PURPOSE.
This Rate sets forth the eligibility, terms and conditions applicable to Customers with installed qualifying renewable customer-owned generation using a net metering system.

APPLICABILITY.
This Rate applies to renewable customer-generators served under Rates R, RH, CAP, GS, HT, PD and EP who install a device or devices which are, in the Company’s judgment, subject to Commission review, a bona fide technology for use in generating electricity from qualifying Tier I or Tier II alternative energy sources pursuant to Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act No. 2004-213 (Act 213) or Commission regulations and which will be operated in parallel with the Company’s system. This Rate is limited to installations where the renewable energy generating system is intended primarily to offset part or all of the customer-generator’s requirements for electricity. A renewable customer-generator is a non-utility owner or operator of a net metered generation system with a nameplate capacity of not greater than 50 kilowatts if installed at a residential service (Rate R, RH, or CAP) or not larger than 3,000 kilowatts at other customer service locations (Rate GS, HT, PD and EP), except for Customers whose systems are above 3 megawatts and up to 5 megawatts who make their systems available to operate in parallel with the Company during grid emergencies as defined by the regional transmission organization or where a microgrid is in place for the purpose of maintaining critical infrastructure such as homeland security assignments, emergency services facilities, hospitals, traffic signals, wastewater treatment plants or telecommunications facilities provided that technical rules for operating generators interconnected with facilities of the Company have been promulgated by the Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers “IEEE” and the Commission.

Qualifying renewable energy installations are limited to Tier I and Tier II alternative energy sources as defined by Act 213 and Commission Regulations. The Customer’s equipment must conform to the Commission’s Interconnection Standards and Regulations pursuant to Act 213. This Rate is not applicable when the source of supply is service purchased from a neighboring electric utility under Borderline Service.

Service under this Rate is available upon request to renewable customer-generators on a first come, first served basis so long as the total rated generating capacity installed by renewable customer-generator facilities does not adversely impact service to other Customers and does not compromise the protection scheme(s) employed on the Company’s electric distribution system.

METERING PROVISIONS.
A Customer may select one of the following metering options in conjunction with service under applicable Rate Schedule R, RH, CAP, GS, HT, PD or EP.

1. A customer-generator facility used for net metering shall be equipped with a single bi-directional meter that can measure and record the flow of electricity in both directions at the same rate. A dual meter arrangement may be substituted for a single bi-directional meter at the Company’s expense.

2. If the customer-generator’s existing electric metering equipment does not meet the requirements under option (1) above, the Company shall install new metering equipment for the customer-generator at the Company's expense. Any subsequent metering equipment change necessitated by the customer-generator shall be paid for by the customer-generator. The customer-generator has the option of utilizing a qualified meter service provider to install metering equipment for the measurement of generation at the customer-generator’s expense.

Additional metering equipment for the purpose of qualifying alternative energy credits owned by the customer-generator shall be paid for by the customer-generator. The Company shall take title to the alternative energy credits produced by a customer-generator where the customer-generator has expressly rejected title to the credits. In the event that the Company takes title to the alternative energy credits, the Company will pay for and install the necessary metering equipment to qualify the alternative energy credits. The Company shall, prior to taking title to any alternative energy credits, fully inform the customer-generator of the potential value of those credits and options available to the customer-generator for their disposition.

3. Meter aggregation on properties owned or leased and operated by a customer-generator shall be allowed for purposes of net metering. Meter aggregation shall be limited to meters located on properties within two (2) miles of the boundaries of the customer-generator’s property. Meter aggregation shall only be available for properties located within the Company’s service territory. Physical meter aggregation shall be at the customer-generator's expense. The Company shall provide the necessary equipment to complete physical aggregation. If the customer-generator requests virtual meter aggregation, it shall be provided by the Company at the customer-generator's expense. The customer-generator shall be responsible only for any incremental expense entailed in processing his account on a virtual meter aggregation basis.
BILLING PROVISIONS.

The following billing provisions apply to customer-generators in conjunction with service under applicable Rates R, RH, CAP, GS, HT, PD, EP.

1. The customer-generator will receive a credit for each kilowatt-hour received by the Company up to the total amount of electricity delivered to the Customer during the billing period at the full retail rate consistent with Commission regulations. If a customer-generator supplies more electricity to the Company than the Company delivers to the customer-generator in a given billing period, the excess kilowatt hours shall be carried forward and credited against the customer-generator’s usage in subsequent billing periods at the full retail rate. Any excess kilowatt hours will continue to accumulate until the end of the PJM planning period ending May 31 of each year. On an annual basis, the Company will compensate the customer-generator for kilowatt-hours received from the customer-generator in excess of the kilowatt hours delivered by Company to the customer-generator during the preceding year at the “full retail value for all energy produced” consistent with Commission regulations. The customer-generator is responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rate Schedule.

