

RATE 15

SUPPLEMENTARY AND STANDBY SERVICE

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**AVAILABILITY**

Available to Small Power Producers and co-generators that are a Qualifying Facility as defined by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) Order No. 70 under Docket No. RM 79-54. This schedule is not available to Qualifying Facilities with a power production capacity greater than 100 KW.

**SUPPLEMENTARY SERVICE**

Supplementary service is defined herein as power supplied by the Company to a Qualifying Facility in addition to that which the Qualifying Facility generates itself. Supplementary service will be provided by the Company under a retail electric service schedule which the customer will establish in conjunction with the implementation of this Supplementary and Standby Service rate.

**SUPPLEMENTARY SERVICE**

- 1) Standby service under this schedule is defined herein as power supplied by the Company to a Qualifying Facility to replace energy ordinarily generated by a Qualifying Facility during a scheduled or unscheduled outage.
- 2) Standby service is available to customers establishing a firm demand which is billed under a retail electric service schedule of the Company. If no firm demand is established by the customer for the purpose of taking Supplementary power, then Standby service will be provided as Supplementary service and billed on the applicable retail electric service schedule.
- 3) Standby service is defined for each 15-minute interval as the minimum of: (1) the Standby contracted demand, and, (2) the difference between the measured load and the contracted firm demand, except that such difference shall not be less than zero.
- 4) Supplementary Service is defined as all power supplied by the Company not defined herein as Standby Service.
- 5) The Standby contract demand shall be limited to the power production capacity of the Qualifying Facility.

**STANDBY SERVICE POWER RATE PER MONTH**

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|--|--------------------|
| <b>Basic Facilities Charge</b>                 | \$ 200.00          |
| <b>Demand Charge per KW of Contract Demand</b> | \$ 5.36            |
| <b>Energy Charge:</b>                          |                    |
| On-Peak kWh @                                  | \$ 0.06741 per kWh |
| Off-Peak kWh @                                 | \$ 0.04952 per kWh |

**DETERMINATION OF ON-PEAK AND OFF-PEAK HOURS**

- A. On-Peak Hours:  
On-peak hours are defined to be 10:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. for the months of June-September, excluding weekends.
- B. Off-Peak Hours:  
All hours not defined as on-peak hours are considered to be off-peak.

**POWER FACTOR**

The customer must maintain a power factor of as near unity as practicable. If the power factor of the customer's installation falls below 85%, the Company shall adjust the billing demand to a basis of 85% power factor.

**LIMITING PROVISION**

The Standby Service power rate will be available for 1325 annual hours of consumption beginning in May and ending in April, or for a prorated share thereof for customers who begin to receive service in months other than May. Accounts on this rate are subject to the following condition: Standby service will be available for a maximum of 120 On-Peak Hours.

If this account exceeds: (1) 1325 hours of Standby service annually, or (2) 120 on-peak hours of Standby service, the account will be billed on the rate normally applied to customer's Supplementary service load for the current billing month and the subsequent eleven months.

**ADJUSTMENT FOR FUEL AND VARIABLE ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS**

Fuel costs of \$.03333 per kWh are included in the energy charge and are subject to adjustment by order of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

**DEMAND SIDE MANAGEMENT COMPONENT**

The energy charges above include a DSM component of \$.00088 per kWh for Demand Side Management expenses.

Effective for Bills Rendered On and After  
The First Billing Cycle of May 2013

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**PENSION COSTS COMPONENT**

The energy charges above include a Pension Costs component of \$.00051 per kWh as approved by the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

**STORM DAMAGE COMPONENT**

Inclusion of a storm damage component has been indefinitely suspended until further order of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.

**SALES AND FRANCHISE TAX**

To the above will be added any applicable sales tax, franchise fee or business license tax which may be assessed by any state or local governmental body.

**PAYMENT TERMS**

All bills are net and payable when rendered.

**SPECIAL PROVISIONS**

The customer is responsible for all costs associated with interconnection to the Company's system for the purpose of obtaining Supplementary or Standby power.

**TERM OF CONTRACT**

Contracts shall be written for a period of not less than three (3) years.

**GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

The Company's General Terms and Conditions are incorporated by reference and a part of this rate schedule.