

Republic of the Philippines
ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
San Miguel Avenue, Pasig City



**IN THE MATTER OF VIOLATION OF ERC
ORDERS, RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**ERC CASE NO. 2007- 005MC
RE: Failure to Submit the
2005 Annual Report**

**LA UNION ELECTRIC COMPANY, INC.
(LUECO),**

Respondent.

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D O C K E T E D
Date: **FEB 17 2010**
By: *[Signature]*

DECISION

On January 3, 2007, the Commission issued a Show Cause Order directing La Union Electric Company, Inc. (LUECO), among other Distribution Utilities (DUs), to submit to the Commission its explanation under oath why no administrative penalty should be imposed upon it, and/or criminal action instituted against its directors and officers, for its violation of the Commission's directive to submit its 2005 Annual Report on or before October 31, 2006.

On June 14, 2007, LUECO submitted its 2005 Annual Report.

Finding its submission as substantial compliance with the Commission's directive, albeit done belatedly, in the interest of justice, the Commission deems it proper, at this time, to simply issue a reprimand to LUECO for its failure to comply with the Commission's directive on time.

WHEREFORE, the foregoing premises considered, respondent La Union Electric Company, Inc. (LUECO) is hereby **REPRIMANDED** for the delay in the submission of its 2005 Annual Report and **WARNED** that a similar offense in the future shall be dealt with more severely.

SO ORDERED.

Pasig City, February 3, 2010

FOR AND BY AUTHORITY
OF THE COMMISSION:


ALEJANDRO Z. BARIN
Commissioner *4*

Reference No. 2010-D1-D026
jsp/fact/ngc/LUECO reprimand Order

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