

PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

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H. BASELINE SERVICE

1. Eligibility. Each residential customer in a Single-Family Dwelling consisting of a permanent residential unit is eligible for Baseline Service. Residential customer means a customer who is eligible for service on a domestic service rate schedule, and excludes industrial, commercial, and every other category of customer. (T)

2. Applicability. Each residential customer in a Single-Family Dwelling served on a domestic service rate schedule shall receive the applicable baseline quantity of electricity set forth in Paragraph 3, Baseline Allocations, and the applicable Baseline Allocation shall be determined as follows: (T)

a. Basic Allocation:

The Basic Baseline Allocation shall be provided to each residential customer unless such customer qualifies for an All-Electric Baseline Allocation as set forth in Paragraph b below. (T)

b. All-Electric Allocation:

An All-Electric Allocation shall be provided to each residential customer:

- (1) Upon application, where the primary source of permanently-installed space heating is electric; or
- (2) Upon application, where the only source of energy is electric; or
- (3) Who was the customer of record on a domestic service account on January 1, 1988, and who was receiving an Electric Space Heating or an All-Electric allocation on such account as of December 31, 1987; or
- (4) Who was the customer of record on a domestic service account on May 1, 1985, to January 1, 1988, and was receiving a Water Heating Baseline Allocation as of December 31, 1987; and who thereafter maintains continuous domestic service on the same account.

For the purpose of an All-Electric Allocation, all-electric residential customers are residential customers having electric service only or whose space heating is provided by electricity, or both.

In addition to the above allocations, each qualifying residential customer shall receive the Medical Baseline Allocation as set forth in Paragraph 4 herein.

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3. Baseline Allocations. The applicable baseline quantity of electricity to be billed under rates designated as applicable to Baseline Service shall be the total of any Medical Baseline Allocation permitted under Paragraph 4 below, plus the applicable daily baseline quantities for the Customer's Baseline Region (as described on the Baseline Region Maps and in the boundary descriptions which are in conjunction with such Baseline Region Maps) shown below except that daily baseline quantities for Schedules DM and DMS-3 are shown thereon: (T)

Summer Season *	kWh Per Day	
	Basic Allocation	All-Electric Allocation
Baseline Region 5	17.2 (I)	17.9 (I)
6	11.4 (I)	8.8 (R)
8	12.6 (I)	9.8
9	16.5 (I)	12.4 (R)
10	18.9 (I)	15.8 (R)
13	22.0 (I)	24.6 (R)
14	18.7 (I)	18.3 (R)
15	46.4 (I)	24.1 (I)
16	14.4 (I)	13.5 (I)

Winter Season **	kWh Per Day	
	Basic Allocation	All-Electric Allocation
Baseline Region 5	18.7	29.1 (R)
6	11.3 (I)	13.0 (R)
8	10.6 (I)	12.7 (R)
9	12.3 (I)	14.3 (R)
10	12.5 (I)	17.0 (R)
13	12.6 (I)	24.3 (R)
14	12.0 (I)	21.3 (R)
15	9.9 (I)	18.2 (I)
16	12.6 (I)	23.1 (R)

\* The Summer Season shown above for the Baseline Regions shall commence at 12:00 a.m. on June 1 and continue until 12:00 a.m. on October 1 of each year.

\*\* The Winter Season shown above for the Baseline Regions shall commence at 12:00 a.m. on October 1 of each year and continue until 12:00 a.m. on June 1 of the following year.

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4. Medical Baseline Allocation. Upon application to SCE, the account of each eligible residential customer will be provided a year-round Medical Baseline Allocation in addition to the applicable Baseline Allocation set forth in Paragraph 3 above.

The standard Medical Baseline Allocation will be 16.5 kWh per day. Only one standard Medical Baseline Allocation will be allowed per Single-Family Dwelling. However, under the Hardship Clause set forth in Paragraph d. below, a higher Medical Baseline Allocation may be provided.

a. Eligibility:

For an account to be eligible for the standard Medical Baseline Allocation, the residential customer will provide certification as set forth in Paragraph e. below to SCE that:

- (1) Regular use in the customer's home of one or more medical life-support devices is essential to maintain the life of a full-time resident of the household; and/or
- (2) A full-time resident of the household is a paraplegic, hemiplegic, quadriplegic, multiple sclerosis, or scleroderma patient.

b. Life-Support Devices:

The account of each eligible residential customer will be provided a standard Medical Baseline Allocation following certification acceptable to SCE that a full-time resident of the customer's household requires the regular use in the customer's home, of one or more life-support devices.

