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Mr. Harvey G. Hubbs  
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Missouri Public Service Commission  
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Re: Case No. AO-87-48 ✓ In the matter of the investigation of  
the revenue effects upon Missouri utilities of the Tax  
Reform Act of 1986.

Case No. EO-88-114 - In the matter of the Staff review of  
The Empire District Electric Company.

Dear Mr. Hubbs:

Enclosed for filing in the above-captioned case is an  
original and fourteen (14) conformed copies each of a  
Stipulation and Agreement and Joint Motion. Copies have been  
sent or hand-delivered this date to all parties of record.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely,

*Douglas C. Walther*

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Assistant General Counsel

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Enclosures

cc: All parties of record

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BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

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Missouri utilities of the Tax )  
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Case No. AO-87-48 ✓

In the matter of the Staff review )  
of The Empire District Electric )  
Company. )

Case No. EO-88-114

STIPULATION AND AGREEMENT

In December of 1986 and March of 1987, The Empire District Electric Company ("Company") caused to be filed with the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Commission") in Case No. AO-87-48 certain information concerning the impact on Company of the Tax Reform Act of 1986 ("TRA 1986"). Subsequently, representatives of Company, the Office of Public Counsel ("Public Counsel") and the Staff of the Missouri Public Service Commission ("Staff") met to discuss the impact of the TRA 1986 on Company's overall revenue requirement.

In May, June and July of 1987, Staff conducted a review and investigation of Company's books and records. Thereafter, representatives of Company, Public Counsel and Staff met to discuss the results of Staff's investigation as well as to further discuss the impact of the TRA on Company's overall revenue requirement. As a result of the foregoing, the parties stipulate and agree as follows:

1. That Company be authorized to file revised tariffs designed to decrease its Missouri jurisdictional gross annual electric revenues by \$3,399,608, exclusive of license, occupation, franchise, gross receipts, or other similar fee taxes.

2. That the tariffs designed to implement said revenue decrease shall be based and calculated on Company's recorded book revenue for its Missouri jurisdictional operations for the twelve month period ended March 31, 1987; that said calculation shall be made in accordance with the Rate Decrease Summary contained in Appendix 1 which is attached and made a part hereof for all purposes; that the

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tariff sheets attached hereto as Appendix 2 and made a part hereof for all purposes have been reviewed by all parties and are designed to and do in fact, implement the revenue decrease agreed to herein.

3. That as soon as possible following the Commission's approval of the Stipulation and Agreement, Company will cause to be filed with the Commission the tariffs attached hereto as Appendix 2, said tariffs to bear an effective date of October 15, 1987.

4. That this Stipulation and Agreement is a negotiated dollar settlement and is intended to and does include, reflect, and fully dispose of any decrease in Company's gross annual revenue requirement for its Missouri jurisdictional operations which presently have been determined to result from the TRA; that additionally, Company shall not be further subject to any present or future requirements in the instant docket, it being understood, however, that neither Staff nor any other party is bound in any proceeding other than the above-captioned docket regarding the effects of the TRA on Empire's revenue requirement.

5. That this Stipulation and Agreement is intended to be binding on the parties and the Commission in this and any other pending or future proceedings in this or any other forum; that none of the provisions of this Stipulation and Agreement, however, shall prejudice, bind or otherwise effect any party should the Commission decide not to approve this Stipulation and Agreement in its entirety or in any way condition its approval of same;


6. That except as otherwise provided herein, the parties to this Stipulation and Agreement shall not be deemed to have approved or acquiesced to any ratemaking principle, valuation method, cost of service method, or rate design proposal;

7. That in the event the Commission accepts the specific terms of this Stipulation and Agreement, the parties waive their respective rights to present oral arguments or written briefs, pursuant to Section 536.080(1), RSMo 1986, and their respective rights

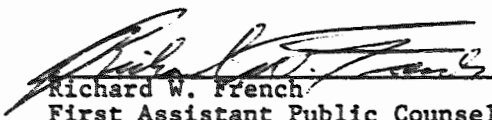
to judicial review regarding the disposition of Case No. AO-87-48 and Case No. EO-88-\_\_\_ pursuant to Section 386.510, RSMo 1986.

8. That the agreements contained in this Stipulation and Agreement have resulted from extensive negotiations among the signatory parties and are interdependent; that in the event the Commission does not approve and adopt the terms of this Stipulation and Agreement and in the event the tariffs agreed to herein do not become effective in accordance with the provisions contained herein, this Stipulation and Agreement shall be void and no party shall be bound by any of the agreements or provisions hereof.


