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#### GENERAL INFORMATION

## 33. Residential Agricultural Discount ("RAD")

## A. Applicability:

- 1. The RAD is applicable to an agricultural customer who takes electric service pursuant to a residential service classification, S.C. Nos. 1, 8, or 12 of this Schedule. The RAD will begin on September 1 and continue through August 31 of the following year ("Program Year"). Customers shall provide the documentation as described in Section 33.A.2 by July 1 of each year.
- 2. A customer must complete an application and provide the Company with a copy of their appropriate Internal Revenue Form filed with their most recent filed Federal Tax Return, which indicates that they are agricultural producers.

For customers that file a Form 1040, U.S. Individual Income Tax Return a copy of Internal Revenue Form - Schedule F-Profit or Loss for Farming is required to be submitted with a completed application.

For customers that file a Form 1120, 1120S, or 1065, U.S. Income Tax Return a copy of the form is required to be submitted with a completed application. The Business Activity indicated on the form must be one of the Business Activity codes listed below:

## Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting

# **Crop Production**

111100 - Oilseed & Grain Farming

111210 - Vegetable & Melon Farming (including potatoes & yams)

111300 - Fruit & Tree Nut Farming

111400 - Greenhouse, Nursery, & Floriculture Production

111900 - Other Crop Farming (including tobacco, cotton, sugarcane, hay, peanut, sugar beet & all other crop farming)

#### **Animal Production**

112111 - Beef Cattle Ranching & Farming

112112 - Cattle Feedlots

112120 - Dairy Cattle & Milk Production

112210 - Hog & Pig Farming

112300 - Poultry & Egg Production

112400 - Sheep & Goat Farming

112510 - Aquaculture (including shellfish & finfish farms & hatcheries)

112900 - Other Animal Production

# Forestry and Logging

113110 - Timber Tract Operations

113210 - Forest Nurseries & Gathering of Forest Products

113310 - Logging

Fishing, Hunting and Trapping

114110 - Fishing

114210 - Hunting & Trapping

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#### GENERAL INFORMATION

## 33. Residential Agricultural Discount ("RAD") (Cont'd)

## A. <u>Applicability (Cont'd):</u>

- a. The RAD shall be applied to qualified customers' bills no later than three billing cycles from when the Company receives the completed application and copy of the appropriate federal tax form.
- b. A customer must reapply by July 1 of each year by providing their current federal tax forms as filed with their Federal Tax Return for the current tax year. The customer shall be qualified to receive credits for the Program Year.
- c. If the above documentation is not received by July 1, the customer shall forego their RAD credit until the proper documentation is provided to the Company. The customer shall be qualified to receive credits for the remaining period of the Program Year.

#### B. Calculation of the RAD:

- 1. The RAD shall be calculated monthly based on the monthly forecast sales of each customer who has qualified for and is scheduled to receive a credit.
- 2. The RAD shall be subject to a monthly reconciliation for any over/under credits. Any over/under credits as a result of the reconciliation shall be added to or subtracted from the Transition Charge as set forth in Rule 25.1.B.1(iii).
- The monthly RAD credit provided to customers shall be the RAD multiplied by the customer's billed kilowatt hours and shall not exceed the net total monthly electric delivery bill for each customer.
  - a. If the customer is participating in net metering as established in PSL Section 66-j or PSL Section 66-l, and set forth in this Schedule, the RAD credit shall be applied to any electricity supplied by the Company that exceeds the generation supplied by the customer.
    - i. If a residential farm customer is eligible for Remote Net Metering, and the Host Account generates more energy than the Company supplies, the RAD credit shall be included in the calculation to value the excess generation.

## C. Filings

A Residential Agricultural Discount (RAD) Statement setting forth the rate shall be filed with the Public Service Commission on not less than three (3) days' notice. Such statement can be found at the end of this Schedule (PSC 120 – Electricity).

## 34. <u>Distribution Load Relief Program</u>

## A. Applicability

All customers taking service under Service Classification Nos. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, and 12, whether receiving electricity supply from the Company or an ESCO, including any NYPA Customer; and to any Aggregator that meets the requirements of this Program.

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