



ADVISORY

TO : ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES
SUBJECT : IMPLEMENTATION OF SEP/BLEP PROJECTS
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After evaluation of the Commission on Audit (COA) on the implementation of Sitio Electrification Program (SEP) and Barangay Line Enhancement Program (BLEP) of various Electric Cooperatives (ECs), the following are their observations:

1. Non-energization of a large number of SEP and BLEP projects which delays or compromises the attainment of total electrification. It also deprived the intended beneficiaries of the maximum benefits that could be derived from the program thus, may result to waste of government funds.
2. The ECs' metering standard pole connections charges added to the permit fees of the Local Government Unit (LGU) and the EC hampered the household connections.
3. The housewiring materials issued to the intended beneficiaries were not compliant with NEA Memorandum No. 2011-024.

The success of SEP/BLEP can be measured by the number of household connection and the impact to the lives of our rural people. To attain these objectives, the ECs are enjoined to comply with the following:

1. Accelerate the energization of the completed SEP/BLEP projects.
2. Facilitate the implementation of the housewiring program in compliance with NEA Memorandum No. 2011-024.
3. Assists the potential household beneficiaries in securing requirements for electricity connections through waiver of the initial cost of connection or an affordable repayment scheme based on the capacity of the consumers.
4. Provide support and assistance to the marginalized consumers through sustainable livelihood projects to capacitate them to pay the cost of electricity.

For your compliance.


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