

Important Information About Return to Full Service

Detroit Edison's MPSC-approved Retail Access Service Rider governs the components of the Electric Choice Program. Section 5 titled "Term, Commencement, and Return to Full Service," specifies the Electric Choice minimum term, the notice requirement and commitment options for customers returning to Detroit Edison Full Service. The following are some key components of the Return to Service program:

- Retail Access shall have a minimum term of two years.
- Current Electric Choice Customers shall have until December 1, 2008 to provide notice of their intent to take Full Service from Detroit Edison during the following summer, defined as the billing periods from June 1 through September 30, 2009. Submission of such notice obligates the customer to return to Full Service in the month specified and to take such service for one year.
- Any customer who provides notice by the deadline, and has completed the retail access minimum term, may return without additional MPSC approved charges.
- Any customer who provides notice for summer 2009, but has not completed the retail access minimum term, shall be required to pay the higher of the applicable tariff energy prices or the market priced power charge for any power taken from the utility until they have completed the retail access minimum term.
- Any customer who fails to give notice for summer by the deadline and then takes Full Service during the summer shall be required to pay the higher of the applicable tariff energy prices plus 10%, or the market priced power charge plus 10% for any power taken from the utility (summer premium).
- Any customer, who fails to give notice by the deadline for summer 2009, and then returns to Full Service will be asked to select a return pricing option: Option 1—12-month commitment, or Option 2—Short-term Full Service with Market Pricing. Such returning customers who select Option 1, and have completed their Electric Choice minimum stay, will return to normal tariff Full Service pricing for the non-summer months, but still must pay the summer premium in 2009.