

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



IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL OF OVER/UNDER RECOVERIES BASED ON THE FORMULA ON THE VARIOUS AUTOMATIC COST ADJUSTMENT AND TRUE-UP MECHANISMS AND CORRESPONDING CONFIRMATION PROCESS PURSUANT TO ERC RESOLUTION NO. 16, SERIES OF 2009 AS AMENDED BY RESOLUTION NO. 21, SERIES OF 2010 AND ERC RESOLUTION NO. 23, SERIES OF 2010

ERC CASE NO. 2014-011 CF

ZAMBALES I ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INC. (ZAMECO I),

Applicant.

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Date: SEP 06 2016
By: [Signature]

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

Notice is hereby given that on 21 March 2014, Zambales I Electric Cooperative, Inc. (ZAMECO I) filed an application for approval of over/under recoveries based on the formula on the various Automatic Cost Adjustment and True Up Mechanisms and corresponding confirmation process pursuant to the Commission's

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Resolution No. 16¹, Series of 2009 as amended by Resolution No. 21², Series of 2010 and Resolution No. 23³, Series of 2010.

On 8 May 2014, the Commission issued an Order and a Notice of Public Hearing setting the Application for jurisdictional hearing, expository presentation, pre-trial conference and evidentiary hearing on 29 May 2014.

During the hearing on 29 May 2014, Applicant ZAMECO I manifested through its counsel that it was not able to comply with the jurisdictional requirements pursuant to the Order dated 08 May 2014 of the Commission due to material lack of time. Likewise, Applicant submitted in the said hearing a copy of its *Motion to Reset Hearing* dated 28 May 2014 for the resetting of the scheduled hearing of the instant Application. Subsequently, the Commission noted Applicant's manifestation and *Motion to Reset Hearing* dated 28 May 2014 and declared that the Commission will issue the necessary order for the resetting of the instant Application.

In view of the foregoing, the Commission hereby sets the instant Application for jurisdictional hearing, expository presentation, pre-trial conference, and evidentiary hearing on **17 October 2016 (Monday) at two o'clock in the afternoon (2:00 P.M.) at the ERC Hearing Room, 15th Floor, Pacific Center Building, San Miguel Avenue, Pasig City.**

All persons who have an interest in the subject matter of the proceeding may become a party by filing, at least five (5) days prior to the initial hearing and subject to the requirements in the ERC's Rules of Practice and Procedure, a verified petition with the Commission giving the docket number and title of the proceeding and stating: (1) the petitioner's name and address; (2) the nature of petitioner's interest in the subject matter of the proceeding, and the way and manner in which such interest is affected by the issues involved in the proceeding; and (3) a statement of the relief desired.

All other persons who may want their views known to the Commission with respect to the subject matter of the proceeding may file their opposition to the application or comment thereon at any stage of the proceeding before the applicant concludes the

¹ Entitled, "A Resolution Adopting the Rules Governing the Automatic Cost Adjustment and True-Up Mechanisms and Corresponding Confirmation Process for Distribution Utilities."


² Entitled, "A Resolution Amending Section 4 of Article 4 and Section 1 of Article 5 of the Rules Governing the Automatic Cost Adjustment and True-Up Mechanisms and Corresponding Confirmation Process for Distribution Utilities."

³ Entitled, "A Resolution Adopting the Rules Implementing the Discounts to Qualified Senior Citizens and End-Users and Subsidy from the Subsidizing End-Users on Electricity Consumption Under Sections 4&5 of Republic Act No. 9994."

presentation of its evidence. No particular form of opposition or comment is required, but the document, letter or writing should contain the name and address of such person and a concise statement of the opposition or comment and the grounds relied upon.

All such persons who wish to have a copy of the application may request from the applicant that they be furnished with the same, prior to the date of the initial hearing. The applicant is hereby directed to furnish all those making such request with copies of the application and its attachments, subject to the reimbursement of reasonable photocopying costs. Any such person may likewise examine the application and other pertinent records filed with the Commission during the standard office hours.

WITNESS, the Honorable Chairman **JOSE VICENTE B. SALAZAR**, and the Honorable Commissioners **ALFREDO J. NON**, **GLORIA VICTORIA C. YAP-TARUC**, **JOSEFINA PATRICIA A. MAGPALE-ASIRIT**, and **GERONIMO D. STA. ANA**, **Energy Regulatory Commission**, this 30th day of August 2016 at Pasig City.


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