# MASSACHUSETTS ELECTRIC COMPANY NANTUCKET ELECTRIC COMPANY OPTIONAL ENHANCED METERING SERVICE

## **Availability of Service**

Enhanced metering service under this provision is available to customers receiving metered retail delivery service from Massachusetts Electric Company and Nantucket Electric Company (the "Company"). Customers who currently receive unmetered retail delivery service must request metered retail delivery service from the Company in accordance with the Company's Terms and Conditions for Distribution Service. The availability of these services will be subject to the Company's ability to render such service.

Service Option 1: Wireless Service

Under this service option, the Company will provide equipment at the customer's facility which will allow for periodic wireless readings of the customer's load. The Company will install, own and maintain the equipment in service. The customer, or its authorized representative, may receive the data through the optical port on the equipment or via subscription pursuant to Subscription Service for Interval Data over the Internet as provided through the Company's Optional Interval Data Service tariff, M.D.P.U. No. 1284. The Company will store load information on the meter for a period of 15-20 days for customers with on-site generation and 30-35 days for customers without on-site generation. The Company will attempt to read the meters daily unless the delay is caused by the wireless service provider. This service requires a data plan from a telecommunications provider, which will be under the Company's name, with the customer being responsible for the cost as identified below.

#### Fees for Service Option 1:

The equipment fee for this service is assessed on a one-time, lump sum basis as follows:

Retail Delivery Service Under Initial Lump Sum

General Service Tariff \$825

The annual fee for the data plan associated with this service is as follows:

Retail Delivery Service Under Annually

General Service Tariff \$17

Service Option 2: Service via Phone Line

Service under this option is only available at the Company's discretion in situations where service under Option 1 is not feasible due to technical or other logistical reasons. Under this service option, the Company will provide equipment at the customer's facility which will

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allow for periodic readings of the customer's load through telephone lines. The Company will install, own and maintain the equipment in service. The customer, or its authorized representative, may receive the data through the optical port on the equipment or electronically. The Company will store load information on the meter for a period of 15-20 days for customers with on-site generation and 30-35 days for customers without on-site generation. The Company will attempt to read the meters daily unless the delay is caused by the landline service provider.

# Fees for Service Option 2:

The fee for this service is assessed on a one-time, lump sum basis as follows:

<u>Initial Lump Sum</u>
\$272.25
\$333.31

#### Service Option 3: Modem Service

Customers who wish to connect their own metering equipment or equipment provided by their authorized representative to the Company's meter may elect this option. Mass. Electric will provide a pulse interface device through which the customer can access meter data. The customer, or its representative, must purchase, own and maintain a modem-equipped recording device in order to access meter pulses.

## Fees for Service Option 3:

The fee for this service is assessed on a one-time, lump sum basis as follows:

Retail Delivery Service Under	<u>Initial Lump Sum</u>
Residential Tariff General Service Tariff	\$171.38 \$167.44

#### Terms and Conditions

The Company's Terms and Conditions for Distribution Service in effect from time to time where not inconsistent with any specific provisions hereof, are a part of this tariff

All equipment and data plan usage fees will be billing annually or as a one-time charge either through the account's electric retail delivery service bill or separately as determined by the Company.