

## **Liberia Electricity Regulatory Commission**



Behind Lonestar MTN Headquarters, Tubman Boulevard Congo Town, Monrovia, Liberia

## PUBLICATION OF ELECTRICITY TARIFF FOR JUNGLE ENERGY POWER

This publication is made pursuant to the powers conferred on the Liberia Electricity Regulatory Commission by sections 8,13.4 and 13.7 of the 2015 Electricity Law of Liberia, the Electricity Tariff Regulations 2021, and the Tariff Methodology 2021.

All Categories	End-User Tariff
Energy Charge	US\$0.22/kWh
Fixed Charge	US\$1.00/Month

- The End-User Tariffs (EUT) provided in the table below are the rates and charges payable by all categories of customers within the Jungle Energy Power (JEP) distribution network in Nimba and Bong Counties effective January 31, 2025.
- 2. The energy charge component of the End-User Tariff is set to recover the full revenue requirement JEP Inc. needs to recover its costs and make a reasonable margin. Costs included in the revenue requirement are operating expenses, depreciation and amortization and return on capital.
- The fixed charge component of the End-User-Tariff is set to generate additional revenue to fund network reinforcements and quality of service improvements. However, these initiatives must be approved by the Commission.
- 4. JEP Inc. has been ordered to open a separate account in which all revenues generated from the fixed charge are deposited and from which spending will be made based on the approval of the Commission.
- 5. The Commission has approved US\$40.00 as a connection charge to be paid by each new customer for their connection to the JEP network in

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both Bong and Nimba Counties. This amount represents a US\$60.00 reduction from the current amount of US\$100.00 being paid by customers for new connections. In this new tariff decision, the remaining \$60.00 will be recovered through the tariff announced today. The US\$40.00 paid by new customers as a connection charge shall comprise the following materials:

- a. One energy meter (single/3-phase)
- b. 16 square millimeter bundled low voltage cable of length 25 meters
- c. Maximum of 4 Connectors
- 6. Included in the revenue requirement is a surcharge component of three percent (3%) of total monthly sales to cover LERC's regulatory activities in accordance with Section 13.4 of the 2015 Electricity Law of Liberia. This amount must be remitted to the Commission monthly or at such a frequency as established by the Commission.
- 7. The tariffs are denominated in United States dollars (US\$) and its units.
- 8. The tariffs may be adjusted by the Commission in accordance with the Minor Tariff Review Principles of the Commission's Multi-Year Tariff Methodology of May 2021.
- 9. Subject to clause 7, the tariffs shall remain in force until they are reviewed by the Commission.
- 10. The provisional tariffs approved by the Commission on April 1, 2023, are hereby revoked and replaced with the rates and charges contained in this publication.

## **Definitions**

**End-User Tariff (EUT)** - means the rates per unit of electrical energy and charges payable by customers for electricity supplied.

**Energy Charge** - means the amount charged for energy consumed by customers in kilowatt-hour.

**Fixed Charge** - means a monthly charge intended to cover the cost of additional network reinforcements and quality of service improvements that are approved by the Commission.

**kWh** – means Kilowatt-hour.

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