

Aquila, Inc., dba**AQUILA NETWORKS**

For Territory Served by Aquila Networks - L&P and Aquila Networks - MPS

KANSAS CITY, MO 64138

ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RIDER ELECTRIC

PURPOSE

The purpose of this Economic Development Rider is to encourage industrial and commercial development and thereby increase economic development opportunities in the Company's service area.

AVAILABILITY

Electric service under this Rider is available to certain customers otherwise qualified for service under the Company's Large General Service or the Company's Large Power Service rates that also meet the criteria stated herein on a first come, first serve basis as determined by the execution of the contract specified herein. The availability of this Rider shall be limited to qualified customers not involved in selling or providing goods and services directly to the general public. The Company will consider all requests for service under this Rider; however, requests will not be accepted for new or expanded facilities under construction or otherwise committed to operation prior to the first effective date of this Rider. Electric service under this Rider is not available in conjunction with service provided pursuant to any other special contract agreements.

APPLICABILITY

Sufficiently detailed information shall be provided by the Customer to enable the Company to determine whether a facility is qualified for the Rider. Service under this Rider shall be evidenced by a contract between the Customer and the Company, a copy of which shall be submitted to the Commission Staff and Office of Public Counsel.

CRITERIA

Upon the election of the Customer and acceptance by the Company, the provisions of this Rider are applicable to new industrial and commercial customers and to the new facilities of existing industrial and commercial customers who expand operations and who meet the following criteria:

1. Annual kW Demand Criterion: The peak demand of the new customer or additional facilities is reasonably projected to be at least two hundred (200) kW within two (2) years of the new customer or separately measured facilities expansion first receiving service from Company. The new or expanding customer and Company will mutually agree upon a capacity expansion plan to be defined in the electric service agreement.
2. Load Factor Criterion: The annual load factor of the new customer or additional facilities is reasonably projected to exceed fifty-five percent (55%) within two (2) years of the new customer or additional separately measured facilities commencing service under this Rider. The customer must maintain an annual load factor exceeding fifty-five percent (55%) or greater in years three (3) through five (5) of the Rider to continue to be eligible for the incentive provisions. The customer's annual load factor will be reviewed each year on the anniversary of the commencement date of the EDR.

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The annual load factor of the customer shall be determined by the following relationship.

$$\frac{\text{Annual Energy (kWh)} / \text{Hours in Year}}{\text{Maximum Summer Monthly Demand}}$$

The maximum summer monthly demand is defined as the actual measured demand of the new Customer or facilities during the four (4) summer months of June through September.

3. The new or additional facility receives local, regional or state governmental incentives.

INCENTIVE PROVISIONS

1. Rate Discount: Prior to taxes, the Customer's net monthly bill, calculated in accordance with the applicable rate schedules, will be discounted by thirty percent (30%) during the first (1st) contract year, twenty-five percent (25%) during the second (2nd) contract year, twenty percent (20%) during the third (3rd) contract year, fifteen percent (15%) during the fourth (4th) contract year, and ten percent (10%) during the fifth (5th) contract year. After the fifth (5th) contract year, this incentive provision shall cease.
2. Minimum Bill: The minimum monthly bill will be the charge for the minimum monthly Reserved Capacity of two hundred (200) kW pursuant to the applicable rate schedule. Other provisions of the applicable rate schedule which describe the calculation of Reserve Capacity and Billing Capacity apply. After the fifth (5th) contract year, this provision shall cease.
3. Local Service Facilities: The Company will not require an additional facilities or line extension charge for facilities installed to serve the customer if the Company's analysis of expected revenues from the new load on an ongoing basis is determined to be sufficient to justify the required investment in the facilities.
4. Separately Measured Service: Bills to existing Customers, pursuant to the provisions of this or other locations.
5. Shifting of Existing Load: For Customers with existing facilities at one (1) or more locations in the Company's service area, this Rider shall not be applicable to service provided at any other delivery point prior to receiving service under this Rider. Customer is prohibited from shifting loads from those locations already existing in the Company's service area to qualify for this Rider or to receive benefits from this Rider.

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The Company may file to freeze the availability of this Rider with respect to new loads at any time following one (1) year from the effective date of this tariff. Any Customer receiving service under the Rider on the date it is suspended may continue to receive the benefits of the incentive provisions herein through the remaining period of the Customer's contract.

TERMINATION

Failure of the Customer to meet or maintain any of the applicable criteria of this Rider, used to qualify the Customer for acceptance on the Rider, within the two (2) year period commencing with the date service under this Rider begins, may lead to termination of service under this Rider.

OTHER PROVISIONS

Service under this Rider shall be subject to all other applicable tariffs and the Company's general rules and regulations applying to electric service as the same may change from time to time as provided by law.

FORM OF CONTRACT

This Agreement is entered into as of this _____ day of _____, 20____, by and between Aquila, Inc., d/b/a Aquila Networks (Company) and _____ (Customer).

WITNESSETH:

Whereas, Company has on file with the Public Service Commission of the State of Missouri (Commission) a certain Economic Development Rider (Rider), and;

Whereas, Customer is a new Customer, or has acquired additional separately measured facilities within the Company's service territory, and;

Whereas, Customer has furnished sufficient information to the Company to demonstrate that its new facilities or additional separately measured facilities (Facilities) satisfied the Availability and Applicability provisions of the Rider, and;

Whereas, Customer wishes to take electric service from the Company, and the Company agrees to furnish electric service to the Customer under this Rider and pursuant to all other applicable tariffs of the Company;

The Company and Customer agree as follows:

1. Service to the Customer's Facilities shall be pursuant to the Rider, all other applicable tariffs, and the Company's General Rules and Regulations Applying to Electric Service, as may be in effect from time to time and approved by the Commission.

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FORM OF CONTRACT (Continued)

- 2. Customer acknowledges that this Agreement is not assignable voluntarily by Customer, but shall nevertheless inure to the benefit of and be binding upon the Customer's successors by operation of law so long as the successor continues to meet the criteria of the Rider.
- 3. Customer will furnish additional information, as requested by the Company, to assure the continued eligibility for service under the Rider. Customer acknowledges that all information provided to the Company for the purpose of determining whether the Customer is eligible for service under the Rider shall be retained by the Company, and shall be subject to inspection and disclosure under Chapters 386 and 393, RSMo 1986, as amended from time to time. Should the Customer designate any of such information as proprietary or confidential, Company shall notify Customer of any request for inspection or disclosure, and shall use good faith efforts to secure an agreement or Commission order protecting the proprietary or confidential nature of such information.
- 4. This Agreement shall be governed in all respects by the laws of the State of Missouri (regardless of conflict of laws' provisions), and by the orders, rules and regulations of the Commission, as they may exist from time to time. Nothing contained herein shall be construed as divesting, or attempting to divest, the Commission of any rights jurisdiction, power or authority vested in it by law.

In witness whereof, the parties have signed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

Aquila Networks
a division of
Aquila, Inc.

Customer

By _____

By _____