

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

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September 21, 2010

File No. 602-19

Akbar Jazayeri
Vice President, Regulatory Operations
Southern California Edison Company
PO Box 800
Rosemead, CA 91770

Dear Mr. Jazayeri:

The Commission has received and filed the utility's Advice Letter No. 80-W, to establish tariff Schedule W-4, Dedicated Water Service for Private Fire Protection Systems and its associated Bill Format. We have thus processed the advice letter and the following revised Cal. P.U.C. tariff sheets that were submitted:

<u>Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.</u>	<u>Title of Sheet</u>
681-W, 682-W	Schedule W-4, Dedicated Water Service for Private Fire Protection Systems
683-W	Form 14-574.W.4, Water Statement
684-W	Table of Contents, Sheet 1
685-W	Table of Contents, Sheet 2

Enclosed is a copy of the advice letter and tariff sheets, with an effective date of September 20, 2010, for the utility's files.

Please contact Carolina Contreras at (415) 703-5090 if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Josie R. Babaran".

JOSIE R. BABARAN
Staff Services Analyst
Water & Sewer Advisory Branch

Enclosures

ADVICE LETTER (AL) SUSPENSION NOTICE *
WATER DIVISION

Utility Name	Southern California Edison Company	Date Utility Notified	8/27/2010
Utility No./Type	U 338-W/WTC	Via	
Advice Letter No.	AL 80-W	[] Fax No.	()
Date AL filed		[X] E-Mail	Lisa.Villanoweth@sce.com
Utility Contact Person	Lisa Vellanoweth	[] Mail	
Utility Telephone No.	(626) 302-2021	Date Calendar Clerk Notified	8/27/10
DWA Project Manager	Peter Liu	DWA Staff Analyst	Carolina Contreras

INITIAL SUSPENSION (up to 120 DAYS)

This is to notify you that the above-indicated AL is suspended from 8/27 /2010 to 9/27/2010 for the following reason(s). If the Commission does not act on this AL within this time, the second suspension will commence automatically.

- AL Protested
- Resolution is required
- AL not in compliance with Commission Statute/Decision/Resolution
- Additional information is required
- Additional time is required
- Other _____

FURTHER SUSPENSION (up to 180 DAYS)

The Commission has not taken action on this AL; therefore, an additional 180-day suspension period will automatically commence on ___/___/___.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please contact _____ at _____ or via e-mail at _____.

Cc: Division Director
Program Manager
Division Process Personnel
Protestants (see attached)

August 10, 2010

ADVICE 80-W
(U 338-W)

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
WATER DIVISION

SUBJECT: Establishment of Schedule W-4, Dedicated Water Service for
Private Fire Protection Systems

Southern California Edison Company (SCE) hereby submits for filing the following changes to its tariff schedules. The new tariff sheet is listed on Attachment A and attached hereto.

PURPOSE

The purpose of this advice filing is to establish Schedule W-4, Dedicated Water Service for Private Fire Protection Systems and its associated Bill Format.

BACKGROUND

SCE provides private fire protection service on Santa Catalina Island (Catalina) through piping and other infrastructure dedicated to supplying water to customers for fire suppression without compromising the integrity of Catalina's drinking water system (dedicated fire protection service). The service charge historically applied to dedicated fire protection service on Catalina was based upon the "Service Charge" identified in Schedule W-1.¹ Unlike typical fresh water service, meters on these dedicated fire protection service pipelines are not intended to be used to measure the quantity of water delivered and may not correspond in size to the pipeline size. Instead, meters are

¹ SCE's Rule 17.A.1.c provides that "[a]ll water sold by SCE will be upon the basis of metered volume sales except that SCE may at its option provide flat rate or estimated service for . . . Public and private fire protection." SCE's Rule 21.A., effective November 9, 2008, provides that "[f]ire protection service will be furnished by SCE only at the rates and under the conditions set forth in an appropriate rate schedule for the service filed as a part of these tariff schedules, except as such service may be supplemented or amplified by more detailed contractual arrangements after authorization therefore has first been obtained from the California Public Utilities Commission."

installed in these circumstances to detect water flow and verify that water is used only for fire suppression purposes. Therefore, the service charge SCE imposed for dedicated fire protection service was the "Service Charge" identified in Schedule W-1 for the meter size corresponding to the service connection size. For example, the service charge billed for a four-inch diameter pipeline used for dedicated fire protection service was the Service Charge identified in Schedule W-1 for a four-inch meter. SCE did not have a separate tariff schedule for dedicated fire protection service.

