

BOND NUMBER _____

**INDEMNITY BOND FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE AND/OR STEAM HEAT
FURNISHED BY ALABAMA POWER COMPANY
KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,**

that _____,
as principal, and _____,
a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of _____, and
duly authorized to conduct and carry on a general surety business in the State of Alabama,
as surety, are each held and firmly bound unto the Alabama Power Company, as obligee, in
the full and just sum of _____ Dollars (\$ _____) lawful money of
the United States of America, for the payment whereof well and truly to be made the said
principal and the said surety each hereby bind themselves, their respective heirs, legal
representatives, successors and assigns, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents,

WHEREAS, the principal has applied to Alabama Power Company for electric
service and/or steam heat as applicable; and

WHEREAS, under the rules and regulations of the Alabama Public Service
Commission, it is necessary for the principal to furnish security for the prompt payment of
all electric and/or steam bills for service furnished and supplied the principal by the obligee,
regardless of service location or time of initiation of service; and

WHEREAS, the principal desires to post this bond in lieu of a cash deposit as
security for the payment of electric and/or steam heat bills,

NOW, THEREFORE, the condition of this obligation is such that if the said
principal shall well and faithfully perform the obligations herein recited and shall promptly
pay all bills rendered by the obligee to said principal for electric service and/or steam heat
service as provided in this bond and the rules and regulations of the Alabama Public
Service Commission, then the above obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain
in full force and effect, and the surety herein agrees to pay, within ten (10) days after
written demand for payment by the obligee, any delinquent electric and/or steam heat bills
rendered by the obligee to the principal herein if such bills are not paid by said principal
within fifteen (15) days from the date of the said bills.

THIS BOND IS ISSUED AND EXECUTED SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS:

1. That the surety company reserves the right to cancel this bond by giving thirty (30) days written notice to the obligee addressed to the Division Accounting Manager, Birmingham Division, Alabama Power Company, 600 North 18th Street, Birmingham, Alabama 35291-1135. On the effective date of such thirty-day cancellation notice, the surety is discharged and relieved of any liability, it being understood and agreed, however, that the said principal and surety will be liable for any loss accruing up to the effective date of said thirty-day cancellation notice, in no event, however, in excess of the penalty of this bond.
2. That it is expressly understood by the principal and surety herein that the obligee may, by giving fifteen (15) days' written notice, cancel this bond or require an endorsement hereon increasing the penal amount provided in this bond so that the said penal amount shall be equal to at least two times the amount of the highest monthly electric bill rendered by the obligee.
3. This bond shall be effective from and after the _____ day of _____, 20____.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of:

PRINCIPAL:

(SEAL)

By:

As to Principal

Its:

SURETY:

(SEAL)

By:

As to Surety

Its:

PRINCIPAL: _____

SURETY COMPANY NAME: _____

SURETY COMPANY ADDRESS: _____

SURETY COMPANY PHONE: _____

SURETY COMPANY FAX: _____

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Shown below is a separate listing of each account covered by this bond:

Account Name: _____

Account Number (10 digits): _____

Service Address (including Alabama city): _____

Secured Amount: _____

Account Name: _____

Account Number (10 digits): _____

Service Address (including Alabama city): _____

Secured Amount: _____

Account Name: _____

Account Number (10 digits): _____

Service Address (including Alabama city): _____

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