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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### PART II - RULES AND REGULATIONS

#### 1. DEFINITIONS AND ABBREVIATIONS (Cont'd)

**Costs and Expenses:** Charges based on, but not limited to, the Distribution Provider's (a) average hourly labor rates including a percentage for employee welfare costs, supervision, engineering, and administrative and general expenses, plus (b) hourly rates for transportation and special equipment, plus (c) material costs including stores expense, plus (d) cost of any required permits.

**Cramming:** The inclusion, in a Retail Customer's bill, of charges for services not authorized by the Retail Customer.

**Curtail:** To reduce Distribution Service or Energy, Capacity, and/or Ancillary Service transactions.

**Dedicated Facilities:** The equipment and facilities on the Company's transmission and/or distribution system necessary to permit operation of a distributed generation Unit in parallel with the Company's system.

**Deliveries:** Energy delivered to the Distribution Provider's Interconnection Point.

**Default:** When a Distribution Customer has not remitted payment in full for services rendered by the Distribution Provider within ten (10) calendar days of the invoice date.

**Department of Public Service (DPS):** One of the twenty major departments in New York State government. The Public Service Commission (PSC) is part of the Department of Public Service.

**Direct Customer:** A customer purchasing and scheduling delivery of electricity for its own consumption and not for resale. Direct Customers do not have to file an application with the Department of Public Service to become eligible as a Distribution Customer, but must comply with certain operating requirements established the Distribution Provider and, when applicable, the Independent System, Operator (ISO). A Direct Customer may aggregate and schedule load for itself and other Direct Customers, each of which would continue to be responsible individually for meeting requirements placed on Direct Customers. A Direct Customer having a load of 1 MW or more of electricity may act on its own behalf to obtain electric energy and capacity from one or more suppliers.

**Distributed Generation:** Electric power production equipment, generally producing between one kilowatt and ten kilowatts, located at a Retail Customer's site or near a load center, and connected at the distribution or utilization voltage.

**Distribution Customer:** A qualified Applicant that has been approved by the Distribution Provider and is responsible for reliably and continuously supplying electric energy in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Tariff in order to meet the constantly varying electric demands of the Distribution Customer's Retail Customers who have agreed to purchase that Energy and related services from the Distribution Customer. An entity may act as a Distribution Customer on its own behalf, provided that such Customer assumes all responsibilities and requirements of a Distribution Customer, pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Tariff.

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