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## PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

## 11. ADDITIONAL SERVICES (Cont'd)

## B. AUTOMATED METER READING SERVICES (Cont'd)

Installation of a telephone line suitable for use by the AMR device will be the responsibility of the Distribution Customer, who must coordinate scheduling of that installation with the Distribution Provider. If the charges for the telephone line are currently being paid by the Distribution Provider, those charges must be transferred to the Distribution Customer's name or the name of the Retail Customer at that service point by the end of that ninety (90) day period. If transfer of such telephone charges is not completed by such date, or subsequent AMR usage data is unobtainable due to non-payment of telephone charges by the Distribution Customer or the Retail Customer, the Distribution Provider, may at its own discretion, replace the AMR recorder at the service point with a meter compatible with the Distribution Provider's metering infrastructure.

The Distribution Provider will limit the AMR services to a total of 1,000 Retail Customer service points until June 30, 1999.

## C. METER OWNERSHIP

Eligible large commercial and industrial time-of-use Retail Customers, with a basic demand of not less than 300 kilowatts during any three (3) of the previous twelve (12) months, have the option of owning a PSC-approved compatible meter. A Distribution Customer or Retail Customer may obtain meter data on a real-time basis, without incurring a fee, provided that such Distribution Customer or Retail Customer install and maintain, at their own expense, the necessary ancillary equipment required to provide such data. Such access may require the installation by the Distribution Provider of a different type of meter/recorder that will allow the parties to obtain the data, with the cost responsibility of such meter/recorder and installation to be borne by the Distribution Customer. The Distribution Provider will retain control of the meter and will provide metering services, including meter reading, installation, maintenance, and PSC compliance.

The Distribution Customer may obtain one of the following options:

- (1) For meter ownership of an existing meter at a Retail Customer's service point, the Distribution Provider will determine the applicable market value of the meter and assess such cost to the Distribution Customer based upon the make, model, and average age of the installed meter of that type;
- (2) For meter ownership of a new meter at a Retail Customer's service point, the Distribution Provider will determine the applicable market value, including all Distribution Provider's costs of acquiring and installing the meter, and assess such costs to the Distribution Customer; or
- (3) For meter ownership of a new meter with removal and replacement of an existing meter at a Retail Customer's service point, the Distribution Provider will determine the applicable market value of the new meter, including all Distribution Provider's costs of acquiring, installing, and removing the meter, deduct the market or salvage value of the existing meter, and assess such cost to the Distribution Customer, which depends upon the make, model, and average age of the installed meter of that type.

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