

Notice of Utility Tariff Filing

The REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA (Commission) gives notice that Golden Valley Electric Association, Inc. (GVEA) filed tariff revision TA291-13 seeking to clarify the manner by which a customer's minimum term and Reservation Demand Charge will be reset once the Standby Contract Capacity has been exceeded.

GVEA provides Standby Service to cooperative members for a term not less than twelve months, setting the Standby Contract Capacity for each member under the terms of its tariff. A member who exceeds the Standby Contract Capacity effectively requires GVEA to purchase additional reserve capacity to stand ready to supply energy for that customer at all times. GVEA proposes adding language to provisions addressing Standby Contract Capacity stating that exceeding the Standby Contract Capacity will result in the minimum term being reset to the first month of the 12 month term. The Standby Contract Capacity will be reset to the actual maximum amount of capacity delivered to the customer on a going forward basis. GVEA also proposes that the costs incurred with the reset will be recovered through a corresponding change in the Reservation Demand Charge.

This notice does not contain all requested revisions and the Commission may approve a rate or classification that varies from those proposed. You may obtain more information about this filing by contacting Monica Grassi, Regulatory Specialist at GVEA, at P. O. Box 71249, Fairbanks, AK 99707; phone: (907) 458-5788. The complete filing is also available for inspection at the Commission's office at 701 West 8th Avenue, Suite 300, Anchorage, AK 99501; phone: (907) 276-6222, or may be viewed at the Commission's website at <http://rca.alaska.gov> by typing "TA291-13" in the *Find a Matter* search box.


To comment on this filing, please file your comments by 5:00 p.m., October 19, 2016, at the Commission address given above or via our website at:

<https://rca.alaska.gov/RCAWeb/WhatsNew/PublicNoticesComments.aspx>

Please reference TA291-13 and include a statement that you've filed a copy of the comments with GVEA at its address given above or by email at mgrassi@gvea.com. Individuals or groups of people with disabilities, who require special accommodations, auxiliary aids or service, or alternative communication formats, please contact Joyce McGowan at (907) 276-6222, toll-free at 1-800-390-2782, TTY (907) 276-4533 or send a request via electronic mail to rca.mail@alaska.gov by October 12, 2016.

DATED at Anchorage, Alaska, this 19th day of September, 2016.

REGULATORY COMMISSION OF ALASKA


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