

**SCHEDULE 115
LOW-INCOME ASSISTANCE**

PURPOSE

The purpose of this rate schedule is to implement the low-income bill payment assistance provisions in accordance with Section 1(7)(b) of Senate Bill 461 (Chapter 837, Oregon Laws 2007) and in accordance to House Bill 2134 (2017 regular session) directs electric companies to collect a combined total of \$20 million annually beginning in calendar year 2018.

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APPLICABLE

To all bills for Electricity Service calculated under all rate schedules and contracts, except those Customers explicitly exempted. Based on House Bill 3633 (Chapter 819, Oregon Laws 2001) provisions, this rate schedule is also applicable to Direct Service Industries (DSIs) located within the Company's service territory.

ADJUSTMENT RATES

The applicable Adjustment Rates are listed below. As specified in House Bill 2134, Customers will not be required to pay more than \$500 per month per Site for low-income Electricity bill payment assistance.

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<u>Schedules</u>	<u>Adjustment Rate</u>
7	\$0.69 per month
All other Schedules, including DSIs	0.069¢ per kWh for the first 724,638 kWh

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SPECIAL CONDITIONS

1. On a monthly basis, on or before the last day of the month, the Company will forward an amount to the Oregon Housing and Community Services Department (OHCS) based on billings to Customers for the previous month less a reserve for uncollectable amounts.

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