



05 February 2018

MEMORANDUM NO. 2018-009

TO : ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES

SUBJECT : DEFERMENT OF DISTRICT ELECTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY 2018


Republic Act No. 9164 known as the "Synchronized Barangay and SK Elections Act" mandates the conduct of Barangay and SK Election on the last Monday of October. The Commission on Elections (COMELEC) in its Resolution No. 10246, promulgated on 15 January 2018, prescribed the calendar of activities and period of certain prohibited acts in connection with the 14 May 2018 Synchronized Barangay and Sangguniang Kabataan (SK) Elections, thus, confirming the holding of elections as mandated by law.

The conduct of Barangay and SK Elections necessarily calls for deferment of the ECs holding of district elections to avoid any possible confusion among the electorate in the event that their elections are held within the same month of May.

Accordingly, all ECs shall defer the holding of all district elections set in May 2018; all such elections are hereby directed to be held instead in June 2018.

However, it should be emphasized that all Directors elected in the deferred elections shall assume office immediately upon oath taking and shall serve the remaining portion of the term of office of three (3) years.

Likewise, the Annual General Membership Assembly (AGMA) **may** be deferred should the Board of Directors, in its discretion, find that the conduct thereof may affect or may be affected by the political activities ensuing then. Should the AGMA set in May be deferred, the same shall be held in June 2018.


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