



# Commercial Gas Connection Application

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Please refer to the Vector Terms & Conditions (overleaf) when completing this application

## 1. Initiator Details [All fields must be completed in this section]

Initiator	<input type="text"/>	Date	<input type="text"/>
Contact Person	<input type="text"/>		
Daytime Phone N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>	Fax N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>
Energy Retailer	<input type="text"/>		

## 2. Date Meter Installation Required [please tick relevant boxes]

<input type="checkbox"/> ASAP	<input type="checkbox"/> TBA	Date	<input type="text"/>
Special Requirements <input type="text"/>			

## 3. Installation Site Details

Customer/Developer	<input type="text"/>	Daytime Phone N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>
Lot/DPS N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>	Street N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>
		Street Name	<input type="text"/>
Suburb/Town	<input type="text"/>	City	<input type="text"/>
Developer/Gasfitter Name	<input type="text"/>	Daytime Phone N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>

## 4. Property Details [please tick relevant box]

<input type="checkbox"/> Existing Building	<input type="checkbox"/> New Build		
ACCESS:	<input type="checkbox"/> Back Section	<input type="checkbox"/> Right of Way (consent required)	<input type="checkbox"/> Cross Lease (consent required)
SURFACE:	<input type="checkbox"/> Concrete	<input type="checkbox"/> Grass	<input type="checkbox"/> Seal
Distance From Boundary to Meter Location	<input type="text"/>	(meters)	

## 5. Meter Location Details [Note: front of building determined by street address that fronts gas main]

Left Hand Side*	<input type="text"/>	(metres)	Right Hand Side*	<input type="text"/>	(metres)
Left Hand Front*	<input type="text"/>	(metres)	Right Hand Front*	<input type="text"/>	(metres)
					*Distance from corner
Boundary	<input type="text"/>	Pressure Required	<input type="text"/>		

## 6. Gas Required For [including Bayonet Point]. Specify quantities and MJ rating for each type of appliance

Qty	Appliance	MJ	Qty	Appliance	MJ	Qty	Appliance	MJ
<input type="text"/>	Heating	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Hot Water	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Boiler	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	Radiant Heater	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Furnace	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Wok Bench	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	Restaurant Cook Top	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Fryer	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Pizza Oven	<input type="text"/>
<input type="text"/>	Spray Booth	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	Dryer	<input type="text"/>			
Other Appliance:	Qty	<input type="text"/>	Appliance	<input type="text"/>	MJ Rating	<input type="text"/>		

## 7. Invoicing Details for Charges

Name	<input type="text"/>	Daytime Phone N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>
Postal Address	<input type="text"/>		

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<input type="checkbox"/> Application Received	<input type="checkbox"/> Application Declined	<input type="checkbox"/> Consents Received	ICP N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>	DB N <sup>o</sup>	<input type="text"/>
Comments <input type="text"/>						

## 1.0 Introduction

These terms and conditions form part of the contract with consumers whose applications for gas connection are approved by Vector and who accept Vector's offer of gas connection as defined in Vector's Gas Connection Application form ("Application"). These terms and conditions do not relate to the supply of gas by energy retailers. Vector means Vector Limited, a gas distributor under the Gas Act 1992.

## 2.0 Right of Ways

All Applications requiring any part of a gas connection to cross or enter;

- (a) A jointly held right of way ("ROW");
- (b) a cross leased section; or
- (c) an area over which an easement has been registered, will require the Customer to submit an additional consent form, signed by each owner (or associated party) giving Vector permission to lay a gas pipe over that area. Consent forms are obtainable from Vector.

## 3.0 Provision of Open Trench

Where the Customer is required to provide trenching prior to installation, the following specifications must be adhered to:

- For commercial services the trench must be at least 700mm deep from finished ground level and have a 150mm minimum clearance from all other services; or
- As otherwise notified by Vector.

## 4.0 Open Trench in Established Areas

In some circumstances Vector's contractor may need to open an additional small trench on the property for installation of your service. They will make all reasonable endeavours to minimise any inconvenience and reinstate the land to its existing conditions. Vector will lay the gas connection to your property in the most direct and cost efficient route to the meter location.

## 5.0 Connection Charges

A connection charge may apply which Vector will provide by way of a written quote for all commercial services. We will require your written acceptance and payment of these charges before installation of your gas connection and meter install can commence.

## 6.0 Variation in Connection Charges

If any incorrect information has been received by Vector causing us to incur additional costs, these will be on-charged to you, for example any additional costs incurred by Vector due to:

- Any extra contractor site visits to undertake the gas connection installation due to the site not being ready for connection on the specified connection date;
- Open trenching for the laying of gas piping has not being undertaken by the Customer or does not meet Vector's requirements set out in section 3; or
- Significant site obstacles are not specified (or incorrectly specified) that increase the cost of installation, this is not an exhaustive list, any other obstacles that are not notified to Vector at the time of Application for which Vector incurs additional costs will be on-charged to the Customer. Variation connection charges are required to be paid on receipt of invoice.

## 7.0 Cancellations

Cancellation fees will apply. In the event Vector has already incurred construction costs these will also be on-charged to the customer.

## 8.0 Gas Meter Location

Your gas meter can only be located in certain positions. Vector requires your commercial meter to be located on the property boundary where practical. Vector may vary this to maintain the following clearances:

- 1m from any opening vent, window or door; and
- 0.5m from any permanently connected electrical appliance, switchboard or metering board and/or from any permanent gas appliance or flue.

## 9.0 Appliances and Safety

As with any form of energy, gas must be treated with respect to prevent accidents. It is your responsibility as a gas consumer to ensure that your appliances are approved for use with natural gas and are installed or converted by a registered Craftsman Gasfitter, certified and kept in a safe condition.

We suggest that you discuss the appliances you intend to install with your Craftsman Gasfitter and/or Gas Appliance retailer before making a purchase. We require you to include on the Application form the number and type of appliances you intend to install. These details will be confirmed on your gas certificate of compliance.

## 10.0 Ownership

Vector will own all equipment associated with your service up to the inlet of your meter. The meter is owned by a meter service provider and may also be owned by Vector. You must take all reasonable care that the on-property network pipe (connection) and meter are not damaged. You must not interfere with the service and gas meter and must not permit others to interfere with it. Any damage by any party to the connection or gas piping and metering will be at the risk and for the account of the Customer. Vector is not liable for any indirect, consequential or economic loss or damage to any party. Vector retains the right, on reasonable notice, to enter the property for the purpose of maintenance and checking of connection and gas piping.

## 11.0 Privacy

Information provided to Vector will be held and made available to the Customer in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

## 12.0 General

- 12.1 In the event of default on any of your obligations under these Terms and Conditions, you shall pay all costs incurred by Vector (including costs on a solicitor/ client basis and debt collectors' costs) incurred in the recovery of outstanding moneys and the enforcement of these Terms and Conditions.
- 12.2 These Terms and Conditions constitute the entire agreement of the parties in respect of all matters covered by it and supersedes all previous agreements in respect of those matters.
- 12.3 No amendments to these Terms and Conditions are effective unless it is in writing and signed by all parties.
- 12.4 Vector may subcontract the performance of any obligations under these Terms and Conditions.
- 12.5 Vector reserves the right (at its sole discretion) to terminate this Agreement before installation occurs. In the event of any such termination, Vector shall refund all moneys paid to it by the Customer for any work not executed.
- 12.6 The Customer must advise Vector of any material changes to the property as soon as possible.