

### **13. Creditworthiness.**

#### **13.1 UDCs, MSSs, and Scheduling Coordinators Using the Participating TO's Low Voltage Transmission Facilities.**

For the purpose of determining the ability of a UDC, MSS, and Scheduling Coordinator to meet its obligations related to service using the Participating TO's Low Voltage Transmission Facilities hereunder, the Participating TO may require reasonable credit review procedures for the UDC, MSS, or Scheduling Coordinator. This review shall be made in accordance with standard commercial practices. In addition, the Participating TO may require the UDC, MSS, or Scheduling Coordinator to provide and maintain in effect during the term of the service, an unconditional and irrevocable letter of credit as security to meet its responsibilities and obligations under this TO Tariff, or an alternative form of security proposed by the UDC, MSS, or Scheduling Coordinator and acceptable to the Participating TO, and consistent with commercial practices established by the Uniform Commercial Code, that protect the Participating TO against the risk of non-payment.

#### **13.2 End-Users.**

Creditworthiness rules applicable to End-Users shall be pursuant to the then-current rules of the applicable Local Regulatory Authority.