

## Republic of the Philippines National Electrification Administration

**Quezon City** 

12 February 2009

## **MEMORANDUM** No. <u>2009-003</u> \_

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ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES (ECs)

SUBJECT :

**Conduct of District Elections** 

This is to remind ECs on the conduct of district elections for Board Directors which must be religiously followed as provided for under the EC By-laws and in compliance with relevant NEA rules and regulations.

Only requests for deferment with justifications which fall under the reasons provided in the NEA Board of Administrators Resolution No. 131, s. 2004 shall be processed. The following are the only allowable grounds for postponement:

- 1. Unstable peace and order situation;
- 2. Violence, terrorism, loss or destruction of election paraphernalia, or records;
- 3. Force majeure;
- 4. The conduct of election had been enjoined by a Temporary Restraining Order or Injunction by a competent court; and
- 5. The NEA had exercised its authority to defer the district election on the EC's implementation of its Performance Improvement Plan where the continuing assistance of its incumbent Board of Directors is deemed vital in such implementation.

Thus, all district elections shall be held as scheduled in order to forestall problems that might distract achievement of objectives towards coop stability. The regular conduct of your district elections is a demonstration of your commitment to secure a fresh mandate and further strengthen the bond of partnership with your member-consumers and other stakeholders.

Your compliance is strictly enjoined.

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