE.

(2) AS PART OF THE REVIEW, AND SUBJECT TO ANY APPLICABLE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT, THE COMMISSION SHALL CONSULT WITH OTHER STATE UNITS AND PROVIDE AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT.