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GENERAL INFORMATION

- 8. Reserved for Future Use
- 9. Economic Development Zone Incentive:

Upon application, a prospective or existing non-residential customer located in an approved Economic Development Zone ("Empire Zone"), that is eligible for service under Service Classification Nos. 2, 3, 6, 7 or 9, may qualify for the Economic Development Zone Incentive ("EDZI"), as stated in the applicable Special Provision for Economic Incentives of the respective service classifications for qualified electric use. Such eligible customer may qualify for the EDZI by operating or adding equipment at the premises with a nameplate rating equal to the lesser of: (a) 25% of the existing Contract Demand (or "Connected Load" for a non-Demand Charge service classification customer), or (b) 25 kilowatts (kW).

An eligible "prospective customer" is hereby defined as a business entity which demonstrates that: a) its activities are largely or entirely different in nature from that of the previous customer or b) if the activities are not different, the owner(s) is different; or c) business has not been conducted at the premises for at least six months prior to the application for EDZI benefits; or (d) the predecessor customer is in bankruptcy and the applicant has obtained the business in a liquidation sale.

An eligible "existing customer" is hereby defined as a business entity that does not qualify as a prospective customer and is presently taking electric service from the Corporation's system, thus establishing a base load. Such customer, upon application and qualification, must add equipment to increase its facility's existing load, as stated above, to qualify for this incentive, which is solely applicable to such increased load.

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