

THE STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF KANSAS

Index No. 4

THE EMPIRE DISTRICT ELECTRIC COMPANY
(Name of Issuing Utility)

SCHEDULE AVTS

ALL TERRITORY
(Territory to which schedule is applicable)

Replacing Schedule AVTS Sheet 11

which was filed 03/01/25

AD VALOREM TAX SURCHARGE RIDER
RIDER AVTS
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AD VALOREM TAX SURCHARGE RIDER

APPLICABILITY

This rider is applicable to every bill for service provided under each of the Company’s rate schedules.

RATE

The Ad Valorem Tax Surcharge shall be applied to the energy charge on a customer’s regular monthly bill. The surcharge shall be computed as follows:

The sum of:	The total Ad Valorem taxes levied for the year
Minus:	The Ad Valorem taxes included in the Company’s current rates as approved by the Commission in Docket No. 19-EPDE-223-RTS
	Property tax related to transmission assets as approved by the Commission in Docket No. 25-EPDE-305-TAR
	Property tax related to disallowed plant as approved by the Commission in Docket No. 19-EPDE-223-RTS
	Property tax related to common property as approved by the Commission in Docket No. 19-EPDE-223-RTS
Plus:	Any amount under-collected by prior Ad Valorem Tax Surcharges, or
Minus:	Any amount over-collected by prior Ad Valorem Tax Surcharges
Divided by:	The total estimated kWh sales for the recovery period

2026 Ad Valorem Tax Surcharge\$0.00191 per kWh

DEFINITIONS AND CONDITIONS

1. The Ad Valorem Tax Surcharge is intended to recover changes in the real estate and personal property taxes pursuant to K.S.A. 66-117(f).
2. The Ad Valorem Tax Surcharge shall become a part of the total bill for electric service and need not be itemized separately on the customer’s bill.
3. All provisions of this rider are subject to changes made by order of the Commission

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	Month	Day	Year
By	<u>/s/Charlotte T. Emery Senior Director of Rates & Regulatory Affairs-Electric</u>		
	Signature	Title	

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Approved **BB**
Kansas Corporation Commission
February 24, 2026
/s/ Celeste Chaney-Tucker
Executive Director