Respectfully submitted,

  
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Dated: October 9, 1987

Appendix 1

RATE DECREASE SUMMARY  
 Percentage Decrease by Class  
 Missouri  
 Test Year Ending 3/31/87

	<u>Total Revenues</u>		<u>%</u>
	<u>Current</u>	<u>Proposed</u>	<u>Decrease</u>
Residential	43,156,610	41,587,578	-3.64%
Commercial	29,787,388	28,708,080	-3.62%
Industrial	18,398,753	17,719,108	-3.69%
Str. Light.	740,485	712,791	-3.74%
Pub. Author.	1,117,668	1,076,058	-3.72%
Interdept.	62,055	59,735	-3.74%
Totals	93,262,959	89,863,351	-3.65%
Total Revenue Decrease		(\$3,399,608)	

APPENDIX 2

The Empire District Electric Company

Sec. 1 Original Sheet No. 1  
Cancelling P.S.C.No. 5  
Original  
Sec. 1 3rd Revised Sheet No. 1  
Which was issued 10-26-86

For ALL TERRITORY

RESIDENTIAL SERVICE  
SCHEDULE RC

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for residential service to single-family dwellings or to multi-family dwellings within a single building. This schedule is not available for service through a single meter to two or more separate buildings each containing one or more dwelling units.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

The first 50-Kwh or less for .....	\$5.30
The next 550-Kwh, per Kwh .....	.0578
Additional Kwh, per Kwh:	
Summer Season .....	.0473
Winter Season .....	.0360

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## \*WATER HEATING:

When one or more uncontrolled, storage-type electric water heaters, with no more than 6,000 watts per heater operating on the line at any time, regularly in operation and is used to supply the Customer's total requirements for hot water, and the Customer so notifies the Company in writing, the Monthly Rate will apply to the first 50-Kwh billed each month. For all additional Kwh each month the first 550-Kwh of such use will be billed at \$0.0562 per Kwh in the Summer Season and \$0.0449 per Kwh in the Winter Season, and all in addition to 600-Kwh at the applicable rate as stated above.

## RESIDENTIAL CONSERVATION ADJUSTMENT:

The above energy charge will be adjusted in an amount provided by the terms and provisions of Residential Conservation Service, Rider RCS, P.S.C. Mo. No. 5, Section 4, Sheet 7.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not paid on or before the due date, a late payment charge of 1.5% on the unpaid balance will be applied.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. Voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. If this schedule is used for service through a single meter to multiple-family dwellings within a single building, each Kwh block will be multiplied by the number of dwelling units served in calculating each month's bill.
5. Welding, X-ray, or other equipment characterized by severe or fluctuating demands, will not be served.
6. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
7. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. At the option of the Company, however, the meters may be read bimonthly with the bill for the alternate month based upon an estimated Kwh consumption.
8. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. Mo. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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ISSUED BY R. L. LAMB, President, Joplin, MO.

The Empire District Electric Company

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 Which was issued 10-24-86

RESIDENTIAL TOTAL ELECTRIC SERVICE  
SCHEDULE RM

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available as an optional rate for residential service to total electric single-family dwellings or multiple-family dwellings within a single building. This schedule is not available for service through a single meter to two or more separate buildings each containing one or more dwelling units.

## MONTHLY RATE:

First 50-Kwh or less for ..... \$10.20  
 Additional Kwh, per Kwh:  
 Summer Season ..... .0473  
 Winter Season ..... .0360

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## RESIDENTIAL CONSERVATION ADJUSTMENT:

The above energy charge will be adjusted in an amount provided by the terms and provisions of Residential Conservation Service, Rider RCS, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 4, Sheet 7.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not paid on or before the due date, a late payment charge of 1.5% on the unpaid balance will be applied.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. Voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. If used for service through a single meter to multiple-family dwellings within a single building, the first Kwh-use block and related charge will be multiplied by the number of dwelling units served in calculating each month's bill.
5. Welding, X-ray, or other equipment characterized by severe or fluctuating demands, will not be served.
6. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
7. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. At the option of the Company, however, the meters may be read bimonthly with the bill for the alternate month based upon an estimated Kwh consumption.
8. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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ISSUED BY R. L. LANG, President, Joplin, MO.



