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SERVICE CLASSIFICATION NO. 18 (Cont'd)

<u>GENERAL SERVICE - RETAIL ACCESS PROGRAM</u> (Cont'd)

INCREASE IN RATES AND CHARGES

The rates and charges under this service classification, including the minimum charge, are increased pursuant to General Information Section 30 to reflect the tax rates applicable within the municipality where the customer takes service.

MINIMUM CHARGE

The Customer Charge.

Where the service is supplied from an extension, a surcharge or additional minimum charge may be payable as provided in General Information Section 5.A.

DETERMINATION OF DEMAND

The demand will be measured whenever the customer's consumption has exceeded 5,000 Kwh. in each of two (2) consecutive bimonthly billing periods or 2,500 Kwh. in each of three (3) consecutive monthly billing periods, during the preceding twelve (12) months; whenever it is estimated the usage of new or existing customers will exceed these amounts in future billing periods; or whenever the demand of new or existing customers is estimated to exceed 10 Kw.

When determined by measurement the demand shall be the highest 15-minute integrated demand established during the month for which the bill is rendered.

If elevators, hoists, welding machines or other appliances of widely fluctuating loads are served under this classification, the demand in kilowatts of any installation including such load will not be taken as less than one-half the number of horsepower of the rated capacity of the largest individual elevator or hoist motor or other such appliances.

TERMS OF PAYMENT

Bills are due when personally served or three days after mailing. Bills shall be subject to a late payment charge in accordance with General Information Section 16, if payment is not made by the date specified on the bill which date shall be not less than twenty (20) days from the due date.

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