

PSC NO: 220 ELECTRICITY
NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION
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GENERAL INFORMATION

25. METER: (Continued)

25.4 Metering Voltage (Continued)

25.4.2.1.2 Metered energy will be multiplied by a factor based on load losses of transformers at 80% kVA load to which will be added the constant no-load transformer losses at normal voltage.

25.4.2.1.3 No-load transformer losses are determined for 730 hours per month.

25.4.2.1.4 The multiplying factors and no-load losses will be derived from data published by the transformer manufacturer, when available, or by General Electric Company for transformers of similar voltage, type, and size.

25.4.2.2 In all other cases metered energy will be increased by three percent.

25.5 Meter Reading

25.5.1 The Company will be responsible for reading the meters of all Customers on their normally scheduled meter reading cycle, which may be monthly or bi-monthly.

25.5.2 If the Company or the Customer requires the Company to have remote access to the meter, the Customer shall provide access to a direct dial, voice-grade telephone line, subject to Company approval, that will be maintained by the Customer at the Customer's expense, except as otherwise provided in this Tariff.

25.5.2.1 The Customer will be solely responsible for providing, at its cost, any required telephonic communication equipment, whether a land line or a cellular telephone (where technically feasible). Where Company vendor agreements permit, cellular telephones may be procured through the Company at a cost mutually agreed to by the Company and the Customer.

25.5.2.2 The Customer will bear all costs associated with the installation, operation and maintenance of the telephone line including, but not limited to, all telephone bills. The Customer may assume responsibility for a telephone connection previously installed by the Company for this purpose or may, if the Customer plans to use a different telephone line, request the Company to remove its telephone line connection.

25.5.2.3 If the Customer's phone line is not operational for any reason when the Company attempts to read the meter, the Customer will be assessed \$50.00 on each monthly cycle until the condition is corrected. This provision will not apply to cellular telephones procured through the Company.

25.5.2.4 Distributed Generation Customers will be responsible to pay for costs incurred by the Company from the Company's telecommunication service provider for connection to the Company's wireless telecommunications system (SCADA/DTT).

25.5.2.5 The Customer will be required to pay an additional cost to upgrade a Company-owned meter, in accordance with a schedule provided by the Company.