

**EASTERN ILLINI ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE**

**REGULATION NO. 17**

**SUBJECT:** Charges for Disconnecting and Reconnecting Electric Service for Member on a Seasonal Basis

**REGULATION:**

Any member may request that electric service be disconnected to any account where that service will not be needed for a period of time. However, since the Cooperative's retail rates are based upon the assumption that each installed service is billed on a monthly basis so the Cooperative receives a return on the investment made for each account, a minimum charge will be billed to each account for each month that it is disconnected at a rate equal to the monthly minimum charge as specified in the appropriate rate schedule.

In addition to the minimum charge, the member will also be required to pay a disconnect/reconnect fee as specified in Regulation No. 21 - Rates and Fees, to disconnect and to reconnect electric service.

No charge shall be made for disconnecting service to any member who does not foresee having that account reconnected in their name at a later date. However, all of the above charges will be billed retroactively to any member that subsequently has service reconnected in their name, or in the name of a proxy.

Any service that has been disconnected for more than 12 months and is then reconnected in the same member's name shall be reviewed on an individual basis to determine the appropriate level of retroactive charges to be billed.

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