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Explanation of Terms

Consumer Education Charge - Charge for the costs of state-mandated energy education programs.

Customer Charge - Monthly charge that offsets costs for billing, meter reading, equipment, and service line maintenance.

Default Service Support Charge - Charge to recover new and deferred costs associated with serving customers in a competitive market.

Distribution Charge - Charges for Universal Service Program costs and for the use of local wires, transformers, substations and other equipment used to deliver electricity to consumers from high-voltage transmission lines.

Energy Efficiency Charge - Charge to fund the utility's programs designed to reduce customers' annual electric use and peak demand for electricity mandated by Act 129 of 2008.

Estimated Reading - On the months we do not read a meter, we calculate the bill based on past electrical usage.

Hourly Pricing Service Charge - Charges to provide energy, capacity, compliance with Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards, transmission and ancillary services for Industrial customers receiving Default Service.

KWH (Kilowatt Hour) - A unit of measure for electricity usage equal to 1,000 watts used for one hour.

Late Payment Charge - A charge added to the bill on balances owed after the Due Date.

Price to Compare (PTC) - Price per kilowatt hour to be used when comparing to the price of a generation supplier.

Price to Compare Default Service - Charges for costs to provide energy, capacity, compliance with Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards, transmission and ancillary services for customers receiving Default Service.

Prorated Bill - If this is on the bill, the current billing period is less than 26 days or more than 35 days or a rate change occurred during the current billing period.

Service Charges - Charge for opening an account.

Smart Meter Charge - Charge for assessing and deploying state-mandated smart meter technology.

Solar Requirements Charge - Charge to acquire Solar Photovoltaic Alternative Energy Credits to comply with the Alternative Energy Portfolio Standards Act.

State Tax Surcharge - An adjustment to the state taxes recovered through Penn Power's basic charges.

General Information

If you have billing questions or complaints about your Penn Power account, please contact us before the due date.

Call Customer Service at 1-800-720-3600 from Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Our representatives can answer your questions, describe the charges on your bill, explain how to make sure your bill is correct, and provide information on rate schedules and energy efficiency.

Call Payment Options at 1-800-774-1674 from Monday - Friday, 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Visit our web site at www.firstenergycorp.com

Write to us at Penn Power, 76 S., Main St., A-RPC, Akron, OH 44308-1890

For customers who have a hearing or speech impairment and use a text telephone, call the TTY (Teletype) at 1-800-522-2376.

Information about LIBERTY POWER HOLDINGS LLC: 1901 West Cypress Creek Rd Suite 600, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33309, 1-866-769-3799

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Electronic Check Conversion - Your check authorizes us either to make a one-time electronic funds transfer (EFT) from your account or process as a check. If you have questions about this program, or do not wish to participate, call 1-866-283-8081.