

RIDER X

LINE EXTENSION POLICY

APPLICABILITY

Available in entire service area and applicable to electric service supplied in accordance with provisions of the appropriate rate currently in effect, from the nearest available overhead distribution lines of required type of service, when it is necessary to extend such lines from existing distribution system to provide for new electric service or to provide for a material increase in the customer's load. In the case of line extensions requested by residential customers, the first 100 feet of such extension shall be provided at no additional cost to the customer. Any additional extension footage shall be subject to the terms of the Extension Plan detailed below.

EXTENSION PLAN

When it is necessary to extend the distribution system under this extension policy, Company will:

- 1) determine the modifications required to the Company's distribution and/or transmission facilities to provide Standard Service to the customer's load;
- 2) design, construct, operate and maintain all facilities necessary for such Standard Service;
- 3) keep an accurate record of the costs of construction and credit such costs with all money, labor, material, or other items of cost contributed by customers and meeting Company standards;
- 4) retain ownership of the line extension and all other facilities installed to serve the customer's load;
- 5) make appropriate adjustments annually as of June 1 in customer's guarantee on account of change in number or classification of customers supplied from the line extension.

Customer will:

- 1) provide an estimate of the customer's expected maximum load i.e. demand;
- 2) establish credit in a manner satisfactory to the Company;
- 3) contract for electric distribution service for an initial period of not less than 4 years at the appropriate rates applicable in the area and currently in effect from time to time;
- 4) guarantee a proportionate part of a Minimum Monthly Payment to the Company equal to 1% of the line extension cost for residential service and 2% for non-residential service, where such Minimum Monthly Payment is based only on the Company's unbundled distribution charges. In no case, however, should the Minimum Monthly Payment be less than the minimum called for by the rate applicable to the customer's service;

When term of service or credit have not been established in a manner satisfactory to the Company, the customer may be required to advance a proportionate part of the estimated cost of the line extension. When such advance is made Company will refund at the end of each year for four years 25% of the revenues received in any one year, up to 25% of the advance.

All costs expended by the Company to provide service to the customer where such costs are over and above the costs to provide Standard Service are to be treated as Excess Facilities.

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APPORTIONMENT AND ADJUSTMENT OF GUARANTEES

Monthly guarantees will be apportioned among those to be served from the extension in the ratio which the minimum monthly payment specified in the applicable tariff bears to the total of all such minimum in the contract for service from the given line extension. Nothing herein contained shall, however, preclude any customer from assuming more than his pro-rata share of such guarantee subject to acceptance thereof by the Company.

A customer added to an extension already established shall guarantee revenue to the Company to the same extent and in the same manner as is then currently guaranteed by other customers of the same class served from the line extension. The Minimum Monthly guarantee shall be reapportioned annually among all customers supplied from the line extension on the basis of their original guarantees, and customers who increase their requirements from time to time will have their minimum monthly guarantees increased only when additional facilities are necessary and then such increase shall be an amount equal to 1% of the cost of the additional facilities for residential service and 2% for non-residential service, but in no case shall the Minimum Monthly Payment guaranteed to the Company be less than the minimum called for by the tariff applicable to the customer's service.

TERM OF CONTRACT

The initial contract shall be for a period of four (4) years.

SERVICE REGULATIONS

The supplying of, and bill for, service and all conditions applying thereto, are subject to the jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio, and to the Company's Service Regulations currently in effect, as filed with the Public Utilities Commission of Ohio.

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