Recently some customers have questioned the applicability of Schedule W-1 rates to dedicated fire protection service, and litigation is pending concerning the sufficiency of SCE's tariffs to authorize such charges (*Martin Curtin, et al. v. Southern California Edison Company, et al.*, Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC417712). Pursuant to a settlement agreement signed by the parties, SCE ceased charging fire protection service customers for fire protection service effective April 30, 2010, until such time as the Commission approves a Schedule W-4. The settlement agreement is subject to court approval.

PROPOSED TARIFF

SCE proposes to establish a separate rate schedule which specifically delineates the charges and provisions for dedicated fire protection service. The rates proposed under this schedule are designed based on the revenue requirement and billing determinants (sales and number of service connections) adopted by the California Public Utilities Commission (Commission) in Resolution W-4665. They are also consistent with the Commission's Water Division, Standard Practice guidelines.² Standard Practice U-7-W, "Rate Design for Water and Sewer System Utilities including Master Metered Facilities," Appendix A includes a list of rate schedules identified by Class of Service. The list includes "Private Fire Protection Service" (Schedule 4)³ as a class of service for which a separate water service schedule may be provided. Accordingly, SCE proposes to establish Schedule W-4, entitled "Dedicated Water Service for Private Fire Protection Systems"⁴ and its associated Bill Format. The new Schedule W-4 proposes rates for dedicated fire protection service along with a description of the service and its provisions. Under the new Schedule W-4, SCE will charge customers the applicable service charge for dedicated fire protection service based on the diameter of the fire water service connection. All water service not covered by Schedule W-4 will continue to be governed by Schedule W-1 and, where applicable, Schedule W-1-CARE.

² Standard Practice U-1-W, modified July 2007 pursuant to General Order (GO) 96-B, defines a Standard Practice as "A Water Division document that provides guidelines (1) to the public and Utilities for preparing, and filing with the Water Division or the Commission, various documents, including formal applications and advice letters, and (2) to Staff for reviewing such documents and creating Water Division work products.

³ Schedule numbering corresponds generally to revenue classes reflected in the present uniform system of accounts for water utilities.

⁴ SCE proposes to use this title as it is more indicative of the service provided.

RATE DESIGN PROPOSAL

Schedule W-4 will be available to customers who require private dedicated service for fire protection at a residence or business through the use of private hydrants, standpipes, or other connections. The rate design for the service charge under Schedule W-4 is based on the principle of standby service, where usage for fire protection is random and infrequent.

The revenue requirement for Private Fire Protection is proportionally set based on the number of meters represented in the class. Since Private Fire Protection meters constitute 4.3 percent of the meter population, SCE allocated 4.3 percent of fixed charge revenue requirement (prior to application of any surcharges) to the Private Fire Protection class.

Schedule W-4 is based on the principle of potential demand per Manual 1.⁵ The principle of potential demand recognizes that fire protection needs create incremental cost on a water distribution system due to the standby nature of the service provided, and that only the incremental component costs should be associated with fire protection. Incremental capacity needs resulting from the potential demand associated with fire protection flows is a function of the pipe size providing the basic service. SCE used the Hazen-Williams equation to estimate the demand factors reflecting the relative flow potential for fire protection needs. Table B-1 of Attachment B illustrates the methodology used to develop the demand factors and service equivalents. The result is a weighted average charge of \$15 per inch (of service pipe connection size) for Private Fire Protection service.

An adjustment to the basic methodology from Manual 1 was made to account for meter ratios specified by the Commission in Resolution W-4665. The Manual 1 methodology alone results in meter ratios steeper than the ratios previously approved by the Commission. Following the Commission's guidance, SCE adjusted results from the Manual 1 methodology to conform to meter ratios specified in Resolution W-4665, while maintaining the same weighted average charge of \$15 per inch. These results can also be seen in Table B-2 of Attachment B.

As discussed above, pursuant to a settlement agreement dedicated fire protection service customers are currently not being charged for this service. SCE is still, however, providing this service to customers. Therefore, in order to charge customers for the service they are receiving, SCE requests that the Commission expedite its review of this Advice filing and approve Schedule W-4 as soon as possible.

⁵ American Water Works Association (Manual 1).

