



Unofficial translation

TARIFF OF THE FEES COLLECTED BY THE STATE ENERGY AND WATER REGULATORY COMMISSION (SEWRC) UNDER THE ENERGY ACT

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*Prom. SG No 89 of 12 October 2004, amend. SG No 41 of 22 May 2007,
amend. SG No 10 of 6 February 2009, amend. SG No 90 of 31 October 2014*

Article 1. (1) To consider an application, the following fees are being collected for:

1. License application under Chapter four, Section I of Energy Act (EA) and for a license application under chapter four Section II of EA - 1000 BGN;

2. Amendment or supplement license application under Chapter four, Section III of EA - 1000 BGN;

3. Approval or adjustment price application under Chapter three, Section IV of EA - 1000 BGN;

4. (new - SG, No 41 of 2007, amend. SG No 10 of 2009) Electricity origin certificate application for cogeneration - 300 BGN;

4a. (new - SG No 10 of 2009) Electricity origin certificate application for energy generated by RES plants with installed capacity up to 50 kW - 60 BGN, and RES plants with installed capacity 50 kW and above 50 kW - 300 BGN;

5. (former item 4 - SG No 41 of 2007) other application under EA - 500 BGN.

(2) in order for an application to be considered, the fee charged shall be paid before its submission.

(3) the document for paid fee shall be enclosed to the application.

(4) upon refusal, the fee under para.1 is non-refundable.

Article 2. (Repealed – SG, No 41 of 2007)

Article 3. (1) When license granted, initial and annual fees shall be collected.

(2) For a license under art.39, para.1 of EA the following fees shall be collected:

1. Initial - 15 000 BGN;

2. Annual - 2000 BGN plus 0.055 per cent of the annual revenue of the company for the relevant licensed activity according to its annual financial statement for the previous year and the reported information by types of activities under art.38, para.1 of EA.

(3) For a license issued under art.39, para.3 of EA the following fees shall be collected:

1. Initial - 15 000 BGN;
2. Annual - 2000 BGN plus 0.055 per cent of the annual revenue of the company for the relevant licensed activity according to its annual financial statement for the previous year and the reported information by types of activities under art. 38, para.1 of EA and 0.02 per cent of the investment value under the license conditions; the annual fee share of the investment value under the license conditions cannot exceed 50 000 BGN; the investment value for the relevant year shall be defined in accordance with the approved by SEWRC investment programme of the company.

(4) Fees under para. 2 and 3 shall be paid for each license separately.

(5) Initial fee under para.2, item 1 and para.3, item 1 shall be paid within 7 days of the day following the decision notification date.

(6) Annual fee under para.1, item 2 and para. 3, item 2 shall be paid for every calendar year of the license duration, except for the year of the license issuance.

(7) Annual fee is payable in two equal installments which are to be bank transferred till 31 March and 30 November of the relevant year.

(8) Upon termination of the license before the end of the calendar year, the due annual fee shall be calculated as part of the annual sum proportional to the past days from the beginning of the calendar year till the date of the SEWRC's decision, which suspends or terminates the license.

(9) In the cases under para.8, the fee is payable within 7 days of the day following the decision notification date. If part of the amount due has been paid as an annual payment under para.7, it shall be deducted from the full amount of the payable annual fee. Overpaid amounts of annual fees shall be refunded without interest within one month as of the decision notification date, but not later than the end of the calendar year.

Article 4. (1) Upon the request of a licensee for the amendment and/or supplement of a granted license, fee at the amount of 3 000 BGN shall be payable.

(2) Fee under para.1 is payable within 7 days of the day following the decision notification date.

Article 5. (1) In order to extend the license period, a fee of 3 000 BGN shall be payable.

(2) Fee under para.1 is payable within 7 days of the day following the decision notification date.

Article 6. In order to obtain a set of tender documentation for the participation under Chapter four, Section II of EA, the following fees shall be payable:

1. for tender documentation under art.46, para. 1 of EA - 10 000 BGN;
2. (Repealed by SAC Decision No 10993 of 19.07.2013, SG, No 90 of 2014)

Article 7. (1) (Amend. SG, No 41 of 2007) Fees payable under the Tariff shall be bank transferred to the bank account of the State Energy and Water Regulatory Commission.

(2) (Amend. SG, No 41 of 2007) The date on which the sum has been registered in the SEWRC bank account shall be deemed as payment date.

(3) Bank payments made shall be certified by a certified copy of the payment order.

TRANSITIONAL AND FINAL PROVISIONS

§ 1. 2004 annual fees for the existing licenses shall be set and collected in the existing manner.

§ 2. (Amend. SG, No 41 of 2007) Annual fees for licenses terminated in 2004 shall be set under the conditions of § 1 proportionally to the past days from the beginning of the calendar year till the date of the SEWRC's decision, which suspends or terminates the licenses.

§ 3. (1) The initial fee amount of the licenses issued in 2004 on the grounds of § 12, para.2, § 15, para.2 and 3, § 17, para.2 and 3, § 22, para.2, 3 and 4 and § 23, para. 2 and 3 of the Transitional and Final Provision of EA, shall be set under the present Tariff.

(2) For licenses issued before the Tariff entry into force, the initial fees under para.1 shall be payable till 30 November 2004.

§ 4. The Tariff shall be approved on the grounds of art.28, para.2 of EA.