

STANDARD PRACTICE

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PAGE NO. _____ EFFECTIVE _____ISSUING DEPARTMENT GAS OPERATIONSSUBJECT: DAMAGE TO UNDERGROUND PROPERTY OF OTHERS, AVOIDINGPURPOSE

1. To establish basic minimal requirements so that proper consideration will be given to the existence of other underground facilities prior to commencing construction.

POLICY AND APPLICATION

2. It is the policy of the Company to make every reasonable effort to avoid damaging the underground facilities of others.

Success in preventing damage to Company owned or other underground facilities depends primarily on a common attitude of cooperation. To this end, each Division and the Departments of Pipe Line Operations and General Construction shall incorporate at each of its headquarters the procedure contained in the Supplement to this Standard Practice. Close liason with operating personnel of other utility services should be encouraged. To enhance this attitude of cooperation, every reasonable effort shall be made to comply promptly with requests for information concerning the location of the Company's underground facilities in accordance with S. P. 403-2.

RESPONSIBILITY

3. It is the job foreman's responsibility to determine that he has been provided with all the available information relative to underground facilities in the vicinity of his job.

PROCEDURAL DETAILS

4. Procedural details appear in the Supplement printed on the reverse side of this Standard Practice.

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