The Empire District Electric Company

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Which was issued 12-13-84

For ALL TERRITORY

RESIDENTIAL TIME OF USE SERVICE  
SCHEDULE RTU

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available as an optional rate for residential service to single-family dwellings or multiple-family dwellings with individual family metering. This schedule is not available for service through a single meter to two or more separate buildings each containing one or more dwelling units. The availability is limited to 50 customers.

## MONTHLY RATE:

The monthly bill will be the sum of the Customer, On-Peak and Off-Peak Charges.

CUSTOMER CHARGE, per Month .....	\$12.70	
	ON-PEAK	OFF-PEAK
DEMAND CHARGE, per Kw .....	\$ 6.36	\$ 3.20
ENERGY CHARGE, per Kwh .....	0.0257	0.0146

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year. The On-Peak hours will be weekdays, excluding holidays, from 11:00 a.m. through 7:00 p.m. during the summer Season. All other hours are Off-Peak.

## DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMANDS:

The Billing Demand will be determined from the highest fifteen minutes integrated kilowatt demand registered during the rating periods by a suitable demand meter.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not paid on or before the due date, a late payment charge of 1.5% on the unpaid balance will be applied.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. The voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. Welding, x-ray, or other equipment characterized by severe or fluctuating demands will not be served.
5. The term of service will not be less than one (1) year. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
6. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. At the option of the Company, however, the meters may be read bimonthly with the bill for the alternate month based upon an estimated Kwh consumption.
7. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. No. 3, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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# COMMERCIAL SERVICE SCHEDULE CB

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available to any general service customer on the lines of the Company whose electric load is not in excess of 40 Kw, except those who are conveying electric service received to others whose utilization of same is for residential purposes other than transient or seasonal. Motels, hotels, inns, resorts, etc., and others who provide transient rooms and/or board service and/or provide service to dwellings on a transient or seasonal basis are not excluded from the use of this rate. The Company reserves the right to determine the applicability or the availability of this rate to any specific applicant for electric service.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

The first 50-Kwh or less for .....	\$7.65
The next 650-Kwh, per Kwh .....	.0733
Additional Kwh, per Kwh:	
Summer Season .....	.0564
Winter Season .....	.0468

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not paid, the above rate plus 5% then applies.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. The voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. Where the Customer's use of welding, or other equipment characterized by fluctuating or severe demands, necessitates the installation of additional or increased facilities (including distribution transformers, service conductors or secondaries) solely to serve such Customer, the applicable provisions of Rider XC will apply in amendment to the provisions of this schedule.
5. Living quarters incidental to commercial or industrial operations in the same building will only be served together with these operations through a single meter and billed under this or other applicable commercial industrial rates. Living quarters detached from commercial or industrial buildings will only be served under applicable residential schedules.
6. The term of service will not be less than one (1) year. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
7. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. At the option of the Company, however, the meters may be read bimonthly with the bill for the alternate month based upon an estimated Kwh consumption.
8. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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The Empire District Electric Company

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 Which was issued 10-24-86

SMALL HEATING SERVICE  
SCHEDULE SM

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available to any general service customer on the lines of the Company whose electric load is not in excess of 40 Kw and where the electric service supplied is the only source of energy at the service location and the customer permanently installs and regularly uses electric space-heating equipment for all internal space-heating comfort requirements. However, this schedule is not available to those who are conveying electric service received to others whose utilization of same is for residential purposes other than transient or seasonal. Motels, hotels, inns, resorts, etc., and others who provide transient rooms and/or board service and/or provide service to dwellings on a transient or seasonal basis are not excluded from the use of this rate. The Company reserves the right to determine the applicability or the availability of this rate to any specific applicant for electric service.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

The first 50-Kwh or less for .....	\$7.70
The next 950-Kwh, per Kwh .....	.0598
Additional Kwh, per Kwh:	
Summer Season .....	.0518
Winter Season .....	.0395

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not paid, the above rate plus 5% then applies.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. The voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. Where the Customer's use of welding, or other equipment characterized by fluctuating or severe demands, necessitates the installation of additional or increased facilities (including distribution transformers, service conductors or secondaries) solely to serve such Customer, the applicable provisions of Rider XC will apply in amendment to the provisions of this schedule.
5. Living quarters incidental to commercial or industrial operations in the same building will only be served together with these operations through a single meter and billed under this or other applicable commercial industrial rates. Living quarters detached from commercial or industrial buildings will only be served under applicable residential schedules.
6. The term of service will not be less than one (1) year. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
7. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. At the option of the Company, however, the meters may be read bimonthly with the bill for the alternate month based upon an estimated Kwh consumption.
8. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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ISSUED BY R. L. LAMB, President, Joplin, MO.

