## Response 1b DELINQUENT SERVICE FEE

		Cost Justific	Cost Justification Filed 5/3/2024			Cost Justification Filed 9/22/1999			Difference		
		<u>Hours</u>	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>	Hours	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>	Hours	<u>Rate</u>	<u>Total</u>	
1 Field Expense											
Α	Materials	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
В	Labor	1.1229	44.04	49.45	1.00	20.60	20.60	0.1229	23.44	28.85	
Subtotal		1.1229	44.04	49.45	1.00	20.60	20.60	0.1229	23.44	28.85	
2 Clerical & Office Expense											
Α	Supplies	-	1.11	1.11	-	-	-	-	1.11	1.11	
В	Labor	0.1997	33.22	6.63		-		0.1997	33.22	6.63	
Subtotal		0.1997	34.33	7.74	-	-		0.1997	34.33	7.74	
3 Miscellaneous Expense											
Α	Transportation	1.1229	10.00	11.23	1.00	6.20	6.20	0.1229	3.80	5.03	
В	Other		-	-		-	-		-	-	
Subtotal		1.1229	10.00	11.23	1.00	6.20	6.20	0.1229	3.80	5.03	
Total			=	\$68.42		=	\$26.80		_	\$41.62	

## **EXPLANATION:**

- 1B Field labor costs have increased over 24+ years since last cost justification filed. Labor expense includes both wages and employee overhead.
- 2A Cost of plastic seal secured on cutoff when service disconnected for non-payment.
- 2B No clerical expense was itemized in cost justification filed in 1999. Clerical expense consists of preparing collection list for field collector, reviewing broken arrangement report, adding collection notes on delinquent accounts, reconciling field collectors list at the end of the day, and keying payments received by field collector. Labor expense includes both wages and employee overhead.
- 3A Transportation costs have increased over 24+ years since last cost justification filed.