TIER DESIGNATION

Pursuant to GO 96-B, Water Industry Rule 7.3.2, this advice letter is submitted with a Tier 2 designation.

EFFECTIVE DATE

This advice filing will become effective upon approval by Water Division pursuant to General Rule 7.6.1.

NOTICE

Anyone wishing to protest this advice filing may do so by letter via U.S. Mail, facsimile, or electronically, any of which must be received no later than 20 days after the date of this advice filing. Protests should be mailed to:

Director, Water Division
CPUC
505 Van Ness Avenue
San Francisco, California 94102
E-mail: water_division@cpuc.ca.gov
Facsimile: (415) 703-2200

In addition, protests and all other correspondence regarding this advice letter should also be sent by letter and transmitted via facsimile or electronically to the attention of:

Akbar Jazayeri
Vice President of Regulatory Operations
Southern California Edison Company
2244 Walnut Grove Avenue
Rosemead, California 91770
Facsimile: (626) 302-4829
E-mail: AdviceTariffManager@sce.com

Bruce Foster
Senior Vice President, Regulatory Affairs
c/o Karyn Gansecki
Southern California Edison Company
601 Van Ness Avenue, Suite 2040
San Francisco, California 94102
Facsimile: (415) 929-5540
E-mail: Karyn.Gansecki@sce.com

There are no restrictions on who may file a protest, but the protest shall set forth specifically the grounds upon which it is based and shall be submitted expeditiously.

In accordance with Section 4 for GO 96-B, SCE is serving copies of this advice filing to the interested parties shown on the attached GO 96-B and Resolution W-4665 service lists. Address change requests to the GO 96-B service list should be directed by electronic mail to AdviceTariffManager@sce.com or at (626) 302-4039. For changes to all other service lists, please contact the Commission's Process Office at (415) 703-2021 or by electronic mail at Process_Office@cpuc.ca.gov.

Further, in accordance with Public Utilities Code Section 491, notice to the public is hereby given by filing and keeping the advice filing at SCE's corporate headquarters. To view other SCE advice letters filed with the Commission, log on to SCE's web site at <http://www.sce.com/AboutSCE/Regulatory/adviceletters/>.

For questions, please contact Lisa Vellanoweth at (626) 302-2021 or by electronic mail at Lisa.Vellanoweth@sce.com.

Southern California Edison Company

Akbar Jazayeri

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Enclosures

Attachment B

Table B-1: Private Fire Protection (PFP) Demand Factors and Service Equivalents (Hazen-Williams Methodology from Manual 1)

* Meter Revenue at 2009 Sales Forecast (Advice 69-W) **\$1,045,672**
 Allocation for Private Fire **\$45,114**
 Fire Service Equivalent 2,290
 Charge per Equivalent \$19.70

Pipe Size (in.)	Meter Count	Customer Distribution	Demand	Fire Service Equivalent	Monthly Charge (\$)	Meter charge (\$/in.)	Current Meter Charge for W-1 (\$)	W-1 (\$/in)	Percent Discount
0.625	0	0.0%	0.3	0.0	0.48	0.76	26.44	42.30	-98.2%
0.750	1	1.2%	0.5	0.5	0.77	1.03	37.06	49.41	-97.9%
1.000	3	3.6%	1.0	3.0	1.64	1.64	47.67	47.67	-96.6%
1.500	7	8.3%	2.9	20.3	4.77	3.18	63.67	42.45	-92.5%
2.000	27	32.1%	6.2	167.1	10.16	5.08	84.89	42.45	-88.0%
3.000	4	4.8%	18.0	71.9	29.52	9.84	177.45	59.15	-83.4%
4.000	38	45.2%	38.3	1,456.1	62.90	15.73	241.42	60.36	-73.9%
6.000	3	3.6%	111.3	333.9	182.73	30.45	400.91	66.82	-54.4%
8.000	1	1.2%	237.2	237.2	389.40	48.67	596.32	74.54	-34.7%
	84	3.07		2,290	3,759	14.56	14,601		
	PFP % of Total Accounts	4.3%		Annual Revenue	45,114		175,207		-74.3%
	Total Number of Customers	1,947				Revenue Delta	130,093		

Table B-2: Private Fire Protection (PFP) Demand Factors and Service Equivalents (Adjusted Methodology Based on Current Meter Ratios from Resolution W-4665)

