

ARTICLE 2

Application for Service and Membership

Section 1. Membership Application. The Cooperative will require each prospective member to sign an application for membership and agree to abide by the Articles, By-Laws, Rules and Regulations of the Cooperative. A deposit (see Article 5) must be paid for each account the member activates.

Section 2. Proof of Identity. Personal information, such as name, address, social security number or appropriate ID, and telephone number, from each member applying for service shall be gathered to determine legitimate identity, and thus prevent identity theft (see Article IV). Enerstar will not discriminate against any member on the grounds of sex, race, creed, color, national origin, or any other characteristic prohibited by federal law.

Section 3. Each Prospective Member Shall Agree to Purchase All Electric Energy. Each prospective member shall agree in the membership application to purchase from the Cooperative all electric energy used on the premises as so specified on the form, unless applicant qualifies under (PURPA) Regulations as a small power producer or qualifying facility, and therefore also agrees to pay monthly at rates fixed by the Board of Directors, but not less than the minimum monthly bill prescribed by the Directors.

Section 4. The Final Requirement. The final requirement for admission of an applicant to membership in the Cooperative shall be either the taking of service or the making of service available to him by the Cooperative, provided, however, all other requirements having been set by each applicant.

Section 5. Special Contract. Standard contracts shall be as above specified, but where a large or special investment is necessary for the supply of service, contracts of longer term, or with special guarantee of revenue, or both, may be requested to safeguard such investment made by the cooperative.