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Western Power Distribution (South Wales) plc's Statement of Miscellaneous Charges (April 2010)

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1. Introduction

- 1.1. This statement details our transactional based charges which are for activities that support the competitive supply market and will be billed by us on an individual basis for any service requested.
- 1.2. Transactional charges apply to the following activities:
 - Energisation, de-energisation and re-energisation services;
 - Disconnection of a site;
 - Radio tele-switching services; and
 - Charges for the provision of Metering for Licensed Distribution Network Operators (LDSO) Connections. Accounting and Administration Services – and Other Services Ancillary to Use of System].

2. Charges for Energisation, De-energisation and Re-energisation

- 2.1. The way in which some ancillary services are provided will depend upon site-specific requirements and/or instructions received

Visit to Energise/Re-energise/De-energise Supply

- 2.2. Other than the first energisation of a new supply, a charge will be made for each visit to premises on request to energise/re-energise/de-energise a supply by insertion/removal of fuses where whole-current metering is fitted.
- 2.3. Indicative charges for these services are shown in the tables below. This charge is applicable even when the visit to fulfil the request does not result in energisation/re-energisation/de-energisation.
- 2.4. Where the visit is to a larger business site or is otherwise exceptional, then individually assessed charges will be quoted.
- 2.5. This will also be the case where the energisation/re-energisation/de-energisation is performed by means other than the insertion/withdrawal of fuses.

Charges to Energise, De-energise or Re-energise by insertion or withdrawal of fuses will be levied for:	
Visits to site during normal working hours:	£100
Short Notice Appointment	£150
*Visits to site at any other time, including Bank Holidays:	£150

Other circumstances:	
A larger business site; and/or	All charges will be individually quoted
Visit involves actions other than insertion or withdrawal of fuses; and or	
Visit is otherwise exceptional.	

Operating hours for Customer visits	
Normal hours of operation are from:	08:00 to 16:30 Monday - Friday
Short Notice Appointment	Services required within 48 hours 08:00 to 16:30 Monday to Friday.
Out of Hours Appointment	* Services provided outside the normal hours of 08:00 to 16:30 Monday to Friday

- These prices are offered on the basis that the volume of such requests is limited and of an urgent nature. These charges do not apply to emergency call-out services.

3. Disconnection of Site

Visit to disconnect a supply
Where a party requests the disconnection of a site, then individually assessed charges will be quoted.

4. Radio Tele-switching Services

- 4.1. WPD may provide radio tele-switching services to those wishing to sponsor group codes. The charges for these services will be fixed by agreement in each case and will reflect the level of complexity of the proposed arrangements.

5. Charges for the provision of Metering for Licensed Distribution System Operators (LDSO) Connections.

Licensed Distributors connecting at low voltage may provide aggregated profiled data, adjusted for losses to the connection point, derived from settlements, for each connection to the WPD (South Wales) plc network as an alternative to metering. For connections at HV, metering will be required. Where metering is used, or aggregated data per site is provided, it will be at the connected Licensed distributors cost. We reserve the right to install and own metering, at our cost, at the point of connection of any Licensed Distribution networks to enable data collection for tariff formulation, data verification and system design purposes.

A transaction charge will be payable by the User to cover the provision of meter rental and data collection services:	
	Charge (per annum)
Low Voltage	£97.00
High Voltage COP 5	£155.00
High Voltage COP 3	£170.00
High Voltage COP 2	£295.00

Other Services

- 5.1. Transactional charges for other services ancillary to DUoS will be individually quoted.

6. Glossary

Term	Definition
Distribution Use of System (DUoS)	Charges for demand and generation customers which are connected to and utilising the distribution network.
DCUSA	Users seeking to use the distribution system will be required to be a party to and comply with the DCUSA in accordance with their licence.
MPAS	Metering Point Administration Service means the service established, maintained and operated, or procured as the case may be, by each Distribution Business pursuant to Condition 18 of the Electricity Distribution Licence.
User	Is a supplier, generator or distribution network operator.