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GENERAL RULES

20. Standby Service - Continued

20.4 Billing under Standby Service Rates - Continued

20.4.3 -Continued

(A) Where the Customer Establishes the Contract Demand

- (1) A Customer who chooses its own Contract Demand may revise the Contract Demand by giving written notice to the Company, which must be received no less than ten days before the beginning of the first billing period for which the revised Contract Demand shall be applicable. A Customer may revise its Contract Demand downward once every 12 months. The new Contract Demand cannot be set at a level that is lower than the highest demand reached in the past 12 months unless the Customer demonstrates, based on an engineering analysis submitted to the Company, that electricity-consuming equipment is removed or abandoned in place or that permanent energy-efficiency or load-limiting equipment is installed. No retroactive adjustment will be made for a reduction in the Contract Demand level. A Customer may revise its Contract Demand upward at any time for a prospective billing period.
- (2) The Company has final authority to approve or modify the Contract Demand for each account supplied by a generating facility under General Rule 20.2.1(B)(7) or General Rule 20.2.1(B)(8) based on the principles used by Company to establish Contract Demand pursuant to General Rule 20.4.3(B).
- (3) If a Customer's monthly maximum demand exceeds the Contract Demand by more than 10 percent, a surcharge will apply to the current monthly bill for the portion of the demand that is in excess of the Contract Demand, except as specified in (4) below. To determine the surcharge, the monthly Contract Demand Delivery Charge and the Contract Demand Delivery MAC will each be calculated for the excess demand, and the charges will be summed. The surcharge will apply as follows:
 - (a) If the monthly maximum demand exceeds the Contract Demand by more than 10 percent but less than 20 percent, the surcharge will be equal to 12 times the sum of the monthly Contract Demand charges for the excess demand; and
 - (b) If the monthly maximum demand exceeds the Contract Demand by 20 percent or more, the surcharge will be equal to 24 times the sum of the monthly Contract Demand charges for the excess demand.
- (4) Where the account is supplied by a generating facility under General Rule 20.2.1(B)(7) or General Rule 20.2.1(B)(8), no surcharge will be assessed if the monthly maximum registered demand for that account exceeds either a Customer- or Company-set Contract Demand.

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