



April 5, 2018

**MEMORANDUM No. 2018-020**

**TO :** ALL ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES (ECs)

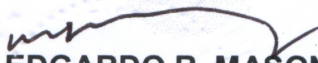
**SUBJECT :** Submission of Masterplan in Addressing the Barriers to Attain Total Electrification

As agreed upon during the Meeting-Dialogue of the EC General Managers with the DOE Secretary Alfonso G. Cusi on March 22, 2018, all ECs are directed to prepare and submit their respective Masterplan in Addressing the Barriers to Attain Total Electrification to the Department of Energy (DOE) on or before **May 30, 2018**, copy furnished NEA.

The Masterplan should contain a comprehensive inventory of unserved and underserved areas, specific problems/barriers on capacity, distribution and household connection concerns, among others, including action plans, detailed programs with corresponding recommendations and timelines, and the required assistance from the government.

The Masterplan may also include power generation projects and the appropriate/potential technologies for areas identified for off-grid electrification. There is no specific template of the Masterplan required to allow the ECs greater flexibility in including all programs and projects specific or peculiar to the EC's franchise areas and strategic directions in the pursuit of rural development through Rural Electrification.

For your compliance.

  
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