

SECTION 4
SERVICE LIMITATIONS

4.1 CHARACTER

This rate schedule applies only to the delivery of electric energy of the standard characteristics and capacity which may already be available in the locality of the premises to be served or which may be made available by the Company in accordance with the provisions and requirements of Section 7 of these Terms & Conditions.

4.2 SINGLE-POINT DELIVERY

The Company will provide service to one entire premise through a single delivery or metering point. Separate service for the same customer at other points of delivery shall be separately metered and billed, except in the following circumstances: 1) the Company installs more than one meter for its convenience, in which case the meter readings and billings may be combined; or 2) for a customer receiving service under either a Small General Service or Medium General Service-Secondary rate who is served at a single point of delivery and at a single premise and where service is provided through multiple meters in a single bank, the customer's energy usage and any demands registered on the multiple meters shall be added together and combined into one bill, with one customer charge; and 3) for a customer who established a combined meter combined usage (CMCU) service prior to January 1, 2025.

If the customer's energy usage registered on the multiple meters are added together and combined into one bill, with one customer charge, these meters must be the same type of meter. The customer may choose standard wireless smart meters or non-communicating solid state meters. Customers who choose not to have a standard wireless smart meter installed on their premises may select and pay the associated charges for a non-standard meter as described in CMP's Term and Condition 12.11.

Where a customer must have multiple banks of transformers due to loads, physical location or voltage characteristics, individual points of delivery may be established on the secondary side of each bank and each delivery point will be separately metered and billed. A single point of delivery may be established on the primary side of the transformers provided that the customer owns and maintains at the customer's expense all primary connecting lines, facilities, foundations, structures and substations beyond the point of delivery. Where a customer takes primary service in order to fulfill the single point of delivery requirement, the customer may rent the transformers and transformer protective devices from the Company in lieu of ownership. The transformer rental is limited to transformers that are standard to the Company's system.

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4.3 SINGLE CUSTOMER DELIVERY

The rates named in this Schedule are based upon providing electric delivery service to each customer separately metered and separately billed. Subject to Term & Condition 12.10, Master Metering Standard, the Company may allow cumulative metering and multiple billing. For purposes of multiple billing, the rate steps and minimum charges applicable to each individual unit will be combined forming a composite rate applicable to such service.

4.4 COMPLIANCE WITH AVAILABILITY

The use of the Company's service shall be for no purpose other than that covered by the provisions of classification of service and availability of the rate under which service is supplied, or by any part of the Terms & Conditions which may be applicable.

4.5 SERVICES WITH CONNECTED LOADS IN EXCESS OF 50 KVA

Where the connected load to be served exceeds 50 kilovolt amperes the Company may, at its option, require the customer to arrange his wiring to receive polyphase service.

4.6 MOTORS

The Company reserves the right to refuse the supply of service to single-phase motors of individual rating in excess of 5 HP and to polyphase installations aggregating less than 5 HP. The use of single-phase motors up to 7-1/2 HP individual rating will be permitted, upon specific authority of the Company, provided the Company's facilities are adequate to provide the service and provided the use of such motor or motors does not interfere with the quality of service rendered to other customers.

4.7 ALTERNATING CURRENT ARC WELDERS

The Company reserves the right to refuse to provide service to any a.c. arc welders which cause interference or disturb the quality of service to other customers. They shall always be rated at not less than 208 volts. The use of a.c. arc welders in conjunction with residential service and under residential service rates will generally be restricted to limited-input type with maximum welding current rating of 230 amperes and 20% duty cycle. Spot welders shall not be installed on the Company's lines without first obtaining the Company's permission.

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4.8 RESIDENTIAL AND NONRESIDENTIAL USE ON THE SAME METER

The customer shall make reasonable effort to separate residential and non-residential use for electric metering purposes.

Where a customer has nonresidential use on the same meter as a residential service the service will be classified as residential or general service depending on the amount of nonresidential use on the meter.

If the connected load for nonresidential use is 5000 watts or less then the entire service may continue to be classified as residential. If the connected load for nonresidential use is estimated to exceed 5000 watts then the entire service must be classified as general service. In such case, however, the customers have the option of rearranging their wiring for separate metering of their residential and general service use and thus gain the advantage of having the residential use billed on the residential service rate.

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