The Empire District Electric Company

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For ALL TERRITORYGENERAL POWER SERVICE  
SCHEDULE GP

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for electric service to any general service Customer except those who are conveying electric service received to others whose utilization of same is purely for residential purposes other than transient or seasonal. Hotels, motels, inns, resorts, etc., and others who provide transient rooms and board service or room service and/or provide service to dwellings on a transient or seasonal basis are not excluded from the use of this rate. The Company reserves the right to determine the applicability or the availability of this rate to any specific applicant for electric service.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

	SUMMER SEASON	WINTER SEASON
DEMAND CHARGE, per Kw:		
First 40 Kw of Billing Demand .....	\$5.43	\$4.92
Next 460 Kw of Billing Demand .....	4.64	4.13
All additional Kw of Billing Demand .....	3.69	3.18
ENERGY CHARGE, per Kwh:		
First 150 hours use of Billing Demand or 25,000, whichever is less.....		.0350
Next 200 hours use of Billing Demand .....		.0293
All additional Kwh .....		.0269

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMAND:

The Billing Demand will be determined from the highest fifteen minutes integrated kilowatt demand registered during the month by a suitable demand meter. In no event will the Billing Demand be less than 40-Kw.

## TRANSFORMER OWNERSHIP:

Where the Customer supplies all facilities (other than metering equipment) for utilization of service at the voltage of the Company's primary line feeding to such location, a discount of 3% will apply to the Demand Charge.

## METERING ADJUSTMENT:

The above rate applies for service metered at secondary voltage. Where service is metered at the voltage of the primary line feeding to such location, adjustment for billing will be made by decreasing metered kilowatt hours by 3%.

## MINIMUM MONTHLY BILL:

During any month in which service is rendered, the minimum monthly bill will be the Demand Charge.

## PAYMENT:

The above rate applies only if the bill is paid on or before fourteen (14) days after the date thereof. If not so paid, the above rate plus 2% then applies. Those with service in arrears shall be charged interest at the rate of 6% per annum from sixty (60) days after date due.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

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The Empire District Electric Company

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For ALL TERRITORY

TRANSMISSION SERVICE  
SCHEDULE PT

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for electric service to any general service Customer except those who are conveying electric service received to others whose utilization of same is for residential purposes other than transient or seasonal. Motels, hotels, inns, resorts, etc., and others who provide transient room and board service or room service and/or provide service to dwellings on a transient or seasonal basis are not excluded from the use of this rate. The Company reserves the right to determine the applicability or the availability of this rate to any specific applicant for electric service.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

DEMAND CHARGE:	SUMMER SEASON	WINTER SEASON
The first 1500-Kw of Billing Demand or less for ..	\$3351.00	\$4590.00
All additional Kw of Billing Demand, per Kw .....	3.33	2.82
ENERGY CHARGE:		
Per Kwh .....	.0259	

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

## DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMAND:

The Billing Demand will be determined from the highest fifteen minutes integrated kilowatt demand registered during the month by a suitable demand meter, but no Billing Demand will be less than 65% of the highest such demand established during the year ending with the current month and in no event will the Billing Demand be less than 1500-Kw.

## TRANSFORMER OWNERSHIP:

Service will be supplied and metered at the voltage of the Company's transmission system (34,500 volts to, but not to exceed, 69,000 volts). Where the Customer supplied facilities (other than metering equipment) for the utilization of service at a voltage lower than that of the Company's transmission line feeding to such location, the above Demand Charge will be increased by 10%. See also Rider XC.

## METERING ADJUSTMENT:

Where service is metered at a voltage lower than that of the Company's transmission system, the metering will be compensated to the voltage level of the transmission line feeding such location or (at the option of the Company) a calculated adjustment factor may be applied to the metered monthly demand and energy in order to adjust to the transmission level.

## MINIMUM MONTHLY BILL:

The minimum bill for any month will be the Demand Charge.

## PAYMENT:

The above rate applies only if the bill is paid on or before fourteen (14) days after the date thereof. If not so paid, the above rate plus 2% then applies. Those with service in arrears shall be charged interest at the rate of 6% per annum from sixty (60) days after date due.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

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**ELECTRIC FURNACE PRIMARY SERVICE  
SCHEDULE PF**

**AVAILABILITY:**

This schedule is available for service to electric furnaces on an interruptible basis.

