

B2B Codes for Ancillary Network Services - 1 July 2023

1. Price schedule and Product codes for ancillary network services - fee based effective 1 July 2023

Customer requested services related to the distribution of electricity such as meter test, special meter reading and disconnection visit will be charged for at the AER determined rates in the table below.

Table 1-1: Charges for customer related services

| Product Code | Customer related service - fee based charges | \$ |
|--------------|--|--------|
| SRMBH | Special Meter Read (includes wasted visit) | 20.95 |
| MIRBH | Move in Meter Read | 20.95 |
| MORBH | Move out Meter Read | 20.95 |
| MTBH | Special Meter Test - 1 st meter (per meter) | 721.33 |
| MTABH | Special Meter Test - each additional meter | 466.74 |
| SMTCT | Special Meter Test - CT Meter (per meter) | 869.83 |
| OPCBH | Off peak conversion | 112.15 |
| SVDNPBH | Disconnect - Site visit | 44.64 |
| SVRBH | Reconnect - Site visit | 44.64 |
| DMBH | Disconnect - Complete | 65.25 |
| RMMBH | Reconnect - Complete | 57.83 |
| TDMBH | Disconnect - Technical | 65.25 |
| TRMBH | Reconnect - Technical | 57.83 |
| DVSBH | Disconnect - Vacant Premise | 47.85 |
| RVSBH | Reconnect - Vacant Premise | 57.83 |
| DPPBM | Disconnect - Pole Top/Pillar Box | 316.54 |
| RPBH | Reconnection - Pole Top/Pillar Box | 316.54 |
| RMAH | Reconnection - Outside business hours | 162.79 |
| SITEST | Site Establishment per NMI | 93.85 |

Rates are exclusive of GST

Table 1-2: Emergency maintenance of failed metering equipment not owned by the distributor (contestable meters)

| Product Code | Customer related service - fee based charges | \$ (per job) |
|--------------|--|--------------|
| UOMFBH | Unplanned Outage - Meter Fault (Normal Time) Site attendance | 441.05 |
| UOMFAH | Unplanned Outage - Meter Fault (Overtime) Site attendance | 736.43 |
| UOHMFBH | Unplanned Outage - Meter HW Fault (Normal Time) Site attendance | 441.05 |
| UOHMFAH | Unplanned Outage - Meter HW Fault (Overtime) Site attendance | 736.43 |
| UOUTRBH | Unplanned Outage - Retailer outage impacting non retailer customer (Normal Time) Site attendance | 350.60 |
| UOUTRAH | Unplanned Outage - Retailer outage impacting non retailer customer (Overtime) Site attendance | 581.77 |
| UODEBH | Unplanned Outage - remote De-energisation (Normal Time) Site attendance | 350.60 |
| UODEAH | Unplanned Outage - remote De-energisation (Overtime) Site attendance | 581.77 |

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Table 1-3: Distributor arranged outage for purposes of replacing meter

| Product Code | Customer related service - fee based charges | \$ (per job) |
|--------------|---|--------------|
| RDPICAN | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Cancellation after notification | 546.04 |
| RDPIVBH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Initial Visit (Normal Time) | 481.37 |
| RDPIVAH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Initial Visit (Overtime) | 783.16 |
| RDPICBH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Isolation Complete (Normal Time) | 410.45 |
| RDPICAH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Isolation Complete (Overtime) | 692.99 |
| RDPICAL | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Isolation Complete (Additional Labour required) | R4 per hour |
| RDPIEC | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - Early Cancellation | 48.69 |
| RDPINBH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - MC no attendance (Normal Time) | 365.24 |
| RDPINAH | Retailer Requested Distributor Planned Interruption - MC no attendance (Overtime) | 474.39 |

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2. Applicable Labour Rates

Network services are services performed by Essential Energy to facilitate contestable works such as design certification, inspection of works and provision of access permits. These services are required to ensure that an appropriate level of reliability, quality of supply and safety is maintained when operating the network. These services will be charged for at the hourly rates in the tables below as determined by the AER.

Table 2-1: Applicable Labour Rates

| Labour Class | Normal Time rate \$ | Overtime hourly rate \$* |
|---|---------------------|--------------------------|
| Administration (R1a) | 125.13 | 213.95 |
| Para Legal (R1b) | 125.13 | 213.95 |
| Technical Specialist - Indoor Technical Officer (R2a) | 187.68 | 320.94 |
| Technical Specialist - Outdoor Technical Officer (R2b) | 212.14 | 362.78 |
| Engineering Officer (R3) | 234.61 | 401.18 |
| Field Worker (R4) | 180.87 | 309.31 |
| Materials | Per Item | 71.96% |
| Contractor | Per Job | 55.89% |
| Materials & other contractor costs are charged at purchase price / contractor costs + % | | |

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*Essential Energy may impose an overtime hourly rate for services provided outside the hours of 7.30am and 4pm on a working day.