

1. The Mills will operate its lower hydroelectric plant so as not to draw down the water level in the pond more than six inches below the pond-full level of said plant. Whenever the flow into said pond is less than 260 c.f.s., the drawdown shall be limited to three inches. Whenever it is necessary to draw down the water in said pond more than six inches for repair or maintenance of gates or other equipment, the Mills will make all reasonable efforts to schedule such drawdown during a period when the natural flow of the river will be 260 c.f.s. until the pond is refilled to within six inches of the pond-full level.

2. In such case, and in case the existing flashboards on the dam of said lower hydroelectric plant are removed by a flood, or in any other manner, the Mills will schedule the rebuilding of said flashboards and the filling of the pond and will so operate its turbines and gates as to discharge at all times not less than 260 c.f.s., or the full natural flow if less than 260 c.f.s.

3. Whenever the lower hydroelectric plant is to be shut down for the purpose of cleaning out accumulated silt in front of the intake, at least five days' written notice will be given by the Mills to the Power Company, and at the end of the cleaning out period the Mills will operate its sluice gate or other gate or turbine equipment in such manner as to discharge not less than 260 c.f.s. during the pond-filling period. Any loss in output of power at the lower hydroelectric plant due to such operation of the sluice gates shall be determined for each such shut-down, and shall be paid for by the Power Company on the same basis as is hereinafter set out for possible drawdowns. The Power Company will pay for extra labor expended by the Mills in closing the gates due to any obstruction to closure.

4. In all of the foregoing cases the Mills will be entitled to measure the stream flow by applying to the kilowatt load shown on its gauges the efficiency factor existing at the time as set forth in paragraph 5. The Mills will notify the superintendent or other representative of the Power Company in charge of the operation of its Lee Plant as soon as reasonably possible as to