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This refers to the various inquiries received by the National Electrification Administration (NEA) relative to the interpretation on the equivalence of a Professional Electrical Engineer (PEE) to a master's degree holder as enshrined in Professional Regulatory Commission (PRC) Board of Electrical Engineering Resolution No. 06, Series of 2021.

For a clear interpretation and proper guidance on this matter, the NEA sought advice from the PRC. On 17 November 2023, the NEA received PRC's response, which states that:

***"The Professional Regulatory Board of Electrical Engineering (Board) would like to confirm that the Commission has indeed recognized the PEE as equivalent to a master's degree in electrical engineering, as provided in the Board Resolution No. 6, Series of 2021. This recognition is in alignment with the Philippine Qualifications Framework (PQF) Law and the corresponding regulations set by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED)."***

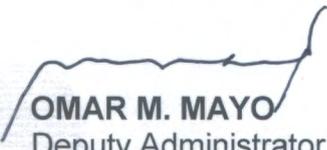
*As of the latest update, the PEE has been registered in the Philippine Qualifications Register (PhQuar) at Level 7. This level corresponds to the equivalent of a master's degree, as defined by the Commission on Higher Education. This recognition underscores the high level of expertise and competence attained by Professional Electrical Engineers, making them truly stand out in their field".*

In view hereof, NEA hereby amends the un-numbered Memorandum dated 20 October 1997 or the "Policy on the Qualification Standards for the Department Managers of Electric Cooperatives", to read:

### III. Technical Manager

3.b A master's degree holder in any related field, such as Masters in Engineering, etc., or a **Professional Electrical Engineer**.

For your guidance.

  
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