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## NGCP's CY 2023 – 1st Quarter Interest Rate for Defaulting Customers

For the 1st Quarter of 2023, defaulting customers of NGCP shall be charged an interest rate of 13.000% following the updating of interest rates among its accredited banks. This is with reference to the Module F5.2 of the Open Access Transmission Service Rules (OATS Rules) 2022 Edition which provides that,

"The Transmission Customer shall pay interest on any amounts unpaid after the due date (and including amounts placed in escrow), on the daily balance outstanding for each day that the unpaid amount remains outstanding after the due date. The rate to be imposed on the Transmission Customer's overdue account, regardless of age of account, shall be based on the highest nonprime lending rate for the current quarter among the commercial banks designated by the Transmission Network Provider."

Kindly note that for the 1st Quarter of 2023, the interest rate is lower than the CY 2022 - 4th Quarter interest rate.

To avoid incurring interest charges, kindly settle your outstanding bills on or before the due date at any BDO Branches. For customers without BDO Branches in their areas, payments should be made to any of the following NGCP-accredited banks:

| Designated Bank              | Account Number  | Branch               |
|------------------------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Land Bank of the Philippines | 2822-2220-16    | NPC Extension Branch |
| Philippine National Bank     | 108-110-0343-36 | NPC Branch           |