

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE  
 APPLICATION FOR THE APPROVAL  
 OF THE PROPOSED GUIDELINES  
 FOR THE SETTING OF ELECTRIC  
 GENERATION RATES AND  
 SUBSIDIES FOR MISSIONARY  
 ELECTRIFICATION AREAS



ERC CASE NO. 2004-450

NATIONAL POWER CORPORATION –  
 SMALL POWER UTILITIES GROUP  
 (NPC-SPUG),

Applicant.

X ----- X

D O C K E T E D  
 Date: JUN 07 2005  
 By: erc

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC CONSULTATION**

Notice is hereby given of the continuation of the public consultation on the proposed guidelines for the setting of electric generation rates and subsidies for missionary electrification areas filed by applicant National Power Corporation – Small Power Utilities Group (NPC-SPUG) at Zamboanga City following this schedule:

General Island Group	Date and Time of the Public Consultation	Venue
<i>Western Mindanao Islands Group</i> SPUG areas	June 21, 2005 (Tuesday) 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.	Perlita Hotel, Mayor Jaldon Street, Zamboanga City

The concerned and interested parties should submit their comments (both hard and soft copies) on the proposed guidelines on or before June 21, 2005 (for the *Western Mindanao Islands Group* SPUG Areas). Only parties who have filed their written comments on or before the prescribed period would be allowed to participate in the above scheduled date of public consultation. This Notice of Public Consultation would be immediately posted at the ERC Website

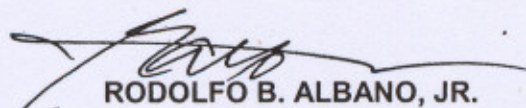
at [www.erc.gov.ph](http://www.erc.gov.ph). The proposed guidelines may be *photocopied at cost*, during regular office hours at the ERC Main Office at the above-mentioned address or may be downloaded from the ERC Website at same address.

It is to be noted that copies of the proposed guidelines have *already* been provided along with the Order and Notice of Public Consultation dated April 21, 2005 to the five (5) concerned western Mindanao electric cooperatives (namely, Basilan Electric Cooperative, Inc. (BASELCO), Sulu Electric Cooperative, Inc. (SULECO), Siasi Electric Cooperative, Inc. (SIASELCO), Cagayan de Sulu Electric Cooperative, Inc. (CASELCO), Tawi-Tawi Electric Cooperative, Inc. (TAWELCO) as well as to the Municipal Mayors of the municipalities (Local Government Units or LGUs) within their franchise areas. However, copies of this Notice of Public Consultation would be furnished the above through mail.

Applicant NPC-SPUG is ordered to closely coordinate with Growth With Equity in Mindanao (GEM, who requested for the continuation of the public consultation in Zamboanga City) and the Chambers of Commerce of Basilan, Tawi-Tawi and Sulu; the concerned electric cooperatives in western Mindanao and the LGUs; and other consumer groups for the purpose of full participation in the public consultation.

**Pasig City, June 7, 2005.**

FOR AND BY AUTHORITY  
OF THE COMMISSION:

  
**RODOLFO B. ALBANO, JR.**  
Chairman 