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National Electrification Administration
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T O : ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES

SUBJECT : Year 2008 Price Index of Major Equipment and Materials

NEA continuously monitors prices of electrical distribution line equipment and materials (E&M) to respond to the clamor of electric cooperatives (ECs) for a more realistic listing of prevailing market prices.

For CY 2008, attached is the Price Index of major E&M including those considered fast moving and were not included in the 2007 Price Index, to serve as guide and reference in the evaluation of Budget Requests (BRs).

Please be informed that the unit prices reflected in the Price Index are averages of the current market prices furnished us by nineteen (19) ECs from Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao, since there is difficulty securing quotations from local manufacturers/suppliers. Prices which are unusually too low or too high in comparison with the rest were discarded and only those which are reasonably priced had been considered.

Due to continuous oil price hikes, unit prices of the three (3) major components of the distribution system such as transformers, steel poles and some conductors escalated to such heights that our 2007 Price Index need to be revised as soon as possible. However, prices of some conductors, KWHR Meters and hardwares showed minimal movements, and so their prices in the 2007 Price Index were retained. Contingency computed at 5% of Total Material Cost continues to be retained in NEA's evaluation of BRs to cushion the effect of mentioned price movements and discrepancies at different regions.

This Price Index shall be used as reference for your procurement. In case you have information on prices of E&M which are found much lower or higher than indicated, please report the same to the NEA Engineering Department, for proper dissemination.

For your information and guidance.

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2008 E&M PRICE INDEX

DESCRIPTION	NEA 07	NEA 2008
Conductor, Bare, ACSR #2, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	23.96	28.11
Conductor, Bare, ACSR #4, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	17.88	18.00
Conductor, Bare, ACSR #1/0, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	35.97	40.19
Conductor, Bare, ACSR #2/0, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	38.80	50.96
Conductor, Bare, ACSR #336.4, MCM 26/7 STD (Meters)		90.54
Conductor, Insulated, ACSR #2, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	31.10	42.63
Conductor, Insulated, ACSR #3/0, AWG 6/1 (Meters)		76.88
Conductor, Duplex, #2, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	49.19	62.07
Conductor, Duplex, #6 AWG (Meters)	22.30	26.65
Conductor, Duplex, #1/0, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	66.28	80.62
Conductor, Duplex, #2/0, AWG 6/1 (Meters)	81.09	90.08
Transformer, Pole Type, CSP, 10 KVA	36,190.03	37,300.00
Transformer, Pole Type, CSP, 50 KVA		84,821.43
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 5 KVA		40,388.00
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 10 KVA	44,862.72	48,430.64
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 15 KVA	56,049.09	59,638.33
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 25 KVA	72,073.28	77,380.00
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 37.5 KVA	87,976.71	94,467.00
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 50 KVA	100,044.88	110,435.00
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 75 KVA	136,605.00	139,726.19
Transformer, Pole Type, Conventional, 100 KVA		156,236.34

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DESCRIPTION	NEA 07	NEA 2008
Pole, Wood, 25', Class 3	5,387.00	7,084.92
Pole, Concrete, 25'	5,149.00	6,291.69
Pole, Steel, 25'	7,324.25	11,800.00
Pole, Wood, 30', Class 3	7,084.57	9,251.47
Pole, Concrete, 30'	7,059.36	9,504.19
Pole, Steel, 30'	10,085.16	13,799.33
Pole, Wood, 35', Class 3	8,300.00	11,436.84
Pole, Concrete, 35'	10,210.06	13,021.00
Pole, Steel, 35'	12,684.66	16,192.00
Pole, Wood, 40', Class 3	11,747.44	15,977.18
Pole, Concrete, 40'	12,343.42	14,290.40
Pole, Steel, 40'	18,595.21	19,393.50
Pole, Wood, 45', Class 3	15,858.33	17,500.00
Pole, Concrete, 45'	19,255.42	29,888.00
Pole, Wood, 50', Class 2		21,500.00
Pole, Concrete, 50'		22,165.11
Pole, Steel, 50'		30,227.00
Pole, Wood, 55', Class 2		26,801.57
Pole, Concrete, 55'		27,488.00
Pole, Steel, 55'		45,798.50
Pole, Concrete, 60'		37,826.00
Pole, Steel, 60'		75,132.83
Pole, Concrete, 65'		62,300.00
Pole, Steel, 65'		71,738.25

Note: Prices of E/M not included herein shall remain under the 2007 Price Index.