**\*MONTHLY RATE:**

Per kilowatt-hour ..... \$0.0373

**PAYMENT:**

The above rate applies only if the bill is paid on or before fourteen (14) days after the date thereof. If not so paid, the above rate plus 2% then applies. Those with service in arrears shall be charged interest at the rate of 6% per annum from sixty (60) days after date due.

**GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:**

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

**CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:**

1. While the Company has facilities available, this special service will be furnished each day during Company specified hours.
2. Voltage and frequency of service will be as approved by the Company.
3. Service will be measured at substation primary voltage, and all facilities for necessary transformation to a lower voltage will be supplied by the Customer.
4. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
5. Bills for service will be rendered monthly.
6. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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### FEED MILL AND GRAIN ELEVATOR SERVICE SCHEDULE PFM

**AVAILABILITY:**

This schedule is available for electric service to any custom feed mill or grain elevator.

**\*MONTHLY RATE:**

Per kilowatt-hour ..... \$0.0774

**MINIMUM:**

Per Kw of Billing Demand, per month ..... \$2.59

**BILLING DEMAND:**

The Billing Demand will be the highest kilowatt demand registered during the month by a suitable demand meter, but no Billing Demand will be less than 65% of the highest such kilowatt demand established during the year ending with the current month. In no event will the Billing Demand be less than 7.5 kilowatts. At the Company's option, the Billing Demand may be determined from the Company's record of the Customer's connected load (based upon nameplate rating of the equipment). In converting horse power to kilowatts, one horse power will be taken as three-fourths of one kilowatt.

**PAYMENT:**

The above rate applies only if the bill is paid on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not so paid, the above rate plus 5% then applies.

**GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:**

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

**CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:**

1. The voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
3. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the Customer and will not be resold, redistributed or submetered, directly or indirectly.
4. The term of service will not be less than one (1) year. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
5. Bills for service will be rendered monthly.
6. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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**TOTAL ELECTRIC BUILDING SERVICE  
 SCHEDULE TEB**

**AVAILABILITY:**

This schedule is available to any general services customers on the lines of the Company for total electric service except those customers who are conveying electric service to others whose utilization of the same is for residential purposes other than transient or seasonal. Motels, hotels, inns, etc., and others who provide transient room and/or room and board service and/or provide service to dwellings on a transient or seasonal basis are not excluded from the use of this rate. The Company reserves the right to determine the applicability or the availability of this rate to any specific applicant for electric service.

**\*MONTHLY RATE:**

First 150-Kwh or less .....	\$16.69
Next 850-Kwh, per Kwh .....	.0835
Summer Season Winter Season	
Next 9,000-Kwh used, per Kwh .....	.0524 .0404
All in addition to 10,000-Kwh, per Kwh ...	.0508 .0389

The Summer Season will be the first four monthly billing periods billed on and after June 16, and the Winter Season will be the remaining eight monthly billing periods of the calendar year.

**METERING ADJUSTMENT:**

The above rate applies for service metered at secondary voltage. Where service is metered at the voltage of the primary line feeding to such location, adjustments for billing will be made by decreasing metered kilowatt-hours by 3%.

**PAYMENT:**

The above rate applies only if the bill is paid on or before fourteen (14) days after the date thereof. If not so paid, the above rate plus 2% then applies. Those with service in arrears shall be charged interest at the rate of 6% per annum from sixty (60) days after date due.

**GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:**

There will be added to the customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

**CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:**

1. The voltage, phase and frequency of energy supplied will be as approved by the Company.
2. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the customer and will not be resold, redistributed, or submetered, directly or indirectly.
3. Service will be supplied through a single meter unless otherwise authorized by the Company. The point of delivery and location of the meter will be at the building wall unless otherwise specifically designated and approved in advance by the Company for each exception.
4. Living quarters incidental to commercial or industrial operations in the same building will only be served together with these operations through a single meter and billed under this or other applicable commercial-industrial rates. Living quarters detached from commercial or industrial buildings will only be served under applicable residential schedules.
5. Where the customer's use of welding, or other equipment characterized by fluctuating or severe demands, necessitates the installation of additional or increased facilities (including distribution transformers, service conductors or secondaries) solely to serve such customer, the applicable provisions of Rider XC will apply in amendment to the provisions of this schedule.
6. The term of service will not be less than one (1) year. Intermittent or seasonal service will not be provided.
7. Bills for service will be rendered monthly.
8. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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MUNICIPAL STREET LIGHTING SERVICE  
SCHEDULE SPL

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available to municipalities served by the Company under the provisions of an Electric Franchise having an original term of not less than ten (10) years, for outdoor lighting for streets, alleys, parks and public places under the provisions of the Company's standard Municipal Electric Service Agreement, having an original term of not less than two (2) years.