2. If the Company supplies more kilowatt-hours of electricity than the customer-generator facility feeds back to the Company's system during the billing period, all charges of the appropriate rate schedule shall be applied to the net kilowatt-hours of electricity that the Company supplied. The customer-generator is responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rate Schedule.

3. For customer-generators involved in virtual meter aggregation programs, a credit shall be applied first to the meter through which the generating facility supplies electricity to the distribution system, then through the remaining meters for the customer-generator’s account equally at each meter’s designated rate. Virtual meter aggregation is the combination of readings and billing for all meters regardless of rate class on properties owned or leased and operated by a customer-generator by means of the Company’s billing process, rather than through physical rewiring of the customer-generator’s property for a physical, single point of contact. The customer-generators are responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rate Schedule.

4. Procurement Class 4 customer-generators will receive a generation credit, at the PJM Day Ahead hourly energy rate, for each kilowatt hour received by the Company during each hour of the billing period up to the total amount of electricity delivered to the customer during each hour of the billing period.

If a Procurement Class 4 customer-generator supplies more electricity to the Company than the Company delivers to the customer-generator during any hour in the billing period, the excess kilowatt hours shall not be carried forward to a subsequent billing period but will be credited in the current month toward generation charges based on the PJM Day Ahead hourly rate. Any excess kilowatt hours at the end of the PJM planning period will not carry over to the next year.

5. Procurement Class 4 customer-generators will also receive a variable distribution credit for each kilowatt hour received by the Company during the monthly billing period up to the total amount of electricity delivered to the Customer during the monthly billing period at the applicable distribution rate.

If a Procurement Class 4 customer-generator supplies more electricity to the Company than the Company delivers to the customer-generator, the variable distribution charges will be reduced by the excess kilowatt hours, which will be carried forward and credited against the customer-generator’s distribution kilowatt hours in subsequent billing periods until the end of the PJM planning period, ending May 31 of each year.

Procurement Class 4 customer-generators are responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rate Schedule.

Any excess kilowatt hours at the end of the PJM planning period will not carry over to the next year and reduce distribution charges.

NET METERING FOR SHOPPING CUSTOMERS.

1. Customer-generators may take net metering services from EGSs that offer such services.

2. If a net-metering customer takes service from an EGS, the Company will credit the customer for distribution charges for each kilowatt hour produced by a Tier I or Tier II resource installed on the customer-generator’s side of the electric revenue meter, up to the total amount of kilowatt hours delivered to the customer by the Company during the billing period. If a customer-generator supplies more electricity to the electric distribution system than the EDC delivers to the customer-generator in a given billing period, the excess kilowatt hours shall be carried forward and credited against the customer-generator’s usage in subsequent billing periods at the Company’s distribution rates. Any excess kilowatt hours at the end of the PJM planning period will not carry over to the next year and reduce distribution charges. The customer-generator is responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rates Schedule.

3. If the Company delivers more kilowatt hours of electricity than the customer-generator facility feeds back to the Company's system during the billing period, all charges of the applicable rate schedule shall be applied to the net kilowatt-hours of electricity that the Company delivered. The customer-generator is responsible for the customer charge, demand charge and other applicable charges under the applicable Rate Schedule.

4. Pursuant to Commission regulations, the credit or compensation terms for excess electricity produced by customer-generators who are customers of EGSs shall be stated in the service agreement between the customer-generator and the EGS.

5. If a customer-generator switches electricity suppliers, the Company shall treat the end of the service as if it were the end of the PJM planning period.
APPLICATION.
Customer-generators seeking to receive service under the provisions of this Rate must submit a written application to the Company demonstrating compliance with the Net Metering Rate provisions and quantifying the total rated generating capacity of the customer-generator facility. The installation cannot be directly connected to the Company's distribution system ("stand alone"). Instead, the installation must be connected to a facility (residence or business) that is connected to the Company's distribution system.

MINIMUM CHARGE.
The Minimum Charges under Rate Schedule R, RH, CAP, GS, PD, HT and EP apply for installations under this Rate.

RIDERS.
Bills rendered by the Company under this Rate shall be subject to charges stated in any other applicable Rate.