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**RIDER GIS  
GENERATOR INTERCONNECTION STANDARDS****APPLICABILITY**

This rider is applicable to Service Classifications R, GSND, GSD, and LP Customers within SMECO's service territory seeking to interconnect energy generation resources to the electric distribution system.

In accordance with Small Generator Interconnection Standard COMAR 20.50.09, the Company has established communication, metering, and interconnection requirements for Customers seeking to interconnect generation resources to the local electric distribution system. These requirements help ensure proposed generation facilities are reliably interconnected in compliance with local, regional, and national codes and best accepted industry practice.

**COST**

The Customer will be charged the following application review fees in accordance with stated COMAR 20.50.09 regulations: .

- Pre-Application (nameplate capacity over 20 kW) - \$220
- Level 1 ( $\leq 20$  kW, inverter based, lab certified) – No charge
- Level 2 ( $\leq 2$  MW , inverter based, lab certified, radial distribution circuit or a spot network limited to serving one customer ) - \$260
- Level 3 ( $\leq 10$  MW radial distribution circuit or  $\leq 50$  kW area network, non-export system, inverter based, lab certified) - \$260
- Level 4 – (All other interconnection applications not meeting the Level 1, Level 2, or Level 3 stated review criteria) - \$950

**APPROVAL**

After a Customer interconnection agreement is approved by the Company, the Customer will have the generation equipment installed and inspected by the local authority having jurisdiction (AHJ). Upon receiving an approved AHJ inspection, the Customer will submit the approved inspection certification and a certificate of completion form to SMECO for verification and approval.