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COWEN PUBLIC SERVICE DISTRICT, a public utility  
OF

COWEN, WEST VIRGINIA

RATES, RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR FURNISHING  
WATER

at Cowen and vicinity, Webster County, West Virginia

Filed with THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION  
of  
WEST VIRGINIA

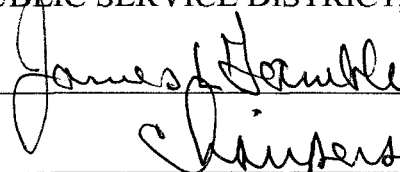
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Effective upon substantial completion of the project approved  
in Case No. 15-0444-PWD-CN-PC, October 13, 2017,  
if completion occurs within two years of the  
implementation of Staff Recommended Rates -  
Step 1, except as otherwise provided herein

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RULES AND REGULATIONS

- I. Rules and Regulations for the Government of Water Utilities, adopted by the Public Service Commission of West Virginia, and now in effect, and all amendments thereto and modifications thereof hereafter made by said Commission.

**SUPPLEMENT STEP 1 RATES**

(Effective upon completion of the project in Case No. 15-0444-PWD-CN-PC if it occurs within two years of the implementation of Staff Recommended Rates - Step 1)

**APPLICABILITY**

Applicable to the entire territory served.

**AVAILABILITY**

Available for general domestic, commercial, industrial and sale for resale water service.

**(I) RATES (Customers with metered water supply)**

First	2,000 gallons used per month	\$12.30 per 1,000 gallons
Next	10,000 gallons used per month	\$ 9.28 per 1,000 gallons
All over	12,000 gallons used per month	\$ 6.38 per 1,000 gallons

**(I) MINIMUM CHARGE**

No bill will be rendered for less than the following:

5/8	inch meter	\$ 24.60 per month
3/4	inch meter	\$ 36.90 per month
1	inch meter	\$ 61.50 per month
1- 1/2	inch meter	\$ 123.00 per month
2	inch meter	\$ 196.80 per month
3	inch meter	\$ 393.60 per month
4	inch meter	\$ 615.00 per month
6	inch meter	\$1,230.00 per month

**(I) SALES FOR RESALE**

All water for resale to Camden-on-Gauley will be billed in accordance with the approved rate of \$6.39 per 1,000 gallons used per month.

**(I) Indicates increase**

**SUPPLEMENT STEP 1 RATES** (Continued)

**DELAYED PAYMENT PENALTY**

The above schedule is net. On all accounts not paid in full when due, ten percent (10%) will be added to the net current amount unpaid. This delayed payment penalty is not interest and is to be collected only once for each bill where appropriate.

**RECONNECTION**

\$20.00

To be charged whenever the supply of water is turned off for violation of rules, non-payment of bills or fraudulent use of water.

**TAP FEE**

The following charge is to be made whenever the utility installs a new tap to serve an applicant:

A tap fee of \$300.00 will be charged to all customers who apply for service outside of a certificate proceeding before the Commission for each new tap to the system.

**RETURNED CHECK CHARGE**

A service charge equal to the actual bank fee assessed to the District or a maximum of \$25.00 will be imposed upon any customer whose check for payment of charges is returned by the bank due to insufficient funds.

(D) **LEAK ADJUSTMENT**

\$0.69 per 1,000 gallons is to be used when the bill reflects unusual consumption which can be attributed to eligible leakage on the customer's side of the meter. This rate shall be applied to all such consumption above the customer's historical average usage.

**SECURITY DEPOSIT**

Not to exceed two-twelfths (2/12) of the average annual usage of the applicant's specific customer class, or fifty dollars, whichever is greater. This fee may be changed by applicable statutory provisions.

(D) Indicates decrease