Pipe Size (in.)	PFP Meter Ratios	Current Meter Ratios Based on 5/8 Pipe Size	PFP charge Based on Current MR	Current Meter Charge for W-1 (\$)	Meter charge (\$/in.)	W-1 (\$/in)	Percent Discount
0.625	1.0	1.00	6.81	26.44	10.89	42.30	-74.3%
0.750	1.6	1.40	9.54	37.06	12.72	49.41	-74.3%
1.000	3.4	1.80	12.27	47.67	12.27	47.67	-74.3%
1.500	10.0	2.41	16.39	63.67	10.93	42.45	-74.3%
2.000	21.3	3.21	21.86	84.89	10.93	42.45	-74.3%
3.000	61.9	6.71	45.69	177.45	15.23	59.15	-74.3%
4.000	131.9	9.13	62.16	241.42	15.54	60.36	-74.3%
6.000	383.2	15.16	103.23	400.91	17.20	66.82	-74.3%
8.000	816.5	22.55	153.55	596.32	19.19	74.54	-74.3%
			3,759	14,601	14.56	56.54	-74.3%
		Annual Revenue	45,114				

CALIFORNIA PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION DIVISION OF WATER AND AUDITS Advice Letter Cover Sheet	(Date Filed / Received Stamp by CPUC)
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AL # 80-W	Date Mailed to Service List: 8/10/10	Requested Effective Date: Upon issuance of Commission approval	Requested Tier: <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 1 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tier 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 3
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Replacing AL#:	Authorization for Filing: Resolution W-4665	Compliance Filing? <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Revenue Impact	\$	
				%	

<u>The public has 20 days from Date Mailed (above) to protest this advice letter. If you chose to protest or respond to the advice letter, send Protest and/or Correspondence within 20 days to:</u>	Director Division of Water and Audits 505 Van Ness Ave. San Francisco, CA 94102
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<u>and if you have email capability, also email to:</u>	water_division@cpuc.ca.gov
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<u>Your protest also must be served on the Utility</u>	(see attached advice letter for more information and grounds for protest)
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Company Name: Southern California Edison Company	CPUC Utility Number:
Address: 2244 Walnut Grove Avenue	WTA _____
City, State, Zip: Rosemead, CA 91770	WTB _____
	WTC <u>U 338-W</u>
	WTD _____
	SWR _____

	Contact Name:	Phone No.	Fax No.	Email Address:
Filer	James Yee	626-302-2509	626-302-4829	advicetariffmanager@sce.com
Alternate	Jeanette Magana	626-302-4039	626-302-4829	Jeanette.magana@sce.com

Description:
 In this space or on the back of this form:

1. Explain justification for requested Tier: Water Industry Rule 7.3.3
2. Describe service affected and how it is affected: Increase rates for water service to customers on Catalina and propose new rate design.
3. Describe differences from related Advice Letters (Similar service, replacement filing)

(FOR CPUC USE ONLY)

WTS Budget/Activity/Type _____/_____/_____	Process as: <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 2 <input type="checkbox"/> Tier 3 20th Day <input type="text"/> 30th Day <input type="text"/>
Project Manager: _____	Suspended on: _____
Analyst: _____	Extended on: _____
Due Date: _____	Resolution No.: _____
Completion Date: _____	AL/Tariff Effective Date: _____

Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.	Title of Sheet	Cancelling Cal. P.U.C. Sheet No.
Original 681-W Original 682-W	Schedule W-4 Schedule W-4	Original Original
Original 683-W	Forms 14-574.W.4	
Revised 684-W Revised 685-W	Table of Contents Table of Contents	Revised 638-W Revised 639-W



Schedule W-4
DEDICATED WATER SERVICE FOR PRIVATE
FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS

Sheet 1

APPLICABILITY

This Schedule is applicable to water service through supply lines that provide water solely for private fire protection systems. All other water service shall be charged under the provisions of Schedule W-1, and where applicable, Schedule W-1-CARE.

TERRITORY

Santa Catalina Island, in Los Angeles County.

