



**SOUTH DAKOTA ELECTRIC RATE BOOK**

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**GENERAL SERVICE - LARGE**  
(Optional Combined Account Billing)

**AVAILABLE**

At points on the Company's existing transmission and distribution facilities supplied by its interconnected transmission system within Butte, Custer, Fall River, Lawrence, Meade, and Pennington Counties of South Dakota.

**APPLICABLE**

To any single natural person, partnership, limited liability company, corporation, or controlled group of corporations as defined in 26 U.S.C. § 1563(a) ("Single Customer"), which Single Customer has multiple accounts at multiple service locations. Each Single Customer account currently billed on Company's General Service Large rate tariff must be converted to the Combined Account Billing tariff. Single Customer accounts approaching a size and character that would qualify for Company's General Service Large rate tariff will be considered by the Company for Combined Account Billing on a case-by-case basis. Single Customer's energy use (kWh), reactive energy use (kVARh), and peak demand (kW), for each service will be added together and the combined totals will be used in calculating the Single Customer's electric bill. This schedule is not applicable for temporary, standby, supplementary, emergency, resale, or shared service.

**CHARACTER OF SERVICE**

Alternating current, 60 hertz, three phase, at a single standard utilization voltage most available at each service location of the customer.

**NET MONTHLY BILL**

Rate

Service Charge

\$105.00 per service location

Capacity Charge

\$1,750.00 for the first 125 kVA or less of Billing Capacity

\$ 10.50 for each additional kVA of Billing Capacity

Energy Charge

\$0.03800 per kWh for the first 50,000 kWh

\$0.03623 per kWh for the next 450,000 kWh

\$0.03199 per kWh for each additional kWh

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Minimum

The Service Charge plus the Capacity Charge



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#### BILLING CAPACITY

The Billing Capacity in any month shall be the highest of the following:

- a. The kilovolt-ampere (kVA) load during the fifteen-minute period of maximum use during the metering period determined by dividing the combined maximum capacity in kilowatts (kW) by the power factor.
- b. Eighty percent of the highest Billing Capacity in any of the preceding eleven months. Billing Capacity ratchets will not apply to educational facilities, in the nature of school districts, which do not operate year-round.

The power factor is defined to be the quotient obtained by dividing the combined kilowatt-hours used during the metering period by the square root of the sum of the squares of the combined kilowatt-hours used and the combined lagging reactive kilovolt-ampere-hours supplied during the same period. Any leading kilovolt-ampere-hours supplied during the period will not be considered.

#### COST ADJUSTMENT

The above schedule of charges shall be adjusted in accordance with the applicable Cost Adjustment tariffs in Section No. 3C, Tariff Sheet No. 11.

When the billing period includes a change in the charges of an above referenced Cost Adjustment tariff, the customer's bill shall be prorated accordingly.

#### PAYMENT

Net monthly bills are due and payable twenty days from the date of the bill, and after that date the account becomes delinquent. A late payment charge of 1.5% on the current unpaid balance shall be calculated and included as part of each monthly billing. A non-sufficient funds charge of \$15.00 shall apply to process a payment from a customer that is returned to the Company by the bank as not payable. If a bill is not paid, the Company shall have the right to suspend service, providing ten (10) days written notice of such suspension has been given. When service is suspended for nonpayment of a bill, a Customer Service Charge will apply.

#### CONTRACT TERMS

The initial Contract term shall be three years and the Contract shall then continue as long as the Company has the exclusive legal right to serve the customer. At such time as the customer has the current legal right to receive or request delivery of its electric power from an alternative energy supplier under terms and conditions which are not subject to the jurisdiction of the South Dakota Public Utilities Commission ("Customer Choice"), then the customer may request that the Company meet the terms of a bona fide offer from any alternative energy supplier. The Company's right hereunder to meet the terms of any bona fide offer from an alternative energy supplier shall extend for five years after Customer Choice has been implemented.

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### **GENERAL SERVICE - LARGE** (Optional Combined Account Billing)

#### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

1. Service provided hereunder shall be on a continuous basis. If service is discontinued and then resumed within twelve months after service was first discontinued, the customer shall pay all charges that would have been billed if service had not been discontinued.
2. Service will be rendered under the Company's General Rules and Regulations.
3. Within six months of the Company's meter data management system becoming fully capable of calculating and billing coincident demand, Company will begin adding the demand and energy for each customer account on a coincident basis.
4. Additional accounts may be added to the combined bill through an Amendment to Exhibit A of the Electric Power Service Contract as long as they meet the applicable criteria, their average monthly demand during the previous 12 months is 70 kVA or greater and their annual costs are less on the General Service Large tariff (SD721) when compared to the annual costs on the tariff currently applied to the account. The account's past 12 month's energy use and demand are used when making the comparison.
5. Accounts must be removed from Combined Billing through an Amendment to Exhibit A and served on the most applicable tariff if the "Single Customer" requirements are no longer applicable. Accounts will be removed from Combined Billing on a case by case basis when the account's annual energy use and demand drop significantly below the size and character of a General Service Large account.

#### **TAX ADJUSTMENT**

Bills computed under the above rate shall be adjusted by the applicable proportionate part of any impost, assessment or charge imposed or levied by any governmental authority as a result of laws or ordinances enacted, which is assessed or levied on the basis of revenue for electric energy or service sold, and/or the volume of energy generated and sold.

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