

ADVISORY

TO

ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES (ECs)

SUBJECT

WAIVER OF LGU FEES/CHARGES FOR ELECTRIC SERVICE

CONNECTION OF MARGINALIZED HOUSEHOLDS

DATE

April 19, 2018

This has reference to the status of household electrification at the areas served by the Electric Cooperatives (ECs). As of December 31, 2017 there are still 2,399,108 potential households which remain unelectrified.

Though the ECs have successfully constructed and installed hundreds of thousands of kilometer of lines countrywide, the several requirements and the permit fees being charged by the Local Government Unit (LGU) have greatly hampered the household connections.

To address this concern, a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between Department of Energy and Department of Interior Local Government (DILG) was proposed.

To jumpstart the discussion with the DILG, the list of municipalities who have either waived or not waived the fees/charges for electric service connection of marginalized households is necessary. Thus, may we request the ECs to kindly provide us the data by checking the appropriate column in the attached form. You may also download this template at NEA website.

Please submit the accomplished form at NEA-ATEO or email at nearluzonsitios@yahoo.com, neavisayassitios@yahoo.com and neavisayassitios@yahoo.com and neavisayassitios@yahoo.com and neavisayassitios@yahoo.com

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