RATES

Per Service Connection
per Month

Service Charge:

For	5/8-inch diameter supply line	\$ 6.81
For	3/4- inch diameter supply line	\$ 9.54
For	1-inch diameter supply line	\$ 12.27
For	1-1/2-inch diameter supply line	\$ 16.39
For	2-inch diameter supply line	\$ 21.86
For	3-inch diameter supply line	\$ 45.69
For	4-inch diameter supply line	\$ 62.16
For	6-inch diameter supply line	\$ 103.23
For	8-inch diameter supply line	\$ 153.55

SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. The installation of, or changes to, facilities for a private fire protection system is subject to SCE's applicable tariffs.
2. The expense of maintaining the private fire protection facilities on the customer's premises (including the vault, meter and backflow device) shall be paid for by the customer.
3. All private fire protection facilities, excluding the connection at the main and any service pipe located in a public-right-way, are the sole property of the customer. SCE and its duly authorized agents shall have the right of ingress to, and egress from, the customer's premises for all purposes relating to said facilities and the provision of private fire protection water service.
4. No structure shall be built over or enclosing the private fire protection facilities and the customer shall maintain and safeguard the area occupied by said facilities from traffic and other hazardous conditions. Exceptions may be made on a case-by-case basis for extenuating circumstances.

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(To be inserted by utility)
 Advice 80-W
 Decision _____

Issued by
Akbar Jazayeri
Vice President

(To be inserted by Cal. PUC)
 Date Filed Aug 10, 2010
 Effective Sep 20, 2010
 Resolution _____



Schedule W-4
DEDICATED WATER SERVICE FOR PRIVATE
FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS

Sheet 2

(Continued)

SPECIAL CONDITIONS (Continued)

5. The customer will be responsible for any damage to the private fire protection facilities however caused.
6. A meter may be installed on the private fire protection facilities. Such meter may not correspond in size to the size of the service connection pipe and is installed to detect and/or measure the unauthorized use of water.
7. Unauthorized use, defined as any use of water for purposes other than private fire protection, fire abatement training, or maintenance of the private fire protection facility, except for uncontrollable usage due to faulty or damaged equipment, is prohibited under this Schedule. If three instances of unauthorized use are detected and confirmed, the service account will no longer be eligible for service under this Schedule. Upon each detection of water usage under this Schedule, SCE will conduct a field verification to determine the nature of the usage. If it is determined the usage is unauthorized, SCE will log the event as such. Upon the third such detection, the service account will no longer be eligible for service under this Schedule and service will be transferred to the appropriate tariff based on the class of water usage.
8. SCE will supply to the privately owned fire protection system only such water at such pressure as may be available from time to time in the operation of SCE's system. Section 774 of the Public Utilities Code limits the liability of SCE resulting from a claim regarding the provision or maintenance of an adequate water supply, water pressure, equipment or other fire protection facility or service. Acceptance of service under this tariff is acknowledgement of notice of the provisions of Section 774 of the Public Utilities Code.

(To be inserted by utility)
Advice 80-W
Decision _____

Issued by
Akbar Jazayeri
Vice President

(To be inserted by Cal. PUC)
Date Filed Aug 10, 2010
Effective Sep 20, 2010
Resolution _____



Southern California Edison
Rosemead, California (U 338-E)

Original
Cancelling

Cal. PUC Sheet No. 683-W
Cal. PUC Sheet No.

Sheet 1

WATER STATEMENT

Form 14-574.W.4

Schedule W-4

(To be inserted by utility)

Advice 80-W

Decision _____

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Issued by

Akbar Jazayeri

Vice President

(To be inserted by Cal. PUC)

Date Filed Aug 10, 2010

Effective Sep 20, 2010

Resolution _____

Contact Information

Customer service numbers

General Services (U.S. & Canada)	1-800-655-4555
Account Balance & Extensions	1-800-950-2356
Emergency Services & Outages	1-800-611-1911
California Alternate Rates for Energy (CARE)	1-800-447-6620
Electric Industry Restructuring	1-800-799-4723
Energy Theft Hotline	1-800-227-3901
Hearing & Speech Impaired (TTY)	1-800-352-8580

Multicultural services (Available Monday – Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.)

Cambodian	1-800-843-1309
Chinese	1-800-843-8343
Korean	1-800-628-3061
Vietnamese	1-800-327-3031
Spanish	1-800-441-2233

(7 dias a la semana 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.)

Correspondence: Southern California Edison (SCE)
P.O. Box 6400 Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91729-6400

Important information

Rotating Outages

A rotating outage is a controlled electric outage that lasts approximately one hour for a group of circuits, which is used during electric system emergency conditions to avoid widespread or uncontrolled blackouts. Each SCE customer is assigned a rotating outage group, shown on the upper part of the SCE bill. If your rotating outage group begins with the letters A, M, R, S, or X, you are subject to rotating outages. If it begins with N or Exempt, you are not. Your rotating outage group may change at any time. For more information, and to see which rotating outage groups are likely to be called in the event of a system emergency, visit www.sce.com or call (800) 655-4555.