Life-support devices means those devices or equipment which utilize mechanical or artificial means to sustain, restore, or supplant a vital function, or mechanical equipment which is relied upon for mobility both within and outside of buildings. Life-support devices or equipment include but not limited to, the following: (T)

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| Aerosol Tent    | Electrostatic Nebulizer   |
| Compressor      | Electric Nerve Stimulator |
| Iron Lung       | Ultrasonic Nebulizer      |
| Pressure Pad    | Motorized Wheel Chair     |
| Pressure Pump   | Hemodialysis Machine      |
| IPPB Machine    | Kidney Dialysis Machine   |
| Suction Machine | Respirator (all types)    |

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4. Medical Baseline Allocation. (Continued)

c. Standard Medical Baseline Allocation:

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The account of each eligible residential customer, who provides certification that a full-time resident of the household is a paraplegic, hemiplegic, quadriplegic, multiple sclerosis, or scleroderma patient will be provided a standard Medical Baseline Allocation in consideration of special heating and/or cooling needs, where the primary source of energy for the customer's heating or air conditioning equipment is operated by electricity supplied by SCE.

A standard Medical Baseline Allocations is also available if the patient has a compromised immune system, life threatening illness, or any other condition for which additional heating or cooling is medically necessary to sustain the patient's life or prevent deterioration of the patient's medical condition.

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d. Hardship Clause:

If the customer believes that the life-support device and/or a patient's space conditioning equipment (as set forth in Paragraph b. and c. above) requires more than 16.5 kWh per day to operate, the customer may apply for a higher allocation than the standard Medical Baseline Allocation. Upon receipt of such application, SCE shall make a determination if any additional daily baseline quantity is required to operate the device or equipment based on the nameplate rating and operating hours. The daily amount of the Medical Baseline Allocation shall be increased to the number of kWh so determined, and rounded to the next higher 16.5 kWh per day.

e. Certification:

SCE may require the following Certification:

(1) The Customer shall have a licensed medical doctor or osteopath provide SCE with a certification letter acceptable to SCE. The letter shall describe in detail the type of life-support device(s) regularly required by the patient and the utilization requirements, and/or certify that the full-time resident is a paraplegic, hemiplegic, quadriplegic, multiple sclerosis, or scleroderma patient; or

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(2) County, State, or Federal agencies, using an established notification letter to electric utilities, shall provide SCE with information relative to a patient who regularly requires the use of a life-support device in the customer's residence.

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4. Medical Baseline Allocation. (Continued)

e. Certification: (Continued)

Within 15 days after acceptance of the above certification, SCE will provide (T)  
a Medical Baseline Allocation on the customer's account. Customers  
certified as having a permanent disability, as designated in a physician's  
certification, will need to self re-certify their eligibility every two years, in lieu  
of obtaining a physician's signature or authorization. Those customers not  
having a permanent disability designation will need to self re-certify each  
year, and will need a doctor's certification every two years after the initial  
certification.

5. Verification. The number of Single-Family Dwellings on the premises and the existence (T)  
of the specified equipment or device required to obtain Baseline Allocations of  
electricity, pursuant to SCE's tariffs, are subject to verification by SCE. (T)

In the event SCE ascertains that the customer is not eligible for a Baseline Allocation, (T)  
such customer may be rebilled accordingly.

6. Termination of Use. Customers shall notify SCE of termination of use of equipment or (T)  
devices set forth above.

7. Billing. The Energy Charge shall be billed at the rates designated as applicable to  
Baseline Service up to the total of the applicable baseline quantities as determined in  
accordance with Part H, Paragraphs 2, 3, and 4 above. Usage in excess of the total  
applicable baseline quantities shall be billed at the rates designated as applicable to  
Nonbaseline Service.

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