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OPTIONAL STANDBY SERVICE RATE PHASE-IN IS APPLICABLE TO: (Cont'd.)

3. Phase-In and/or Designated Technology Exemption of Standby Rates

- a) Existing Customers shall take service under this Service Classification and be subject to a phase-in of these standby service rates, as discussed below, unless they make a one-time election to take service at the full standby service rates, providing 30 days' written notice, no later than March 1, 2004, subject to the availability of interval metering, if applicable.
- b) Customers whose facilities are placed in service between July 29, 2003 and May 31, 2019, and meet the definitions of both Existing Customers and Designated Technology Customers, shall be considered to be Designated Technology Customers for purposes of this section.
- c) Designated Technology Customers whose facilities are placed in service between July 29, 2003 and May 31, 2019, have the option to make a one-time election to be permanently exempt from standby service rates rather than electing the phase-in or full standby service rates upon providing 30 days' written notice before commencing operation of the OSG facility; provided, however, that if operation commenced between July 29, 2003 and January 31, 2004, the Customer must make its one-time election by March 1, 2004.
- d) Existing OSG projects that upgrade by installing designated technology components, or hybrid projects comprised in part of designated technology components, are eligible for the designated technology exemption only for the upgraded components and only if those components are separately metered.

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