

ST. LUCIA ELECTRICITY SERVICES LIMITED

FUEL SURCHARGE COST ADJUSTMENT

Applied to Bills for January 2018

The fuel surcharge cost adjustment is the cost of fuel at the current price less the average cost of fuel in the twelve months preceeding 1st January, 2017 (the base price) divided by the total number of kwhs sold.

Current price of fuel	EC\$	6.5237 / gallon
Average price for 2016	EC\$	5.7567 / gallon
Amount of fuel used (December 2017)		1,704,787 gallons
Cost of 1,704,787 gallons at EC\$ 6.5237 per gallon	EC\$	11,121,519
Cost of 1,704,787 gallons at EC\$5.7567 per gallon	EC\$	9,813,947
Current cost of fuel less cost at base price	EC\$	1,307,572
Electricity Sales (December 2017)		30,479,741 units

Fuel Surcharge Cost Adjustment:	$\frac{1,307,572}{30,479,741} \times 100$	4.3 cents / unit
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		2017 Tariff EC\$	FSCA EC\$	Cost EC\$
Rates per Electrical Unit Domestic	1-180	0.653	0.043	0.696
	>180	0.703	0.043	0.746
Commercial/Hotel/Industrial	Low Tension all units	0.803	0.043	0.846
	High Tension all units	0.763	0.043	0.806
Streetlighting	all units	0.798	0.043	0.841

The Tariff Rate and the FSCA are computed in accordance with the Electricity Supply Act No. 10 of 1994, as amended by Act Nos. 12 and 13 of 2006. Note that since the average fuel price in December 2017 is greater than the average fuel price for 2016, there is a Fuel Cost Adjustment (FCA).


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