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MEMORANDUM

TO : ALL RIATF XII MEMBERS, ALL RTF ON COVID-19 MEMBERS, LOCAL CHIEF EXECUTIVES, DILG PDs / CD / CLGOO OF COTABATO CITY AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT : JOINT RIATF - EID XII - RTF ON COVID - 19 RESOLUTIONS NOS. 2020 - 35 - A, 35 - B, 35 - C, 35- D, 35 - E, 35- F

DATE : November 6, 2020

Attached are copies of the Resolutions approved during the Joint RIATF-EID XII - RTF on COVID-19 Virtual Meeting held on October 21, 2020, to wit:

- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - A entitled "Resolution Urging all LGUs of Region XII with Level 1 and Level 2 Hospitals to have its Health Care Workers Capacitated on Managing Covid-19 Cases as well as improving their Competencies on Infection, Prevention and Control of the Virus";
- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - B entitled "Resolution Allowing Inter-Regional Operation of Transportation in Region XII Subject to the Reasonable Regulations Imposed by the LGUs";
- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - C entitled "Resolution Enjoining the Distribution Utilities (DUs) in SOCCSKSARGEN and the National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) to maintain Safe and Reliable Electric Power System Facilities to help minimize the Occurrence of Power Interruptions";
- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - D entitled "Resolution Enjoining the Local Government Units (LGUs) to Support/Assist the Distribution Utilities (DUs) and the National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) in their efforts to Clear their Overhead Power Lines from Possible Sources of Electrical Faults and/or any Obstruction per RA 11361 (Anti Obstruction and Power Lines Act) and its IRR";
- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - E entitled "Resolution Enjoining the Local Government Units (LGUs) to Facilitate/Assist in the Permitting

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Requirements of Distribution Utilities, National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP), and their respective Contractors for Projects to Improve the Quality and Reliability of Power in the Region"; and

- Resolution No. 2020 - 35 - F entitled "Resolution Requesting the City Government of General Santos to help Expedite the Preventive Maintenance Works for the South Cotabato II Electric Cooperative, Incorporated (SOCOTECO II) Substations".

For information, guidance and/or appropriate action.



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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-A

October 21, 2020

RESOLUTION URGING ALL LGUs OF REGION XII WITH LEVEL 1 AND LEVEL 2 HOSPITALS TO HAVE ITS HEALTH CARE WORKERS CAPACITATED ON MANAGING COVID-19 CASES AS WELL AS IMPROVING THEIR COMPETENCIES ON INFECTION, PREVENTION AND CONTROL OF THE VIRUS

WHEREAS, IATF Resolution No. 75-A placed the entire Region under the Modified General Community (MGCQ) status effective October 1-31, 2020 without prejudice to the declaration of Localized Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) in critical areas. General Santos City has also been considered an area with increased risk of transmission; whereby, the NTF and DILG were tasked to ensure the strict implementation of Zoning Containment Strategy, strict enforcement of minimum health standards, intensified tracing and quarantine of close contacts and isolation of confirmed cases;

WHEREAS, DOH-CHD XII reported that as of October 20, 2020, the Region has a total of 2,189 confirmed cases of whom 1,504 have fully recovered, 64 deaths and 620 are currently under quarantine or confined in the referral hospitals. A total of 288 cases was added in a span of seven days or an average of 41 cases per day;

WHEREAS, DOH-CHD XII also reported that Cotabato Regional Medical Center (CRMC) remains the lone COVID-19 referral hospital in the Region for severe and critical patients while 21 other referral hospitals are catering patients with mild and moderate symptoms. Further, due to direct contact of the health workers to

confirmed patients as part of the nature of their work, at least 230 of them were infected with 63 still under quarantine or in referral hospitals;

WHEREAS, DOH Department Memorandum No. 2020-0171 entitled, "Interim Guidelines on Surge Capacity Management of All Health Facilities during the COVID-19 Pandemic, requires the health facilities, whether private or government to undertake the following:

- Activate Hospital Emergency Incident Command System;
- Identify spaces within the health facility premises to accommodate additional patients and provide additional beds; and
- Ensure all staff are re-oriented on the hospital's Infections Prevention and Control Program and Procedures for COVID-19 xxx;


NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of RD Ramos and jointly seconded by RD Tan, RD Morante, and RD Jamias; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Urge all LGUs of Region XII with Level 1 and Level 2 Hospitals to have its Health Care Workers Capacitated on Managing COVID-19 Cases as well as Improving their Competencies on Infection, Prevention, and Control of the Virus;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for information and policy support. The same copy to be furnished to Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors of Region XII, members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19, and all Levels 1 and 2 Hospitals in the Region, for their information and/or appropriate action.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

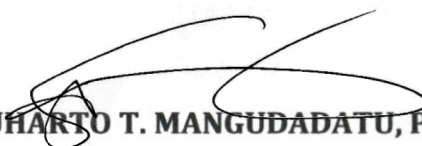
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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-B

October 21, 2020

**RESOLUTION ALLOWING INTER-REGIONAL OPERATION OF PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION IN
REGION XII SUBJECT TO THE REASONABLE REGULATIONS IMPOSED BY THE LGUs**

WHEREAS, per Omnibus Guidelines on the Implementation of Community Quarantine in the Philippines dated October 15, 2020, the IATF approved the minimum protocols to be observed by areas under the Modified General Community Quarantine status. Specifically, Section 5 requires the strict implementation of the following:

- The movement of all persons in areas under MGCQ shall be limited to accessing essential goods and services, for work in the offices or industries permitted to operate hereunder xxx;
- The road, rail, maritime, and aviation sectors of public transportation shall be allowed to operate at the capacity in accordance with guidelines issued by DOTR. Provided, that in all public transports, a strict one meter distance between passengers shall be observed and appropriate engineering controls shall be in place;

WHEREAS, IATF Resolution No. 75-A placed the entire Region under the Modified General Community (MGCQ) status effective October 1 to 31, 2020;

WHEREAS, DOH-CHD XII reported that as of October 20, 2020, the Region has a total of 2,189 confirmed cases of whom 1,504 have fully recovered, 64 deaths and 620 are currently under quarantine or confined in the referral hospitals. A total of 288 cases was added in a span of seven days or an average of 41 cases per day;

WHEREAS, LTFRB Memorandum Circular Number 2020-061 requires the following health protocols to be observed in all PUVs:

- Passengers must be one seat apart inside the PUVs. Passengers shall be allowed to sit beside each other provided that plastic barriers are installed between them;
- All passengers while inside the PUV must wear face masks and face shields, must not eat and talk, and observe the physical distancing at all times;
- Operators and drivers must provide adequate ventilation in their units; and
- Proper and frequent disinfection of units should be observed;

WHEREAS, the RIATF-EID XII and RTF COVID-19 XII during its weekly meeting on October 7, 2020 approved a Resolution Adopting the COVID-19 Order No. 3 Pertaining to Point-to-Point Transportation Scheme in Region 12. The issuance provides the minimum requirements in allowing the operation of public vehicles within the Region;

WHEREAS, the RTF-COVID 19, through the TWG on Point to-Point Transportation Scheme in Region 12, oriented all of the public transportation groups and cooperatives regarding the COVID-19 Order No. 3 and other recent issuances of LTFRB related to the operation of the public vehicles in areas under MGCQ last October 23, 2020;

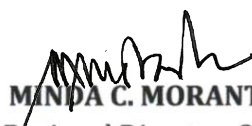
NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of RD Gonzaga and duly seconded by RD Padua; **BE IT RESOLVED**, as it is hereby resolved, to Allow Inter-regional Operation of Public Transportation in Region XII Subject to the Reasonable Regulations Imposed by the LGUs;

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to the IATF-EID and NTF COVID-19 for information and policy support. The same copy to be furnished to Provincial Governors, City and Municipal Mayors of Region XII, members of RIATF-EID XII & RTF COVID-19, and Pubic Utility Vehicles transport groups and cooperatives for their information and/or appropriate action.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

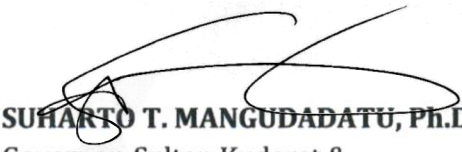
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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-C

October 21, 2020

ENJOINING THE DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES (DUs) IN SOCCSKSARGEN AND THE NATIONAL GRID CORPORATION OF THE PHILIPPINES (NGCP) TO MAINTAIN SAFE AND RELIABLE ELECTRIC POWER SYSTEM FACILITIES TO HELP MINIMIZE THE OCCURRENCE OF POWER INTERRUPTIONS

- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Republic Act 11361 otherwise known as “An Act Ensuring the Continuous and Uninterrupted Transmission and Distribution of Electricity and the Protection of the Integrity and Reliability of Power Lines, and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof”, it is the policy of the State to ensure the uninterrupted conveyance of electricity from generating plants to end-users;
- WHEREAS,** the State shall protect the integrity and reliability of the country’s transmission, sub-transmission, and distribution systems by keeping the Power Line Corridor or the land beneath, the air spaces surrounding, and the area traversed by power lines clear of dangerous obstructions;
- WHEREAS,** based on the 2019 Demand and Supply Report of the Department of Energy (DOE), power supply in Mindanao was adequate and will continue to be sufficient in 2020 given the Dependable Capacity of the Mindanao Grid at 3,832 MW, with its peak demand recorded at 2,013 MW in 2019, and 1,978 MW in January 2020;
- WHEREAS,** even with the sufficient dependable capacity of the grid, the SOCCSKSARGEN Region Distribution Utilities (DUs) recorded a total of four hundred (400) incidents of power interruptions from July 1 – September 30, 2020;
- WHEREAS,** the DOE-Mindanao Field Office (DOE-MFO) facilitated the conduct of a virtual meeting with the Region XII Power Stakeholders on October 2, 2020, to discuss and address issues and

concerns confronting the delivery of power in the region including, among others, frequent power interruptions and possible connection of the municipalities under the missionary electrification to the Mindanao Grid ;

WHEREAS, during the said meeting, it was identified that the common causes of power interruptions are the following: a) occurrence of electrical line faults due to vegetation along the overhead power lines especially during inclement weather, b) wildlife electrocution; c) accidental damages such as vehicular accidents hitting distribution facilities; d) system failure; e) unplanned external/uncontrollable factors, and e) planned transmission line outages for scheduled line maintenance;

WHEREAS, one of the agreements during the said meeting was for DUs to incorporate in their plan of action the conduct of massive power line clearing activities in coordination with the concerned LGUs and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), complete the repair and energization of damaged vital facilities and conduct regular inspection of their respective power lines;

WHEREAS, the proactive stance identified by the power and energy sector is consistent with the strategies identified in the SOCCSKSARGEN Regional Recovery Plan, 2020-2022 Volume 2, necessary to maintain an adequate, stable, and reliable power supply to support the operations of critical infrastructure and facilities such as hospitals, factories engaged in manufacturing essential goods and ICT equipment during the COVID-19 pandemic and even as we adapt to a new normal state;


NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Regional Director Teresita Socorro C. Ramos of the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) XII and Regional Director Macario D. Gonzaga of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) XII, **BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED,** That RTF XII on COVID-19 and RIATF XII-MEID enjoins the DUs in SOCCSKSARGEN and the NGCP to maintain safe and reliable electric power system facilities to help minimize the occurrence of power interruptions in the region.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution, be forwarded to all concerned entities for information, support, and appropriate action.


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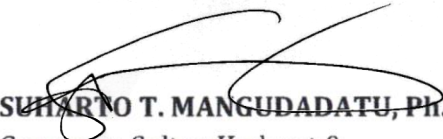
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EXCERPTS FROM THE HIGHLIGHTS OF THE JOINT VIRTUAL MEETING OF THE REGIONAL INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON EMERGING INFECTIOUS DISEASE (RIATF-EID) XII AND REGIONAL TASK FORCE COVID-19 XII HELD ON OCTOBER 21, 2020 9:30 AM

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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-D

October 21, 2020

ENJOINING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs) TO SUPPORT/ASSIST THE DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES (DUs) AND THE NATIONAL GRID CORPORATION OF THE PHILIPPINES (NGCP) IN THEIR EFFORTS TO CLEAR THEIR OVERHEAD POWER LINES FROM POSSIBLE SOURCES OF ELECTRICAL FAULTS AND/OR ANY OBSTRUCTION PER RA 11361 (ANTI OBSTRUCTION AND POWER LINES ACT) AND ITS IRR

- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Republic Act 11361 otherwise known as "An Act Ensuring the Continuous and Uninterrupted Transmission and Distribution of Electricity and the Protection of the Integrity and Reliability of Power Lines, and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof", it is the policy of the State to ensure the uninterrupted conveyance of electricity from generating plants to end-users;
- WHEREAS,** the State shall protect the integrity and reliability of the country's transmission, sub-transmission, and distribution systems by keeping the land beneath, the air spaces surrounding, and the area traversed by power lines clear of dangerous obstructions
- WHEREAS,** based on the 2019 Demand and Supply Report of the Department of Energy (DOE), power supply in Mindanao was adequate and will continue to be sufficient in 2020 given the Dependable Capacity of the Mindanao Grid at 3,832 MW, with its peak demand recorded at 2,013 MW in 2019, and 1,978 MW in January 2020;
- WHEREAS,** even with the sufficient dependable capacity of the grid, the SOCCSKSARGEN Region Distribution Utilities (DUs) recorded a total of four hundred (400) incidents of power interruptions from July 1 – September 30, 2020;

WHEREAS, the DOE-Mindanao Field Office (DOE-MFO) facilitated the conduct of a Virtual Meeting with the Region XII Power Stakeholders on October 2, 2020, to discuss and address issues and concerns confronting the delivery of power in the region including, among others, frequent power interruptions and possible connection of the municipalities under the missionary electrification to the Mindanao Grid ;

WHEREAS, during the said meeting, it was identified that the common causes of power interruptions are the following: a) occurrence of electrical line faults due to vegetation along the overhead power lines especially during inclement weather, b) wildlife electrocution; c) accidental damages such as vehicular accidents hitting distribution facilities; d) system failure; e) unplanned external / uncontrollable factors, and f) planned transmission line outages for scheduled line maintenance;

WHEREAS, one of the agreements during the said meeting was for DUs to incorporate in their plan of action the conduct of massive power line clearing activities in coordination with the concerned LGUs and the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), complete the repair and energization of damaged vital facilities and conduct regular inspection of their respective power lines;

WHEREAS, the Philippine National Police (PNP) and the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), were also enjoined to help assist the owner or operator of the power lines in their performance of the acts, when deemed necessary, as enunciated under Section 9 of the Republic Act (RA) 11361 or the Anti Obstruction and Power Lines Act;


NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Regional Director Teresita Socorro C. Ramos of the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) XII and Regional Director Macario D. Gonzaga of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) XII, **BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED,** That RTF XII on COVID-19 and RIATF XII-MEID enjoins the LGUs to support/assist the DUs and the NGCP in their efforts to clear their overhead power lines from possible sources of electrical faults and/or any obstruction per RA 11361 (Anti Obstruction and Power Lines Act) and its IRR.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that a copy of this resolution, be forwarded to all concerned entities for information, support, and appropriate action.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.


Attested by:


LAILYN A. ORTIZ, CESO V
Assistant Regional Director, DILG XII &
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MINDA C. MORANTE
Regional Director, OCD XII &
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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-E
October 21, 2020

ENJOINING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUs) TO FACILITATE/ASSIST IN THE PERMITTING REQUIREMENTS OF DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES, NATIONAL GRID CORPORATION OF THE PHILIPPINES (NGCP), AND THEIR RESPECTIVE CONTRACTORS FOR PROJECTS TO IMPROVE THE QUALITY AND RELIABILITY OF POWER IN THE REGION

- WHEREAS,** Section 2 of Republic Act (RA) 9136, also known as the “Electric Power Industry Reform Act of 2001”, states that it is the declared policy of the State to ensure and accelerate the total electrification of the country, and to enhance the inflow of private capital and broaden the ownership base of the power generation, transmission and distribution sectors;
- WHEREAS,** DOE’s Philippine Energy Plan (PEP), 2017-2040 integrates the sectoral energy plans and programs, and specific targets covering all phases of energy development and utilization to mainstream access of the larger populace to reliable and affordable energy services to fuel local productivity and countryside development;
- WHEREAS,** the Energy Investment Coordinating Council was created by virtue of Executive Order 30, series of 2017, to spearhead and coordinate national government efforts to harmonize, integrate and streamline regulatory processes, requirements, and forms relevant to the development of energy investments in the country;
- WHEREAS,** SOCCSKSARGEN Region is one of the regions in Mindanao that experiences frequent intermittent power interruptions from the period July 1-September 30, 2020, which according to the reports submitted to



DOE is caused by the following: a) vegetation; b) wildlife electrocution; c) transient faults; d) system failure; e) external/uncontrollable factors; and f) scheduled line maintenance;

