

**PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY COMMISSION (PURC)
PUBLICATION OF ELECTRICITY TARIFF**

IN accordance with the statutory duty to publish rates approved by the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission under Section 19 of the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission Act, (Act 538) this publication is made this April 20, 2001.

1. The Volta River Authority (VRA) shall charge the rates provided for in the First Schedule hereto as Bulk Supply Tariff (BST) to take effect from May 1, 2001 as stipulated in the said First Schedule.
2. The Electricity Company, Ghana (ECG) Limited and Northern Electricity Department (NED) of the Volta River Authority (VRA), shall charge the rates provided for in the Second Schedule hereto as Distribution Service Charge (DSC) to take effect from May, 2001 billing cycle.
3. The Electricity Company, Ghana (ECG) Limited and Northern Electrification Department (NED) of the Volta River Authority (VRA), shall charge the detailed tariffs stipulated in the Third Schedule hereto as End-User Tariffs to take effect from May, 2001 billing cycle.
4. These rates approved shall not be exceeded and shall remain in force until they are changed by the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission.
5. These rates approved by the Public Utilities Commission which took effect from September 1, 1998 for VRA, ECG and NED as published in *Gazette* No. 42 of September 1, 1998 are hereby accordingly revoked and replaced with the following:

DEFINITIONS

BST	..	Bulk Supply Tariff
DSC	..	Distribution Service Charge
SLT-LV	..	Special Load Tariff—Low Voltage
SLT-MV	..	Special Load Tariff—Medium Voltage
SLT-HV	..	Special Load Tariff—High Voltage
KWh	..	Kilowatt—Hour
KVA	..	Kilovolt—Ampere

FIRST SCHEDULE

Tariff Category	Effective May 2001 Billing Cycle
BST (Cedis/KWh)	194

SECOND SCHEDULE

Tariff Category	Effective May 2001 Billing Cycle
DSC (Cedis/KWh)	196

THIRD SCHEDULE

Tariff Category	Effective May 2001 Billing Cycle
Residential	
0-50 (Block Charge) (Cedis/month)	7,800
51-150 (Cedis/KWh)	242
151-300 (Cedis/KWh)	304
300+ (Cedis/KWh)	570
Non-Residential	
0-300 (Cedis/KWh)	436
300+ (Cedis/KWh)	645
Service Charge (Cedis/month)	10,000

Tariff Category	Effective May 2001 Billing Cycle
SLT-LV	
Max. Demand (Cedis/kVA/mth)	34,000
Energy Charge (Cedis/KWh)	362
Service Charge (Cedis/month)	40,000
SLT-MV	
Max. Demand (Cedis/kVA/month)	30,000
Energy Charge (Cedis/KWh)	350
Service Charge (Cedis/month)	40,000
SLT-HV	
Max. Demand (Cedis/kVA/month)	28,000
Energy Charge (Cedis/KWh)	340
Service Charge (Cedis/month)	40,000

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PUBLIC UTILITIES REGULATORY COMMISSION (PURC)

PUBLICATION OF WATER TARIFFS

In accordance with the statutory duty to publish rates approved by the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission under section 19 of the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission Act, (Act 538) this publication is made this April 20, 2001.

1. The Ghana Water Company Limited (GWCL) shall charge the rates specified in the Schedule to take effect from May, 2001 billing cycle.
2. The rates approved shall not be exceeded and shall remain in force until they are changed by the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission.
3. The rates approved by the Public Utilities Regulatory Commission which took effect from June 1, 1999 for GWCL as published in the *Gazette* No. 25 of June 11, 1999 are hereby accordingly revoked and replaced with the following:

SCHEDULE

<i>Category of Service</i>	<i>Monthly Consumption (1,000 litres)</i>	<i>Approved Rates in Cedis (per 1,000 litres; Effective May 2001 Billing Cycle)</i>
a. Metered Domestic	0-10	990
	over 10	3,600
Commercial/Industrial		4,000
Public Institutions		3,600
Government Departments		3,600
b. Unmetered Premises—Flat rate per house per month		9,900
c. Boreholes, wells, hand pumps— Flat rate per house per month		3,000
d. Premises without connection (Public stand pipes) per 1,000 litres	1,000	1,000
e. Sewer surcharge on house with sewer connection		35%
f. Reconnection fee:		
(i) Domestic		15,000
(ii) Commercial/Industry		65,000
g. Meter rent per month		
(Meter size)		
1/2"		3,000
3/4"		3,500
"		5,000
1		5,000
1 1/4"		6,000
1 1/2"		9,000
2"		15,000
3" - 4"		35,000
Above 4"		45,000

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