

Republic of the Philippines
ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
Pasig City

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION FOR THE APPROVAL OF THE CALCULATIONS FOR THE AUTOMATIC COST ADJUSTMENT AND TRUE-UP MECHANISMS FOR THE a) GENERATION RATE, b) TRANSMISSION RATE, c) SYSTEM LOSS RATE, d) LIFELINE SUBSIDY RATE, e) SENIOR CITIZEN SUBSIDY RATES, UNDER ERC RESOLUTION NO 16, SERIES OF 2009, AS AMENDED, AND f) REAL PROPERTY TAX, AND g) LOCAL FRANCHISE TAX, UNDER ERC RESOLUTION NO.2, SERIES OF 2021 FOR THE PERIOD 2023 TO 2025,

ERC CASE NO. 2026-016 CF

DAGUPAN ELECTRIC CORPORATION (DECORP),
Applicant.

Promulgated:
April 13, 2026

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NOTICE OF VIRTUAL HEARING

TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES:

Notice is hereby given that on 08 April 2026, Dagupan Electric Corporation (DECORP) filed an *Application* dated 30 March 2026, seeking the Commission's approval of its calculations for the automatic cost adjustment and true-up mechanisms for its (a) Generation Rate, (b) Transmission Rate, (c) System Loss Rate, (d) Lifeline Subsidy Rate, (e) Senior Citizen Subsidy Rates, under the Commission's Resolution No. 16, Series of 2009, as amended, (f) Real Property Tax, and (g) Local Franchise Tax, under Commission's Resolution No. 2, Series of 2021,

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for the period 2023 to 2025.

The docketed copy of the *Application*, excluding its annexes, is attached as Annex “A” of the *Notice of Virtual Hearing*.

The Commission hereby sets the instant *Application* for hearing for the determination of compliance with jurisdictional requirements, expository presentation, and Pre-Trial Conference¹ on **25 May 2026 (Monday) at two o’clock in the afternoon (2:00 P.M.), through Microsoft Teams**, as the online platform for the conduct thereof, pursuant to the pertinent rules of the Commission.

Accordingly, Applicant is hereby directed to mirror the virtual hearings, to be hosted by the Commission, at **DECORP’s principal office at AB Fernandez West, Dagupan City** as the designated venue for the conduct thereof and ensure that the same is open to the public. Moreover, Applicant shall guarantee that, during the conduct of the expository presentation, the participation of the public shall not be impaired.

Any interested stakeholder may submit its comments and/or clarifications at least **one (1) calendar day** prior to the scheduled initial virtual hearing, via e-mail at docket@erc.ph, copy furnish the Legal Service through legal@erc.ph. The Commission shall give priority to the stakeholders who have duly submitted their respective comments and/or clarifications, to discuss the same and propound questions during the course of the expository presentation.

Moreover, all persons who have an interest in the subject matter of the instant case may become a party by filing with the Commission via e-mail at docket@erc.ph, and copy furnishing the Legal Service through legal@erc.ph, a verified Petition to Intervene **at least five (5) calendar days** prior to the date of the initial virtual hearing. The verified Petition to Intervene must follow the requirements under Rule 9 of the ERC Revised Rules of Practice and Procedure, indicating therein the docket number and title of the case, and state the following:

- 1) The petitioner’s name, mailing address, and e-mail address;
- 2) The nature of petitioner’s interest in the subject matter of the proceeding and the way and manner in which such

¹ Summary Proceedings pursuant to the Commission’s Resolution No. 16, Series of 2025.

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interest is affected by the issues involved in the proceeding;
and

- 3) A statement of the relief desired.

Likewise, all other persons who may want their views known to the Commission with respect to the subject matter of the case may file through e-mail at docket@erc.ph, copy furnish the Legal Service through legal@erc.ph, their Opposition or Comment thereon **at least five (5) calendar days** prior to the initial virtual hearing and subject to the requirements under Rule 9 of the ERC Revised Rules of Practice and Procedure. No particular form of Opposition or Comment is required, but the document, letter, or writing should contain the following:

- 1) The name, mailing address, and e-mail address of the person;
- 2) A concise statement of the Opposition or Comment; and
- 3) The grounds relied upon.

All interested parties filing their Petition to Intervene, Opposition or Comment are required to submit the hard copies thereof through personal service, registered mail or ordinary mail/private courier, **within five (5) working days** from the date that the same were electronically submitted, as reflected in the acknowledgement receipt e-mail sent by the Commission.

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Finally, all interested persons may be allowed to join the scheduled virtual hearings by providing the Commission, through legal.virtualhearings@erc.ph, their respective e-mail addresses, indicating therein the case number of the instant *Supplemental Application*. The Commission will send the access link/s to the aforementioned hearing platform within five (5) working days prior to the scheduled hearings.

WITNESS, the Honorable Chairperson and CEO **FRANCIS SATURNINO C. JUAN** and the Honorable Commissioners **FLORESINDA G. BALDO-DIGAL**, **MARKO ROMEO L. FUENTES**, **AMANTE A. LIBERATO** and **PARIS G. REAL**, Energy Regulatory Commission, in Pasig City.

FOR AND BY AUTHORITY OF THE
COMMISSION:

Maria Corazon C. Gines

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Director III, Legal Service


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* Authority granted during Commission Meeting on 20 August 2025.