## ANNUAL STREET LIGHTING CHARGE:

Incandescent Lamp Sizes (No New Installation Allowed):	Per Lamp
4,000 lumen .....	\$ 57.00
10,000 lumen .....	117.30

## Mercury-Vapor Lamp Sizes:

7,000 lumen .....	77.45
11,000 lumen .....	92.90
20,000 lumen .....	133.00
53,000 lumen .....	224.45

## High-Pressure Sodium-Vapor Lamp Sizes (Lucalox, etc.):

6,000 lumen .....	72.50
16,000 lumen .....	90.60
27,500 lumen .....	118.15
50,000 lumen .....	168.45
130,000 lumen .....	271.85

## MUNICIPALITY OWNERSHIP:

If the Municipality owns the Street Lighting System, the Company will furnish electric energy, will inspect street lights, replace broken lamps or glassware, and repaint steel poles when necessary. However, replacement or repairs to poles, conduit, cable overhead conductors or fixtures other than glassware shall be paid for by the Municipality.

## COMPANY OWNERSHIP - FACILITIES USAGE CHARGE:

When, by agreement with the Municipality, the Company shall install, own, operate and maintain street lights served under this schedule or is required to provide special or excessive electric facilities to serve Municipality-owned street lighting systems served under this schedule, a separate agreement shall be executed by and between the Municipality and the Company setting forth the investment in such street lighting facilities and a Facilities Usage Charge in the amount of 1.5% per month of such investment. The Facilities Usage Charge shall be payable by the Municipality to the Company in the manner prescribed in the aforementioned separate agreement and in addition to the Annual Street Lighting Charge as set forth herein.

## DISCOUNT:

The total charges under Annual Street Lighting Charge and Facilities Usage Charge shall be subject to a fifty percent (50%) discount plus an additional discount which shall be equal to one-half of one percent (0.5%) of the Annual Revenue received by the Company within the Municipality for a period of twelve (12) months ending December 31, from the Customers billed under Rate Schedules for Residential and Commercial service having a Billing Demand of 40 Kilowatts or less.

## MINIMUM:

The total annual net amount of the Annual Street Lighting Charge, plus the Facilities Usage Charge, shall not be less than an amount equal to twelve times the total of charges to the Municipality for street lighting service for the calendar month prior to the date of the contract.

## PAYMENT:

All bills shall be rendered monthly at 1/12th the annual rates and shall be payable on or before the 25th day of each month succeeding the month during which service was rendered.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. All lamps shall burn every night from dusk to dawn, subject to a reasonable maintenance schedule.
2. The character of street lighting circuit (series or multiple) shall be determined by the Company.
3. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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PRIVATE LIGHTING SERVICE  
SCHEDULE PL

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for outdoor lighting service to any retail Customer.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

## STANDARD STREET LIGHTING CONSTRUCTION:

## Mercury-Vapor Lamp Sizes:

6,800 lumen .....	\$ 6.85
20,000 lumen .....	11.45
54,000 lumen .....	21.95

## Sodium-Vapor Lamp Sizes:

6,000 lumen .....	6.35
16,000 lumen .....	9.25
50,000 lumen .....	15.50

## STANDARD FLOOD LIGHTING CONSTRUCTION:

## Mercury-Vapor Lamp Sizes:

20,000 lumen .....	16.10
54,000 lumen .....	26.55

## Sodium-Vapor Lamp Sizes:

27,500 lumen .....	15.55
50,000 lumen .....	21.35
140,000 lumen .....	31.15

## Additional Charge for installations requiring additions to, or rearrangement of, existing facilities:

Regular wood pole, per month .....	\$ 1.00
Guy and anchor, per month .....	1.00
Overhead conductor, three wire, per foot, per month .....	.009
Other (miscellaneous) per month .....	1.5% of the estimated installed cost thereof

For installations requiring a large expenditure for additions to, or rearrangements of existing facilities, the total additional charge may be computed at 1.5% of the estimated installed cost thereof per month. Such estimated installed cost excludes the estimated installed cost of materials required for standard construction (see Conditions of Service, No. 1, below).