WHEREAS, the RTF XII on COVID-19 ERC deliberated on the issues confronting the delivery of power services of the distribution utilities in the region during its 10th Virtual Meeting on 16 October 2020;

WHEREAS, one of the issues raised by the representatives of distribution utilities was the non-implementation of critical projects such as the construction of additional sub-station in the region to maintain reliability and increase the capacity requirement of substation facilities due to difficulty in securing the "Certificate of No Objection", a pre-requisite for permitting requirements of LGUs in putting up energy projects in the region;

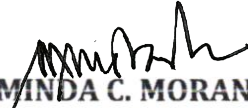
NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Regional Director Teresita Socorro C. Ramos of the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) XII and Regional Director Macario D. Gonzaga of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) XII, **BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, That RTF XII on COVID-19 and RIATF XII-MEID enjoins the Local Government Units (LGUs) to facilitate/assist in the permitting requirements of distribution utilities, National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP), and their respective contractors for projects to improve the quality and reliability of power in the region.

RESOLVED FURTHER, That a copy of this resolution, be forwarded to all concerned entities for information, support, and appropriate action.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.


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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-035-F

October 21, 2020

REQUESTING THE CITY GOVERNMENT OF GENERAL SANTOS TO HELP EXPEDITE THE PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE WORKS FOR THE SOUTH COTABATO II ELECTRIC COOPERATIVE, INCORPORATED (SOCOTECO II) SUBSTATIONS

- WHEREAS,** pursuant to Republic Act 11361 otherwise known as "An Act Ensuring the Continuous and Uninterrupted Transmission and Distribution of Electricity and the Protection of the Integrity and Reliability of Power Lines, and Providing Penalties for Violations Thereof", it is the policy of the State to ensure the uninterrupted conveyance of electricity from generating plants to end-users;
- WHEREAS,** the State shall protect the integrity and reliability of the country's transmission, sub-transmission, and distribution systems by keeping the land beneath, the air spaces surrounding, and the area traversed by power lines clear of dangerous obstructions;
- WHEREAS,** SOCOTECO II is a non-stock and non-profit electric cooperative, supervised and regulated by the National Electrification Administration (NEA) covering the areas of General Santos City, Sarangani Province, and the Municipalities of Tupi and Polomolok in South Cotabato Province;
- WHEREAS,** the said electric cooperative maintains ten (10) substations and other vital installations located at General Santos City which require regular preventive maintenance to efficiently provide power services to its covered areas;



WHEREAS, during the emergence of the COVID-19 pandemic, the local chief executive of General Santos City issued Executive Order No. 19, series of 2020 on March 20, 2020, placing the entire City of General Santos under Enhanced Community (ECQ) which restricted non-essential travels within the City;

WHEREAS, per recommendation of the city to the Regional Inter-agency Task Force XII for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease (RIATF XII-EID), subsequent Executive Orders were issued extending the period of community quarantine and implemented border lockdown which suspended public transportation routes into the city due to increasing confirmed COVID-19 cases in the area;

WHEREAS, the issuance of an extended period of community quarantine, stringent implementation of the quarantine protocols, and implementation of border lockdown prevented the service provider of the SOCOTECO II which comes from Cagayan de Oro City to conduct regular preventive maintenance, repair, and replacement of its damaged facilities;

WHEREAS, during its 10th Virtual Meeting, the RTF XII on COVID-19-ERC deliberated on the matter and found merit in the explanations and request of SOCOTECO II and other Distribution Utilities (DUs) in the region to assist them in fast-tracking the preventive maintenance works in their substations;


NOW, THEREFORE, on motion of Regional Director Teresita Socorro C. Ramos of the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) XII and Regional Director Macario D. Gonzaga of the Land Transportation Office (LTO) XII, **BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED,** That RTF XII on COVID-19 and RIATF XII-MEID requests the City Government of General Santos City to help expedite the preventive maintenance works for the SOCOTECO II Substations in light of its stringent quarantine protocols

RESOLVED FURTHER, That a copy of this resolution, be forwarded to all concerned entities for information, support, and appropriate action.


WE HEREBY CERTIFY as to the appropriateness of the foregoing Resolution.

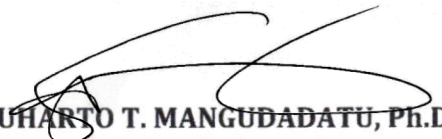
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