Options for Paying Your Bill

You can pay your bill by:

- Mail
- In person at an authorized payment location
- Telephone
- Online at www.sce.com

You may call us for electronic payment options, to make payment arrangements, or for information on agencies to assist you in bill payment.

Past-Due Bills

Your bill was prepared on October 1, 2007. Your bill is due when you receive it and becomes past due 19 days after the date the bill was prepared. You will have 15 days at your new address to pay a bill from a prior address before your service will be terminated. SCE does not terminate residential service for non-payment of bills for other classes of service. Termination of electric service requires a reconnection charge. A field assignment charge may appear on your next bill if SCE visits your premises because of non-payment. If you are a residential customer, and claim an inability to pay and payment arrangements have not been extended to you by SCE pursuant to SCE's filed tariffs, you may contact the California Public Utilities Commission (CPUC).

Disputed Bills

If you think your bill is incorrect, call us and speak with a customer service representative, or if necessary, with a manager. If you feel unsatisfied with the result of such discussion(s), contact the CPUC, Consumer Affairs Branch by mail at: 505 Van Ness, Room 2003, San Francisco, CA 94102; or at: www.cpuc.ca.gov, (800) 649-7570, TTY: (800) 949-9599. Include a copy of your bill, why you believe SCE did not follow its rules and rates, and a check or money order made out to the CPUC for the disputed amount. You must pay the disputed amount, or send it to the CPUC, before the past-due date to avoid disconnection. The CPUC accepts payment only for matters relating directly to bill accuracy. While the CPUC is investigating your complaint, you must pay any new SCE bills that become due.

To change your contact information or enroll in SCE's payment option, complete the form below and return it in the enclosed envelope.

Change of Mailing Address: 0-00-000-000

STREET#	STREET NAME	APARTMENT #
CITY	STATE	ZIP CODE
TELEPHONE #	E-MAIL ADDRESS	

Rules and Rates

SCE's rules and rates are available in full at www.sce.com or upon request.

Late Payment Charge (LPC)

A late payment charge of .9% will be applied to the total unpaid balance on your account if full payment is not received by the due date on this bill (except for CARE rate and state agency accounts).

Electronic Fund Transfers (EFT)

When you provide a check as payment, you authorize us either to use information from your check to make a one-time electronic fund transfer from your account or to process the payment as a check transaction. When we use information from your check to make an electronic fund transfer, funds may be withdrawn from your account as soon as the same day we receive your payment. You will not receive your check back from your financial institution, but the transaction will appear on your financial institution statement. If you do not wish to authorize an electronic fund transfer, please call the 800 number on the front of your bill.

Definitions

- DWR Bond Charge: Bonds issued by the Department of Water Resources (DWR) to cover the cost of buying power for customers during the energy crisis are being repaid through this charge.
- DWR Generation: Charges for that portion of your energy usage provided by the DWR; these are collected by SCE as an agent for DWR.
- Historic Procurement Charge (HPC): The HPC has been authorized by the CPUC to allow SCE to recover past rate collections.
- SCE Generation: These charges recover energy procurement and generation costs for that portion of your energy provided by SCE. Effective September 20, 2001, your ability to enter into new contracts to purchase electricity from a supplier other than SCE was suspended by the CPUC. Customers who were taking Direct Access service or who had a signed contract prior to September 20, 2001, may continue to purchase electricity from their existing supplier consistent with CPUC-established rules.
- Trust Transfer Amount (TTA): This reflects the Fixed Transition Amount (FTA), chargeable to residential and small commercial customers pursuant to state law and a financing order issued by the CPUC. The TTA is the property of SCE Funding Limited Liability Corporation (LLC) and is collected by SCE solely as the servicing agent for SCE Funding LLC.

Direct Payment (Automatic Debit) Enrollment: 0-00-000-0000

I hereby authorize SCE and my financial institution to automatically deduct my monthly payment from the checking account as shown on my enclosed check, ten calendar days after my bill is mailed.