## PAYMENT:

Charges for service on this schedule may be added to the bill for service under a regular retail rate schedule. The payment provisions of the regular rate schedule will apply to these charges also. If the Company bills charges under this schedule separately, bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof. If not so paid on or before this due date, the above rate plus 5% then applies for all except residential customers. For residential customers, a late payment charge of 1.5% on the unpaid balance will be applied.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

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SPECIAL LIGHTING SERVICE  
SCHEDULE L5

## AVAILABILITY:

This schedule is available for electric service to sport field lighting, holiday decorative lighting or similar nighttime temporary or seasonal use.

## \*MONTHLY RATE:

For the first 1,000 Kwh used, per Kwh ..... \$0.0748  
 For all additional Kwh used, per Kwh ..... 0.0585

## MINIMUM:

The net monthly minimum charge for any month during which electrical energy is used will be \$20.40.

## CONSUMPTION:

Service will normally be delivered and metered hereunder at the secondary voltage available at the service location. Where physical circumstances would normally make it necessary to meter the service at primary voltage, the Company may at its option install a time clock in place of primary metering facilities to measure the hours-use of the service and compute the kilowatt-hours' consumption of the sport field by using the customer's connected load. The connected load used for the calculation will be determined at the time of installation and at such subsequent times as the Company may deem necessary by actual load check of the customer's facilities. Unmetered dusk to dawn service may be provided, in which case the connected load will be used to determine the kilowatt-hours consumed.

## INSTALLATION CHARGE:

In addition to the above charge, a customer of temporary nature will be required to pay the net cost of erection and removal of any special facilities necessary to provide service. Such net cost will include the Company's total expenditure for labor, material, supervision and all other costs necessary to erect and remove facilities for service, less proper credit for actual salvage.

## PAYMENT:

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof.

## GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the customer and will not be resold, redistributed, or submetered, directly or indirectly.
2. Voltage, phase, and frequency of service supplied will be as approved by the Company.
3. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. Where service is for temporary use, the bill for the current month's service will be rendered immediately on discontinuance of service.
4. This service is available between the hours from dusk to dawn only.
5. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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# MISCELLANEOUS SERVICE SCHEDULE MS

**AVAILABILITY:**

This schedule is available for electric service to signal systems or similar unmetered service and to temporary or seasonal use.

**\*MONTHLY RATE:**

For all energy used, per Kwh ..... \$0.0748

**MINIMUM:**

The net monthly minimum charge for any month during which electrical energy is used will be \$20.40.

**CONSUMPTION:**

The connected load will be used to calculate the kilowatt-hours consumed on unmetered service.

**INSTALLATION CHARGE:**

In addition to the above charge, a customer of temporary nature will be required to pay the net cost of erection and removal of any special facilities necessary to provide service. Such net cost will include the Company's total expenditure for labor, material, supervision and all other costs necessary to erect and remove facilities for service, less proper credit for actual salvage.

**PAYMENT:**

Bills will be due on or before twenty-one (21) days after the date thereof.

**GROSS RECEIPTS, OCCUPATION OR FRANCHISE TAXES:**

There will be added to the Customer's bill, as a separate item, an amount equal to the proportionate part of any license, occupation, franchise, or other similar fee or tax now or hereafter imposed upon the Company by any municipality or any other governmental authority, whether imposed by ordinance, franchise, or otherwise, in which the fee or tax is based upon a percentage of gross receipts, net receipts, or revenues from the sale of electric service rendered by the Company to the Customer. Bills will be increased the proportionate amount only in service areas where such tax is applicable.

**CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:**

1. Service will be furnished for the sole use of the customer and will not be resold, redistributed, or submetered, directly or indirectly.
2. Voltage, phase, and frequency of service supplied will be as approved by the Company.
3. Bills for service will be rendered monthly. Where service is for temporary use, the bill for the current month's service will be rendered immediately on discontinuance of service.
4. The Company Rules and Regulations, P.S.C. No. 5, Section 5, are a part of this schedule.

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**CHURCH AND SCHOOL SERVICE  
RIDER 5C**

**AVAILABILITY:**

This rider will be available to churches and public schools whose total lighting and power service is supplied from the lines of the Company.

**\*APPLICATION:**

This rider will apply to the Company's regular rate schedules in effect for electric service to churches and public schools, subject to the following provision:

No monthly bill for electric service, which exceeds the minimum of the established rate schedule currently in effect, will be greater than \$0.0706 per kilowatt-hour.

**CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:**

1. Bills for electric service to public schools will not be rendered during the months of regular summer vacation.
2. Incidental consumption of electric service during such period of summer vacation will be included in the measurement for bills rendered on the regular basis for such service.
3. During any such summer months that the school premises are in active use, bills for electric service hereunder will be rendered on the regular basis for such service.
4. The terms of this rider will not apply to church-operated businesses, homes and orphanages.
5. Except as otherwise stated in this rider, all terms and provisions of the applicable rate schedule will be in full force and effect.

