I. AVAILABILITY

Net Metering is available to any residential, commercial or governmental customer who has installed a Net Energy Metering Facility ("Facility") having a generating capacity of no more than 25 kW for residential nor more than 300 kW for commercial or governmental, and has signed a Standard Interconnection Agreement for Net Metering Facilities with the Company.

Such facilities must be located on the customer’s premise and intended primarily to offset some or all of the customer's energy usage at that location.

The Company will not allow interconnection in Central Business District Underground Secondary Networks, Spot Network Grids and Downtown Underground Radially Fed Installations. This restriction includes, but is not limited to, Downtown New Orleans and the French Quarter.

II. APPLICABILITY

Customers may not take service under this tariff and simultaneously take service under the provisions of any other alternative source generation or co-generation tariff.

The provisions of the customer's standard rate schedule are modified only as specified herein.

III. CHARGES

A. Net Monthly Bill

On a monthly basis, the Net Metering Customer ("Customer") shall be billed the charges applicable under the currently effective standard rate schedule and any appropriate rider schedules. Under net metering only the kilowatt hour ("kWh") units of the Customer’s bill are affected.

1. Net Delivery to Customer: If the kWh supplied by the Company exceeds the kWh generated by the Facility and delivered to the Company in a month, the Customer shall be billed for such excess ("Net") kWh supplied by the Company in accordance with the rates and charges of the currently effective standard rate and appropriate rider schedules under which the Customer is provided electric service.

2. Net Delivery to Company: If the kWh generated by the Facility and delivered to the Company in a month exceeds the kWh supplied by the Company, such Net kWh shall be credited against the kWh supplied to the Customer by the Company in subsequent billing periods. If, after any current month billing, a balance of Net kWh delivered to the Company exists, such balance shall be similarly credited in subsequent billing periods until such balance is depleted. If any portion of such balance remains after the billing for the final month in which the Customer takes service from the Company, the Company shall issue a check to the Customer for the remainder of such balance of any credit due the Customer. The payment for any remaining credits shall be in accordance with § II. A. 3 below.
3. **Company’s Avoided Cost**: The rate per kWh to be paid for Net Deliveries to the Company, pursuant to § II. A. 2 above, shall be the Company’s estimated avoided cost for the appropriate time period from the Company’s most recent biennial filing with the Clerk of Council of the City of New Orleans pursuant to the Public Utility Regulatory Policies Act of 1978, Section 210.

   a. For Solar Facilities, the payment shall be based on the on-peak, seasonal avoided cost rate.

   b. For all Facilities other than Solar Facilities, the payment shall be based on the average of the on-peak and off-peak, seasonal avoided cost rate.

**B. Installation**

Metering equipment shall be installed to both accurately measure the electricity supplied by Company to the Customer and also to accurately measure the electricity generated by the Customer that is fed back to Company during the applicable billing period. The cost of the meter is the responsibility of the Company, but the Company will assess an installation charge to cover the cost associated with initial testing of both the Customer’s meter and interconnection, initial meter installation and any future meter testing in accordance with the New Orleans Net Energy Metering Rules (the “Rules”). The Company will also assess a charge, calculated based on the specific case, for any additional meter installations if the additional installations are requested by the Customer.

Any additional work required by the Company other than what has been identified as the installation charge in the Rules will require the charge to be borne by the Customer to be calculated based on the specific case. Installation Charges will be as follows:

1. Residential $50.00
2. Commercial $75.00.