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- 5.3** All applicable charges shall be due and payable to AF on the payment date of the respective period, as specified in the applicable offer. For any unpaid amounts, an interest rate for late payment of 1 percent per month but in no case exceeding the highest rate permitted by applicable law shall apply.

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