



## NATIONAL GRID CORPORATION OF THE PHILIPPINES

### News Release

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### Scheduled power interruption in Northern Samar, Eastern Samar, and parts of Samar and 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:** 20 January 2012

**Time:** 6:00AM-10:00AM

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Samar I Electric Cooperative Inc. (SAMELCO I)

**Reason:** Preventive maintenance activity at Calbayog Substation

**Date:** 20 and 21 January 2012

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

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

**Reason:** Replacement of poles along the Palanas Cara-Catarman-Bobolosan-Allen 69-kV transmission lines

**Date:** 21 January 2012

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

**Affected Distribution Utility:** \* Samar I Electric Cooperative Inc. (SAMELCO I)

**Reason:** Preventive maintenance activity at Calbayog Substation and replacement of wood poles along the Carayman- Palanas Cara – Catarman 69-kV transmission line

**Date:** 22 January 2012

**Time:** 8:00AM-5:00PM

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

**Reason:** Preventive maintenance activity at Tabango Substation.

**Date:** 23 January 2012

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

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

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



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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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