

BLACHLY-LANE ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE

Policy 1410

Section: Operations/Engineering

Subject: Power Sales Agreements for New Large Single Loads

I. OBJECTIVE

To provide the terms and conditions under which BLEC will commit to serve new large single loads.

II. Policy

- A. Members or future members (hereinafter referred to as “member” or “members”) requesting service to a facility with a load estimated or known to be one average megawatt or larger (also referred to as a new large single load or NLSL) are subject to this policy.
- B. Members requesting service to a NLSL must sign a Power Sales Agreement (PSA) to ensure that power will be available when the member is ready for service and setting forth the terms and conditions of the sale of that power.

III. Expectations

- A. Members must submit to BLEC the estimated loads, load factor, power factor and operational schedule for the NLSL to be served.
- B. BLEC will submit the member’s load information to its wholesale power supplier, PNGC Power, so that it can be incorporated into the current load forecast.
- C. BLEC will provide service to the new facility at the Cooperative’s New Large Single Load Rate starting on a date mutually agreed upon in the PSA.
- D. The member shall be responsible for any power supply costs incurred on their behalf by BLEC during the term of the PSA that are not covered by the NLSL rate. These costs include actual loads differing from the estimate, timing of operations differing from the member provided operational schedule or any other reason.
- E. The member will be responsible for any costs to connect the NLSL to BLEC’s system. Depending on the size and location of the load, BLEC’s existing system may need modification in addition to the cost of connecting the NLSL to BLEC’s system. The cost of modifying the existing system will be shared by the member and BLEC in proportion to the benefits gained by each party.

IV. RESPONSIBILITY

Administration of this policy is the responsibility of the Board of Directors and the General Manager.

APPROVED by Board of Directors



Board Chairperson

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