

PART B: Other charges for electricity services:

1	CONSUMER CONNECTION CHARGES	2015/2016	2016/2017
		5.60%	6.00%
		R	R
1.1	2 x 16 mm single phase cable connection to residences: The estimated cost as determined by the Manager: Electrical Engineering from time to time, plus a surcharge of 15% on such amount in respect of administration costs.		
1.2	Connections other than 2 x 16 mm single phase cable connections to residences: The actual cost to the Council of the material and labour involved, plus a surcharge of 15% on such amount of administration costs.		
1.3	Temporary cable connections: The actual cost to the Council of the material and labour involved, plus a surcharge of 15% on such amount of administration costs.		
1.4	The charges for joining of cables which have to be disconnected in cases where the power has been cut off and switched on illegally.	863.40	915.20
1.5	The charges for changing over from a conventional meter to a pre paid (installation cost in respect of the used meter included):		
1.5.1	Single phase	1 531.85	1 623.76
1.5.2	Three phase	4 055.25	4 298.57
1.6	The charges for changing over from a pre paid to a conventional meter (installation cost and credit in respect of the used pre paid meter included).	275.20	291.71
1.7	Delivery of notices to defaulters	29.40	31.16
1.8	Sms services to defaulter and late payers	0.65	0.69
1.9	For re -instating a customer connection that has been removed due to tampering by the customer (meter , meterbox and labour)	8 823.50	9 352.91
1.10	Painting ,defacing,pasting posters,tampering or interfering with any services connection or services protection device or supply or any other equipment of Council	2 116.75	2 243.76
1.11	Illegal Connection Charge / Tampering - Households For consumer penalty fee where units or distribution box have been tampered with	5 280.00	5 596.80
1.12	Illegal Connection Charge / Tampering - Business	21 120.00	22 387.20
1.13	Reconnection fee for consumer that had tampered	275.00	291.50
2	GENERAL SERVICE CHARGES		
	Charges for any services rendered at the request of a consumer, and for which no provision is made in terms of these tariffs, shall be calculated at the actual cost, plus a surcharge of 15% on such amount in respect of administration charges.		
2.1	Sms services to consumers ,defaulters and late payers (including business.)	R 0.50	R 0.53
3	CHARGES FOR THE TESTING OF ELECTRICITY METERS		

	The charges for the testing of electricity meters in terms of Section 9(1) of the Council's Standard Electricity By-laws shall be as follows:		
	3.1 Per single phase meter	354.30	375.56
	3.2 Per three phase meter	519.15	550.30
	3.3 Per three phase meter maximum demand / kWh meter	1 481.30	1 570.18
4	CHARGES FOR LATE PAYMENT		
	4.1 Penalty for services that may be disconnected if not paid on the due date.	238.40	252.70
	4.2 Reconnection after disconnection due to non-payment, provided that account arrears have been settled or acceptable arrangements have been made for payment: after hours, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	474.60	503.07
5	CHARGES IN RESPECT OF POWER FAILURE	<u>2015/2016</u>	<u>2016/2017</u>
	When the Department: Electrical Engineering is called upon to attend to a failure of the supply to any consumer's premises and when such failure is found to be due to any cause, other than a fault in the Council's supply main or apparatus, the following charges shall apply:		
	5.1 For consumers within the municipal area:		
	5.1.1 During normal working hours	215.00	227.90
	5.1.2 After hours, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	376.55	399.14
	5.2 For consumers outside the municipal area:		
	5.2.1 During normal working hours	269.50	285.67
	5.2.2 After hours, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays	506.90	537.31
6	SPECIAL METER READINGS		
	Charges in the event of a consumer requesting that a meter be read on any other day than the regular monthly date. (With the exception of such cases where the request serves as a final reading for the closing of an account, the amount paid by the consumer shall be refunded if it appears that the regular monthly reading was faulty).	161.65	171.35
7	CONSUMER DEPOSITS		
	7.1 Domestic supply:		
	7.1.1 Amateur sporting clubs		
	7.1.2 Charitable institutions		
	7.1.3 Churches		
	7.1.4 Council hostels		
	7.1.5 Government dwellings and institutions		
	7.1.6 Private dwelling-houses		
	7.1.7 Retirement and care centres		
	7.1.8 Townhouses		
	Deposit payable	1 226	1 300
	7.1.9 Residential flats		
	Deposit payable	780	827

7.1.10	Indigent consumers (payable in two instalments)		
	Deposit payable	334	354
7.1.11	Households with pre paid electricity		
	Deposit payable	891	945