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MUNICIPAL GENERAL SERVICE  
RIDER M

## APPLICATION:

This rider will apply to all lighting and power service furnished to incorporated communities, other than street lighting or traffic control or other signal services.

## RATE:

The established applicable rate schedules currently in effect in the City for electric service will be amended as follows:

## \*DISCOUNT:

A discount of 30% will apply to each schedule. No bill, which exceeds the minimum after discount, will be greater than \$0.0556 per kilowatt-hour.

## PAYMENT:

All bills shall be rendered on or near the first of each month and shall be due on or before the 25th day of each month succeeding the month during which service was rendered.

## CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

1. A separate bill will be rendered for each individual location or class of service hereunder.
2. The above discount will apply only in event the Company serves the City under the terms of electric franchise.
3. The amount resulting from the above discount, together with the amounts from corresponding discounts under schedules for other electric service and the amount of any payment provided by agreement with the City, will be accepted as full payment of any occupation tax, franchise tax, or any similar tax or charge for maintenance of facilities, based upon revenue, consumption of energy or otherwise.
4. The above discount will apply only in event the City utilized the Company's service for its entire requirements for electric or power service.
5. Except as provided, herein, all terms and provisions of the applicable rate schedule will be in full force and effect.

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AMENDED ARTICLE IV  
of  
CONTRACT FOR POWER SERVICE

Between The Empire District Electric Company and Atlas Chemical Industries, Inc., now Atlas Powder Company, Subsidiary of Tyler Corporation, dated May 30, 1967 and subsequently amended by letter contract May 28, 1971.

ARTICLE IV

RATE

The following rate will apply to all power and energy supplied, sold and delivered hereunder:

**\*NET MONTHLY RATE:**

**Demand Charge:**

First 6,000 Kw or less of Billing Demand	\$20,501.00
Excess of 6,000 Kw of Billing Demand, per Kw	\$ 3.33

**Energy Charge:**

First 400,000 Kwh, per Kwh	\$0.0259
Next 250 Kwh per Kw of Billing Demand, per Kwh	\$0.0249
All additional Kwh, per Kwh	\$0.0238

**DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMAND:**

The Billing Demand shall be the highest fifteen-minute integrated kilowatt demand registered during the month by a suitable demand meter, but no Billing Demand shall be less than 65% of the highest Billing Demand established during the twelve (12) months period ending with the current month, and in no event shall the Billing Demand be less than 6,000 kilowatts.

**MINIMUM MONTHLY BILL:**

The Minimum Monthly Bill hereunder shall be the Demand Charge.

Issued by R. L. Lamb, President of the Empire District  
Electric Company, to be effective and superseding Article  
IV issued October 24, 1986, by R. L. Lamb, President of the Company.

AMENDED ARTICLE VI  
of  
CONTRACT FOR POWER SERVICE

Between The Empire District Electric Company and Linde Division, Union Carbide Corporation, dated January 2, 1968 and subsequently amended May 18, 1971.

ARTICLE VI

RATE

The following rate will apply to all power and energy supplied, sold and delivered hereunder:

**\*NET MONTHLY RATE:**

**Demand Charge:**

First 5,000 Kw or less of Billing Demand	\$18,056.00
Next 1,000 Kw of Billing Demand, per Kw	\$ 3.43
Excess of 6,000 Kw of Billing Demand, per Kw	\$ 3.33

**Energy Charge:**

First 400,000 KWH, per KWH	\$0.0259
Next 250 KWH per Kw of Billing Demand, per KWH	\$0.0249
All additional KWH, per KWH	\$0.0238

**DETERMINATION OF BILLING DEMAND:**

The Billing Demand shall be determined as being the highest fifteen (15) minute integrated kilowatt demand registered during the month by a suitable demand meter; but no Billing Demand shall be less than 65% of the highest such demand established during the 12-month period ending with the current month, and in no event shall the Billing Demand be less than 5,000 kilowatts.

**MINIMUM MONTHLY BILL:**

Except as hereinafter provided in ARTICLES IX and XII, the Minimum Monthly Bill hereunder shall be the Demand Charge.

Issued by R. L. Lamb, President of The Empire District Electric Company, to be effective and superseding Article VI issued October 24, 1986, by R. L. Lamb, President of the Company.