



# Tariff for the Transmission of Electricity and Ancillary Services

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## **Article 1**

This tariff applies to the transmission of electricity through Landsnet's transmission system.

The tariff also applies to producers connected to Landsnet's transmission system through a distribution system.

## **Article 2**

The following definitions apply and are used in this tariff:

*Delivery/supply voltage:* The standard voltage (nominal voltage) at which Landsnet delivers/supplies electricity:

*Point of delivery:* A point in a transmission or distribution system where electricity is taken out.

*Calendar year:* 1 January – 31 December each year.

*Transmission system:* Electrical lines and connected facilities needed to transmit electricity from producers to power intensive users and to distribution system operators. It extends from the ingoing switch in the transmission system operators switchyard, to the outgoing switch for a distribution company/power intensive user in the transmission companys switchyard.

*Curtailed transmission:* Electricity which Landsnet is permitted to curtail due to circumstances in accordance to paragraph 5.1 in Landsnets terms for curtailable transmission. This does no apply to curtailments and rationing acording to the ninth paragraph of Art. 9 of the Electricity Act.

*In-feed:* Electricity which is supplied to the transmission system or the distribution system.

*Power intensive user:* A user who uses in one place and within three years of startupa minimum of 80 GWh annually.

*Out-feed:* Electricity delivered to customers out of Landsnet's transmission system, together with the electricity produced in power stations connected to Landsnet through a distribution system.

### Article 3

The points of delivery and supply and voltage for the in-feed and out-feed of electricity are as follows:

<u>Points of (In-feed) supply,</u>	<u>Supply voltage:</u>
Andakílvirkjun .....	66 kV
Blöndustöð .....	132 kV
Búðarhálsstöð .....	220 kV
Búrfellsstöð.....	220 kV og 66 kV
Fljótsdalsstöð.....	220 kV
Hellisheiðarvirkjun .....	220 kV
Hrauneyjafossstöð .....	220 kV
Írafossstöð .....	132 kV
Kröflustöð .....	132 kV
Lagarfossvirkjun .....	66 kV
Laxárstöð .....	66 kV
Ljósa fossstöð .....	66 kV
Mjólkárvirkjun .....	66 kV
Nesjavellir .....	132 kV
Reykjanesvirkjun .....	132 kV
Sigöldustöð.....	220 kV
Steingrímsstöð .....	66 kV
Sultartangastöð.....	220 kV
Svartsengi .....	132 kV
Vatnsfellsstöð.....	220 kV

<u>Points of (Out-feed ) delivery,</u>	<u>Delivery voltage</u>
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#### **To Power intensive users:**

Switchyard ALCAN .....	220 kV
Switchyard Fjarðaál.....	220 kV
Switchyard Járnblendifélag .....	220 kV
Switchyard Norðurál .....	220 kV
Switchyard Becromal .....	132 kV
Switchyard Ásbrú.....	33 kV

#### **To Distribution system operators:**

Akranes.....	..66 kV
Blanda .....	..11 kV
Bolungarvík .....	..66 kV
Breiðadalur .....	..66 kV
Brennimelur .....	..11 kV
Búrfell .....	11 kV
Dalvík .....	..66 kV
Eskifjörður .....	..66 kV
Eyvindará .....	..66 kV
Fáskrúðsfjörður.....	..66 kV

