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POWER INTERRUPTIONS IN NORTH COTABATO AND MAGUINDANAO

The National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) Kibawe–Sultan Kudarat 138kV T/L has experienced a sustained fault when its temporary bypass structure of tower # KK137 in Kabacan, North Cotabato was toppled due to the heavy rains and flooding in the area. As a result, the power supply of Sultan Kudarat Substation and the customers it supplied was cut-off.

To reduce the effect and ensure continuous but limited supply of electricity to the affected areas served by our Sultan Kudarat S/S, shifting of loads was conducted after our power transformer #2 at Tacurong S/S was fixed/made available in the afternoon of July 5, 2011.

Summary:

Date	Time	Affected Customers	Affected Areas	Reason
04 July 2011	4:58 AM – 4:07 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cotabato Light and Power Company, Inc. (COLIGHT) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cotabato City and Parts of Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao 	Affected by sustained fault. Supply from Tacurong Substation was available after the repair of transformer#2.
04 July 2011	4:58 AM – 4:08 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cotabato Electric Cooperative, Inc. (COTELCO) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parts of Midsayap, North Cotabato Parts of Libungan, North Cotabato 	Affected by sustained fault. Supply from Tacurong Substation was available after the repair of transformer#2.
04 July 2011	4:58 AM – 4:07 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maguindanao Electric Cooperative, Inc. (MAGELCO) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parts of Datu Odin Sinsuat, Maguindanao 	Affected by sustained fault. Supply from Tacurong Substation was available after the repair of transformer#2.
04 July 2011	4:58 AM – 4:08 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Maguindanao Electric Cooperative, Inc. (MAGELCO) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parts of Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao 	Affected by sustained fault. Supply from Tacurong Substation was available after the repair of transformer#2.



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04 July 2011	3:01 PM – 4:02 PM	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maguindanao Electric Cooperative, Inc. (MAGELCO)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parts of Datu Piang, Maguindanao	Shifting of all Sultan Kudarat (Nuling) Substation connected loads to Tacurong Substation.
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Normal supply shall immediately resume after the restoration works of the toppled bypass structure. Target date of completion is July 6, 2011 if the flood will subside within these dates.

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