



Standard Service Prices Announced for January through June 2017

On November 3, 2016, the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority (“PURA”) announced standard service prices for Eversource Energy (“Eversource”) and the United Illuminating Company (“UI”) that will become effective on January 1, 2017. The new residential standard service rate for Eversource will be 7.87 cents per kilowatt-hour (“kWh”), and the new residential standard service rate for UI will be 9.26 cents/kWh. These rates will be effective from January 1, 2017 through June 30, 2017. The current standard service rate is 6.6 cents/kWh for Eversource and 8.02 cents/kWh for UI; both of which will expire on December 31, 2016.

For the same period *last* year (January through June 30, 2016), the standard service price for Eversource was 9.6 cents/kWh and 10.7 cents/kWh for UI. The new 2017 rates thus represent a decrease of approximately 17.6 % for Eversource and 13.7 % for UI residential customers when compared to the same period in 2016.

Consumers who are interested in comparing standard service rates with licensed electric suppliers’ current rates are encouraged to shop on Connecticut’s official generation rate board at <http://www.energizect.com/>, and select “Choose Your Electric Supplier.”

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