Fitjar.....	132 kV
Flúðir .....	.66 kV
Geiradalur .....	132 kV
Glerárskógar .....	132 kV
Grundarfjörður .....	.66 kV
Hamranes .....	132 kV
Hella.....	.66 kV
Hnoðraholt.....	132 kV
Hólar.....	132 kV
Hrútatunga .....	132 kV
Hryggstekkur . .....	.11 kV
Húsavík .....	.33 kV
Hveragerði .....	.66 kV
Hvolsvöllur .....	.66 kV
Höfn .....	132 kV
Ísafjörður .....	.66 kV
Kópasker .....	.66 kV
Korpa.....	132 kV
Krafla.....	.11 kV
Lagarfoss.....	.66 kV
Laxá .....	.11 kV
Laxárvatn .....	132 kV
Lindarbrekka.....	.66 kV
Ljósafoss .....	11 kV
Mjólká .....	33 kV
Neskaupsstaður.....	.66 kV
Ólafsvík.....	.66 kV
Prestbakki .....	132 kV
Rangárvellir .....	66 kV
Rauðavatn .....	132 kV
Rimakot .....	.66 kV
Sauðárkrókur .....	.66 kV
Selfoss .....	.66 kV
Seyðisfjörður .....	.66 kV
Sigalda.....	.11 kV
Silfurstjarna.....	.66 kV
Stuðlar .....	.66 kV
Svartsengi .....	132 kV
Tálknafjörður .....	.66 kV
Teigarhorn .....	132 kV
Varmahlíð .....	.11 kV
Vatnshamrar .....	.66 kV
Vegamót .....	.66 kV
Vestmannaeyjar .....	.33 kV
Vogaskeið.....	.66 kV
Vopnafjörður.....	.66 kV
Þeistareykir.....	.66 kV

Þorlákshöfn.....	66 kV
Öldugata í Hafnarfirði .....	132 kV

## Article 4

### 4.1 Transmission charges<sup>1</sup>

#### In-feed:

Delivery charge per year..... ISK 4.706.114

#### Out-feed:

##### *Distribution system operators:*

Delivery charge per year..... ISK 4.706.114

Capacity charge per MW per year..... ISK 4.831.900

Energy charge per MWh..... ISK 349,88

##### *Power intensive users*

Delivery charge per year..... USD 55.395

Capacity charge per MW per year..... USD 32.268

Energy charge per MWh..... USD 1,632

Charges for ancillary services and transmission losses are not included in the transmission charges above and are collected separately pursuant to Section 4.2.

### 4.2 Charge for Ancillary Services and transmission losses<sup>2</sup>

Ancillary services per MWh..... ISK 40,57

Transmission losses per MWh ..... ISK 87,87

4.3 A discount of 5% is granted on the capacity charge and energy charge pursuant to Section 4.1 where electricity is delivered to distributors at a nominal voltage over 66 kV.

4.4 No power capacity charge (MW) is imposed on curtailable transmission, and such transmission shall be in accordance to Landsnets terms B5.

If an end user that fulfills Landsnet's terms B5 has a utilization time that exceeds 4500 hours/year for at least a full calendar year, an energy charge of 380,00 ISK/MWh will be charged. If the utilization time has been below 4500 hours/year for two calendar years in succession, an energy charge of 1.000,00 ISK/MWh will be charged.<sup>3</sup> The utilization time of new end users shall be calculated at the end of the first calendar year of connection. Until then, the capacity charge shall be 1.000,00 ISK/MWh.

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<sup>1</sup> Number formats are used according to icelandic tradition.

<sup>2</sup> Charges for transmission losses and ancillary services will be adjusted based on Landsnet's purchases of losses and ancillary services.

<sup>3</sup> A discount will be given to end users that have a utilization time of less than 4500 hours/year. This discount is 47% from January 1<sup>st</sup> 2014 – June 30<sup>th</sup> 2014, 31% from July 1<sup>st</sup> 2014 – December 31<sup>st</sup> 2014, and 16% from January 1<sup>st</sup> 2015 – June 30<sup>th</sup> 2015. From July 1<sup>st</sup> 2015 this charge will be fully effective.

The discount in accordance to 4.3 is also applicable to curtailable end users. The utilization time is calculated based on the average of the four highest 60-minute monthly power-peaks of the year, the transmitted energy of that year and the time of curtailment of that year.

A discount of 17% is granted on the charge for ancillary services relating to curtailable transmission. This discount amounts to the cost incurred by Landsnet for reserve power.

