

Section 6: Generating Equipment Owned by Members

GENERAL

The installation, connection, and operation of Member-owned generating equipment by a Member who takes service from NHEC may be restricted under the provisions of rates in NHEC's Tariff. The Member shall contact NHEC to obtain this information as part of the Member's planning to make an installation of generating equipment. Prior to operation of Member-owned generating equipment, NHEC shall have the right to inspect any Member-owned controlling and safety equipment associated with the generating equipment, together with the manner in which the generator is electrically connected to the Member's load and/or NHEC's electrical system to assure itself that the operation of this equipment will not create an undue risk of damage or injury to NHEC or its other Members.

STANDBY GENERATING EQUIPMENT

Members may install generating equipment to serve as a standby source of electricity to supply all or a part of the Member's load in the event of an interruption in the supply of electricity from NHEC. The Member's interconnection shall be arranged so that no electrical connection can occur between NHEC's service and the Member's standby source of supply. The standby source shall be controlled through the use of a double throw switch, (Refer to Construction Standard DPS1 located in the back of the book) installed in a manner acceptable to NHEC, and designed to prevent the possibility of any electrical connection between NHEC's normal electrical supply and the Member's standby source. At NHEC's discretion, the Member's standby source may be allowed to connect with NHEC's supply provided certain conditions set forth by NHEC are addressed by the Member.



Back-up Generator Registration Form

If you own an emergency / stand-by electric generator to supply power during outages, it is critical for your safety and the safety of New Hampshire Electric Co-op line crews that your equipment be properly installed and that the Co-op is aware that you have a generator. Please fill out the following form so that we can update our records to reflect your installation.

NHEC Account Information

Today's Date _____ Phone Number _____

Name _____

Address _____

Account Number _____

Generator Information

Generator Size (In Watts) _____ Brand Name _____

Installation Date (Month & Year) _____ Fuel Type _____

Transfer Switch? Yes ___ No ___ (If Yes) Type: Automatic ___ Manual ___ Model _____

Installation by Licensed Electrician? Yes ___ No ___ Inspection by Licensed Electrician? Yes ___ No ___

NHEC Use

Reviewed By _____

Record Updated _____

Follow-up _____

Return To:

Generator Registration
New Hampshire Electric Cooperative
579 Tenney Mountain Hwy.
Plymouth, NH 03264

Questions:

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