

## SECTION 5.19. PUBLIC SERVICE CORPORATIONS

Land or structures used, or to be used by a public service corporation may be exempted in particular respects from the operation of this Zoning Bylaw if, upon petition of the corporation, the Department of Public Utilities shall, after notice given pursuant to Section 6.4 and public hearing in the Town, determine the exemptions required and find that the present or proposed use of the land or structure is reasonably necessary for the convenience or welfare of the public; provided, however, that if lands or structures used or to be used by a public service corporation are located in more than one municipality such lands or structures may be exempted in particular respects from the operation of any zoning ordinance or bylaw if, upon petition of the corporation, the Department of Public Utilities shall, after notice to all affected communities and public hearing in one of said municipalities, determine the exemptions required and find that the present or proposed use of the land or structure is reasonably necessary for the convenience of welfare of the public.

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