- 4.5 A capacity charge for out-feed is calculated based on the average of the four highest 60-minute monthly power-peaks of the year for each delivery point.
- 4.6 A power intensive user can apply to have electricity delivered at less than 132 kV. The Tariff for such transmission is according to Landsnets terms B9.
- 4.7 Charges for running the Balance Power Market is 2% of the balancing energy and is charged to the balance responsible party
- 4.8 If energy is transmitted directly to a power intensive user from a power plant connected to the transmission system, the energy is not transmitted through the transmission system, and the transmission system does not contribute to connecting costs of the power intensive user, the Out-feed charge shall be 60% of the Power intensive Out-feed transmission charge. A higher discount is permitted if the power intensive users out-feed is totally reliant on energy coming from the power plant.

#### **Article 5**

Charges for ancillary services and transmission losses are imposed on all out-feed, with the exception provided for in Section 8.3.

#### **Article 6**

Points of delivery shall, as a rule, be metered separately. However, points of delivery within an interconnectably operated distribution network area shall be metered collectively provided that each point of delivery can handle at least  $1/(n-1)*100\%$  of the total consumption of the distribution network area, where "n" is the number of points of delivery.

#### **Article 7**

7.1 Each customer will be charged a delivery charge for each point of supply and for each point of delivery when the customer is connected to the transmission system at more than one connection point within the point of supply or point of delivery and at different voltage, cf. Article 3.

7.2 A discount is granted on the out-feed delivery charge if the maximum power out-feed is as follows:

In the range of 3.0 – 6.0 MW the discount is 40%.

In the range of 1.0 – 3.0 MW the discount is 70%.

For out-feed less than 1.0 MW the out-feed delivery charge can be omitted if Landsnets direct costs for the out-feed is charged. This cost is variable between points of delivery and is calculated for each point of delivery.

Maximum power is the highest 60 minute power peak at each point of delivery.

7.3 At each point of delivery as specified in art. 3, Landsnet will provide customers with one connection point for the delivery voltage specified in Article 3. Customers shall pay all costs of any requested additional connection point; the same applies to connection points for a different voltage than that specified in Article 3.

7.4 Buyers of curtailable transmissions shall pay any and all cost of a special connection point for such electricity.

### **Article 8**

8.1 Distribution system operators shall pay out-feed charges pursuant to Article 4 for electricity produced in power plants connected to Landsnet through a distribution system, as follows:

1. For energy produced in power plants under 1,42 MW, no out-feed charge is paid.
2. For electricity produced in power plants in the size range of 1,42-3.1 MW, no out-feed charge is paid at the lower limit of the range, but the charge then increases proportionally up to 60% of the full out-feed charge at the upper limit.
3. For energy from power plants of 3.1 – 10 MW, 60% of the full out-feed charge is paid.

8.2 Distribution system operators shall pay a charge for ancillary services pursuant to section 4.2 for electricity which is produced in power plants connected to Landsnet through a distribution system and does not enter the Landsnet transmission system.

8.3 Charges pursuant to article 8 shall be settled separately.

### **Article 9**

9.1 This tariff assumes a minimum average power factor of  $\cos\phi$  0.9 at the out-feed for distribution system operators and power intensive users at each point of delivery, except as otherwise specified in Landsnets Grid-Code or separate contracts between Landsnet and the customer.

9.2 In the event that the average power factor of a single month falls below the above limit the energy charge and capacity charge pursuant to Article 4 shall increase by 2% for each 1% that the power factor falls below the limit.

### **Article 10**

The price of balancing power is variable as determined by the market price at any time and will be posted on the website of Landsnet [www.landsnet.is](http://www.landsnet.is).

### **Article 11**

This tariff is established by Landsnet hf. in compliance with the income revenue cap determined by Orkustofnun for Landsnet hf. and is effective as of February 1<sup>st</sup> 2015.

### **Article 12**

Orkustofnun (the National Energy Authority) supervises the compliance of Landsnet with the provisions of the Electricity Act No. 65/2003 with later amendments and with conditions applicable to its activities pursuant to statutory law and government regulations.