

Notice of Tariff Revision for the Manitoba Hydro Open Access Transmission Tariff – December 1, 2010

On December 1st 2010, Manitoba Hydro will be modifying its Open Access Transmission Tariff. The primary reason for modifying it at this time is to revise the rate schedule for the various transmission services that Manitoba Hydro offers under its Transmission Tariff. Other changes will be made as well. A summary of those changes are listed below. For more details contact Jo-Anne Ross at jross@hydro.mb.ca

- The OATT will be modified to clarify and standardize how and when interest will be paid on deposits. Following this revision the Open Access Transmission Tariff and Open Access Interconnection Tariff should be consistent in its treatment of interest payments. The Interconnection Tariff will also be revised on December 1, 2010. Please see the notice on OASIS
- A clarification will be made to state that deposits for firm PTP service is refundable.
- A clarification will be made to state that payment for Group Facilities Study equals cost, less any remaining deposit under Section 17.3.
- Clarification of the process to designate a network resource
- The National Energy Board of Canada (NEB) has begun a process whereby it will pass its costs along to Transmission Providers that have transmission interconnections with the U.S.A. and allow those transmission providers to recover those cost from the transmission customers that export and import power to/from the U.S.A. Manitoba Hydro added a schedule (11-MH) to implement the NEB Cost Adder
- A revision will be made to force all notifications between the Transmission Provider and Transmission Customer to use courier or registered mail
- A clarification will be made that states that the payment for System Impact Study , a Group System Impact Study, a Facility Study and a Group Facility Study is estimated cost, less amount provided as deposit with Application per Section 17.3
- Added Facilities Construction Agreement
- Added Application to Designate a New Network Resource
- A revision will be made to disallow the use of cash as form of Performance Assurance

New Rate Schedule – Effective December 1, 2010

Schedule	Present Rate	Effective December 1, 2010
1	\$2,311.25 / MW yearly	\$2,663.00 / MW yearly
2	\$234.00 / MW monthly	\$246.00 / MW monthly
3	\$63.00 / MW monthly	\$45.00 / MW monthly
4	No Change	
5	\$56 / MW monthly	\$54 / MW monthly
6	\$65 / MW monthly	\$50 / MW monthly
7	\$54,625 / MW yearly	\$49,341 / MW yearly
7-A	-	\$11.86 / hr of capacity used
8	\$4,552 / MW monthly	\$4,112 / MW monthly
9-A	2.47%	2.44%
9-B	No Change	
10	As per Midwest ISO Tariff	
11-MH	-	\$0.08