Signature _____ Date _____

To change your checking account information or to be removed from the Direct Payment program please call SCE @ 1-800-655-4555

Service account 2-000-0000-00
Service address 123 Service Address
City, CA 00000

Details of your new charges

Your rate: W-4

Billing period: Jun 1 '10 to Jul (30 days)

Account: 2-000-0000-00

0000000 W-4 --FIRE PROTECTION 06/01/10 07/01/10	\$11.50
1-INCH DIAMETER SUPPLY LINE	
SERVICE CHARGE = \$11.71	
1986 TAX CREDIT =-\$0.39	
STATE WATER SURCHG = \$0.18	
TOTAL = \$11.50	

Your new charges **\$11.50**

SAMPLE

This summer you can **SAVE** more than just energy.

Visit www.sce.com for more details on our 20/20 summer savings program.

More great rebates and savings at www.sce.com

It's Easy to Earn the 20/20 Discount

Even simple activities can produce big cash and energy savings this summer. Here are some things you can do:

- Set your thermostat at 78 degrees. You can save up to xx% on cooling costs.
- Replace an air conditioner with a new, more efficient model.
- Switch from incandescent to compact fluorescent light bulbs, which can save you as much as \$xx.xx per light bulb in just one year. Fluorescents are cooler, too, which means your air-conditioning system won't have to work as hard.

Find more money and energy-saving tips at www.sce.com. Click on "Rebates & Savings." Or call 1-800-000-0000.

Please fill out the following information, detached and return it in the enclosed postage-paid return envelope along with your payment stub.

I pledge to reduce my energy use by 20% this summer and receive my "emPOWERed to conserve" pledge band. With my pledge, the pledge band will be sent to the address listed below.

You can also pledge online at www.sce.com/pledgetosave and receive your "emPOWERed to conserve"

Name _____
(First) _____ (Last) _____

Service Account Num. 0-00-000-0000 _____

Address 1234 Main St. _____

City Anytown _____ State CA _____ Zip 12345 _____

Email Address (optional) _____

Looking for Your Energy Overhead? Find Out in 15 Minutes

Take about 15 minutes to complete SCE's free online Business Energy Survey and learn where you can save the most on your energy overhead costs. You'll receive customized energy efficiency recommendations that you can take to your office or shop floor and then to the bank!

It's easy:

- Answer questions about your business.
- Receive a list of ways you can save energy and money.
- Get estimated cost savings for each energy-saving suggestion.
- Act on the suggestions and start saving!

Learn more at www.sce.com. Click on "Rebates & Savings." Or call 1-800-000-0000.

Voluntary Renewables

California's air quality can use your help by making a voluntary contribution to renewable energy resources like wind, solar, geothermal, biomass and small hydropower. SCE supports renewable energy and the landmark state legislation that mandates the use of these natural resources to generate electricity. Here's how you can contribute to clean air:

- Make a contribution in any amount you choose by writing a separate check to the Renewable Resource Trust Fund, which is administered by the California Energy Commission (CEC). Enclose your contribution with your bill payment check in the return envelope.
- Please do not send cash. Your contribution is not tax-deductible, but will go a long way toward supporting alternative energy resources.

If you have any questions about the Trust Fund or renewable energy, please call the CEC at (800) 000-0000.

SCE Solicits Offers for New Power Supply

Your energy conservation efforts help assure adequate power supply for Southern California, but the region will need additional supply sources as early as next year.

That's why SCE is conducting a competitive Request for Offers to attract new electricity generating plants that would serve all Southern California electricity users. SCE is soliciting bids for contracts of up to 10 years to buy electricity from new sources that could start providing power between Month DD, YYYY and Month D, YYYY.

The offer is intended to assure adequate power supply while state policymakers continue to develop strategies that encourage new construction.

See more details at www.sce.com/NewGenRFO.

Generator safety

If you have a temporary portable generator, never attempt to connect it to home or building wiring. Carefully connect appliances directly into the portable generator. Use a portable generator in a well-ventilated area and install according to local electrical codes and instructions.

You may have a more permanently installed generator that is attached to building wiring in accordance with local electrical codes and Southern California Edison (SCE) standards. Before operating such a generator, switch off the main circuit breaker or open the transfer switch to disconnect your wiring from the utility system. This helps avoid feeding electricity back through utility power lines, which endangers SCE crews.

Note: State law requires that you notify SCE if you have a generator that can be connected to your wiring. Call 1-800-000-0000 to request an Electric Generator Notification Card.



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