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2003 Tariff Review



Sharing the Benefits CLP Rebates \$910,000,000 to Customers

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Key Considerations for 2003 Tariff Review



- **š** CLP is fully aware of the current difficult economic environment faced by our customers
- **š** A tariff package designed to meet the needs of both residential and non-residential customers
- **Š** Total cost for this package is about HK\$910 million, or about 3.7% reduction of our 2003 electricity price, funded mainly by the Development Fund

CLP 2003 Tariff Rebate of \$910,000,000



Residential

1,770,000 customers

- š 1.5 ¢/u based on 2002 consumption; OR
- š a minimum of \$250 per customer

Non-Residential

276,000 customers

- š 1.5 ¢/u based on 2002 consumption; OR
- š a minimum of \$700 per customer
- š Extending Business Relief Rebate of 0.2 ¢/u to 2003
- S Rebate credit to customers in the first bill in 2003
- S Rebate due primarily to higher China & local sales and CLP cost control

Benefits to Residential Customers

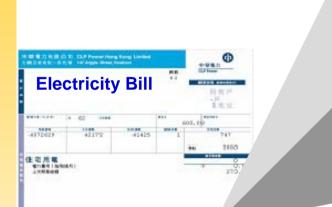


% of Customers	Monthly Consumption (kWh)	Min. Tariff Reduction	Months of Free Electricity	
20%	0 - 120	20%	> 2 months	
40%	Up to 200	12%	> 1 month	
60%	Up to 300	8%	About 1 month	
80%	Up to 490	5%	> 0.5 month	

S About 60% of Residential Customers (i.e. about 1,000,000 accounts) will enjoy one month or more of free electricity

Benefits to Residential Customers





One month FREE Electricity for 1,000,000 customers

\$250 minimum rebate amount would offer meaningful benefit for small customers







Benefits to Non-residential Customers



š General Services Tariff Customers

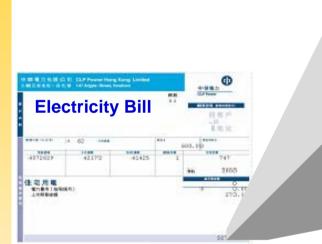
0 – 100	60%	> 7 months
Up to 380	16%	About 2 months
Up to 930	7%	About 1 month
Up to 2600	2%	>1/4 month
š Bulk Tariff Customers		
š Large Power Tariff Customers		
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S Rebate amounts for large commercial and industrial customers would be considerable through the ¢/u scheme

Benefits to General Services Tariff Customers (<20,000 units/month)



Shops



One month FREE Electricity for 160,000 Customers*

Eatery

Office

Annual Consumption	Rebate
Ω46,666 units	\$700
> 46,666 units	1.5¢/u

* 60% customers will enjoy Ø1 month free electricity

Benefits to Bulk Tariff Customers (>20,000 units/month)





Benefits to Large Power Tariff Customers

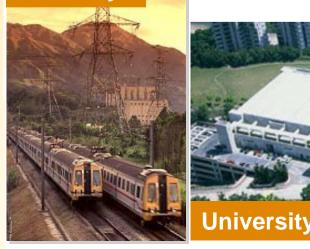


<u>Rebates:</u> \$200,000 to \$4,000,000 per Customer









CLP Shares the Benefits with the Customers



Over the years, CLP has offered the following tariff reductions:

	Effect on the Year's Electricity Price	\$M
$\check{\mathbf{S}}$ Tariff level frozen since 1998 for the 5th year	-	-
š \$50/customer Tax Rebate in 1999	-0.4%	90
Š \$200/customer Centenary Rebate in 2001	-1.7%	380
Š \$220/customer rebate in 2002, and reduction of tariff by 0.3 cents	-2.2%	560
Š 1.5¢/u rebate in 2003, based on 2002 consumption (min.\$250/Residential & \$700/non-Residential)	-3.7%	910
	Total	1,940

Summary



- **Š** CLP provides Hong Kong with a reliable electricity supply at reasonable cost
- **š** The 2003 rebates will provide immediate benefit to our customers
- **š** The per-unit rebates will benefit large customers
- **š** Small customers will enjoy at least one month free electricity from minimum rebates

CLP shares the result of our hard work with the customers



CLP strives to work for the long term benefit of Hong Kong