



## NATIONAL GRID CORPORATION OF THE PHILIPPINES

### News Release

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### Scheduled power interruption in Eastern Samar, Northern Samar, Biliran and parts of Leyte

The National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) serves notice of the scheduled shutdown of some of its transmission facilities in these areas:

**Date:** 27 December 2011

**Time:** 6:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Eastern Samar Electric Cooperative Inc. (ESAMELCO)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Wright-Taft 69kV transmission line

**Date:** 28 December 2011

**Time:** About 20 minutes between 7:00AM-8:00AM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Don Orestes Romualdez Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DORELCO), Leyte III Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO III), Leyte IV Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO IV)

**Reason:** Isolation of affected portion, in line with the replacement of poles along the Milagro-Tunga 69-kV transmission line.

**Date:** 28 December 2011

**Time:** About 20 minutes between 5:00PM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Don Orestes Romualdez Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DORELCO), Leyte III Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO III), Leyte IV Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO IV)

**Reason:** Normalization of load, in line with the replacement of poles along the Milagro-Tunga 69-kV transmission line

**Date:** 28 December 2011

**Time:** 7:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Leyte V Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO V)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Milagro-Tunga 69-kV transmission line.

**Date:** 28 December 2011

**Time:** 7:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Biliran Electric Cooperative Inc. (BILECO)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Milagro-Tunga 69-kV transmission line

**Date:** 28 December 2011

**Time:** 6:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Northern Samar Electric Cooperative Inc. (NORSAMELCO)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Carayman-Palanas Cara-Catarman 69-kV transmission line



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**Date:** 29 December 2011

**Time:** 6:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Northern Samar Electric Cooperative Inc. (NORSAMELCO)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Carayman- Palanas Cara- Catarman 69kV transmission line

**Date:** 30 December 2011

**Time:** About 20 minutes between 7:00AM-8:00AM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Don Orestes Romualdez Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DORELCO), Leyte V Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO V), Biliran Electric Cooperative Inc. (BILECO)

**Reason:** Isolation of affected portion, in line with the replacement of poles along the Tunga-Palo 69-kV transmission line.

**Date:** 30 December 2011

**Time:** 7:00AM-12:00NN

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Leyte III Electric Cooperative Inc. (LEYECO III)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Tunga-Palo 69-kV transmission line.

**Date:** 30 December 2011

**Time:** About 20 minutes between 5:00PM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Don Orestes Romualdez Electric Cooperative, Inc. (DORELCO)

**Reason:** Normalization of load, in line with the replacement of poles along the Tunga-Palo 69-kV transmission line

**Date:** 30 December 2011

**Time:** 6:00AM-6:00PM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Eastern Samar Electric Cooperative Inc. (ESAMELCO)

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Borongan-McArthur 69-kV transmission line.

Normal operations will immediately resume after work completion. NGCP's customers and the general public are advised to take the necessary preparations and precautions for this scheduled interruption.

*\*Specific cities and municipalities to be affected by the power interruption are determined by the abovementioned Distribution Utility (DU), unless the activity affects the entire franchise area. The DU allots the available power within its franchise area and implements the power interruption schedule among the end-users.*

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