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Scheduled power interruption in entire province of Abra and parts of Ilocos Sur

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

Date: 07 January 2012

Time: 6:00AM – 6:00PM

Affected Distribution Utility: * Ilocos Sur Electric Cooperative, Inc. (ISECO) Narvacan and Candon; and Abra Electric Cooperative (ABRECO)

Reason: Annual Preventive maintenance and testing of substation equipment at San Esteban Substation

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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