

**[ ERC Resolution No. 01, s. 2015, February 09, 2015 ]**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE SUPPLEMENTAL RULES TO THE  
&LDQUO;RULES GOVERNING THE TYPE APPROVAL OF METER  
PRODUCTS TO BE USED IN REVENUE METERING BY  
DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES AND  
&LDQUO;REDISTRIBUTORS&RDQUO;**

*Adopted: 09 February 2015*

*Date Filed: 05 March 2015*

**WHEREAS**, on September 27, 2010, the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) has issued Resolution No. 22, adopting the "Rules Governing the Type Approval of Meter Products to be Used in Revenue Metering by Distribution Utilities and Redistributors";

**WHEREAS**, the ERC finds that there is a need to monitor the compliance to the terms and conditions of the Certificate of Approval issued by the ERC to a type of meter product;

**WHEREAS**, on October 28, 2014, the ERC posted in its website the proposed Supplemental Rules to the "Rules Governing the Type Approval of Meter Products to be Used in Revenue Metering by Distribution Utilities and Redistributors" for comment by all interested parties;

**WHEREAS**, on November 14, 2014, a public consultation was conducted thereon at the ERC Hearing Room, 15<sup>th</sup> Floor, Pacific Center Building, San Miguel Avenue, Pasig City;

**WHEREAS**, on December 3, 2014, the Revised Draft Rules to the "Rules Governing the Type Approval of Meter Products to be Used in Revenue Metering by Distribution Utilities (DUs) and Redistributors" Incorporating the comments of the stakeholders were posted at the ERC website for further comments by all interested parties;

**NOW THEREFORE**, after careful deliberation on the issues relative thereto, the **ERC RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to **APPROVE** and **ADOPT** the Supplemental Rules to the "Rules Governing the Type Approval of Meter Products to be used in Revenue Metering by Distribution Utilities and Redistributors", hereto attached as Annex "A" and made an integral part of this Resolution.

All rules and guidelines or portions thereof issued by the ERC not consistent with these Rules are hereby repealed or modified accordingly.

This Resolution shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Let copies of this Resolution be furnished the University of the Philippines Law Center-Office of the National Administrative Register (UPLC-ONAR) and all entities engaged in the electricity metering.

Pasig City, February 9, 2015.

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***Annex "A"***

**Supplement to the Rules Governing Type Approval of Meter Products Used in Revenue Metering by Distribution Utilities and Redistributors**

Pursuant to Section 16 (f) of the Commonwealth Act No. 146, as amended, Section 2 of Commonwealth Act No. 349, and Section 43 (t) of Republic Act No. 9136, the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) hereby adopts and Promulgates the amendments to the Rules Governing the Type Approval of Meter Products to be used by Distribution Utilities and Redistributors in Revenue Metering.

Section 1. The following provisions of **RULES GOVERNING THE TYPE APPROVAL OF METER PRODUCTS TO BE USED BY DISTRIBUTION UTILITIES AND REDISTRIBUTORS IN REVENUE METERING** are hereby amended to read, as follows:

A. Item 1.4 Definition of Terms shall include the following definitions:

**Applicant** - Any meter manufacturer or its authorized dealer who submits a complete application for type approval of a particular meter product to the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC).

**Prescribed Standards** - The minimum values of test levels recommended by IEC62052 and IEC62053 or ANSI C12 in relation to type approval that guarantees the proper functioning of a meter product.

**Re-validation** - The process of determining whether or not a meter product that was already issued a Certificate of Approval (CA) is still in compliance with the Prescribed Standards in relation to type approval and with the specifications as contained in the Applicant's submitted Specimen. Re-validation shall entail the