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SCHEDULES

SCHEDULE 3

OTHER AMENDMENTS OF PART I OF 1986 ACT

Construction of pipe-lines by public gas transporters

20 After section 22 of the 1986 Act there shall be inserted the following section—

“22A Construction of pipe-lines.

- (1) A public gas transporter shall not at any time execute in an authorised area of another public gas transporter any works for the construction of a pipe-line unless—
 - (a) he has given the other transporter a notice stating that he intends to construct the pipe-line;
 - (b) he has consulted with that transporter as to exactly where in that area the proposed pipe-line is to be located, having regard to the location of other pipe-lines in that area; and
 - (c) he has consulted with that transporter as to the manner in which—
 - (i) the safety of the pipe-line is to be secured; and
 - (ii) any escapes of gas (actual or suspected) from the pipe-line are to be dealt with.
- (2) A notice under subsection (1)(a) above shall—
 - (a) specify the points between which the proposed pipe-line is to run and be accompanied by a map (drawn to an appropriate scale) on which is delineated the route which it is proposed to take;
 - (b) specify the length, diameter and operating pressure of the proposed pipe-line and the kind of gas which it is designed to convey; and
 - (c) contain such other particulars (if any) as may be prescribed.
- (3) In this section—

“construction”, in relation to a pipe-line, includes placing;
“pipe-line” has the same meaning as in the Pipe-lines Act 1962.
- (4) For the purposes of this section the execution of works in land for the purpose of determining whether or not it is suitable for the placing in it of a pipe-line and the carrying out of surveying operations for the purpose of settling the route of a proposed pipe-line shall be deemed not to constitute the execution of works for the construction of a pipe-line.”

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Whole provisions yet to be inserted into this Act (including any effects on those provisions):

- Sch. 3 para. 42(1)(a)para. 42(2)(a) repealed by [2000 c. 27 Sch. 8](#)