

PSC NO. 220 ELECTRICITY  
NIAGARA MOHAWK POWER CORPORATION  
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## GENERAL INFORMATION

### 62. COMMERCIAL SYSTEM RELIEF PROGRAM (Continued)

#### 62.5 Metering

62.5.1 All electricity load measurement for this program shall utilize the Company's interval based meter at the customers' premises. The customer is responsible for paying the metering and installation costs. The metering and installation costs are available from Company representatives.

62.5.2 Metering communications are necessary for program administration. Where meter reading communications must be installed, the Company shall provide the necessary communications equipment to the customer's meter which records the electric requirements delivered to the customer's premise. The customer agrees to pay the Company an Incremental Customer Charge in the amount of \$25.43 per month to cover the incremental cost of metering communications.

62.5.3 The customer shall be responsible for all metering and communication devices and associated costs as prescribed above and in accordance with Rule 25 of the Tariff.

62.5.4 The Company will install interval metering within 21 business days of the later of the Company's receipt of an applicant's payment for an upgrade to interval metering and: (i) evidence that a request has been made to the telephone carrier (e.g., receipt of a job number) to secure a dedicated phone line for a meter with landline telecommunications capability or (ii) the active Internet Protocol ("IP") address that the wireless carrier has assigned to the modem's ESN for a meter with wireless capability. If the Company misses the installation time frame for the Reservation Payment Option, it will make a "Lost Reservation Payment" to the Direct Participant or Aggregator, unless the meter delay was caused by a reason outside the Company's control, such as the telephone company's failure to install a landline or, if, at the Company's request, the Commission grants the Company an exception due to a condition such as a major outage or storm. A Lost Reservation Payment will be calculated by determining the number of months between the earliest month in which the customer could have begun participation had the meter been installed within the required timeframe (assuming the Company's acceptance of a completed application and receipt of payment for the meter upgrade) and the first month following the completed installation, and multiplying that number by the pledged kW and associated per-kW Reservation Payment Rate.

#### 62.6 Administrative Review

62.6.1 The Company reserves the right to review records and/or operations of any Direct Participant, Aggregator, or customer of an Aggregator to verify enrollment information and performance associated with any designated Load Relief Period or Test Event called by the Company. Once the Company initiates a data review, all payments will be suspended pending the outcome of the review. The Company will complete its review within 30 days of receipt of all requested data, but no later than December 31 of the calendar year of the Capability Period under review. Any suspended payments will be reinstated if the Company's review of the data results in a finding that the enrollment and performance information are correct.