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AMENDMENTS TO PPA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 07-97 AND ITEM 3.2 OF PPA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 07-2013 ON THE ANCILLARY SERVICES PERMIT AND REGULATORY FEES

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Section 20 (a), Article VII of PD 857, as amended by LOI 1005-A provides that "the Authority may impose, fix, prescribe, increase, or decrease such rates or fees for the use of port premises, works, appliances or equipment belonging to the Authority and port facilities provided, and for services rendered by the Authority or by any private organization within a Port District".

Further, Section 20 (b) states that "the Authority shall regulate the rates of Charges for port services or port-related services so that taking one year with another year, such rates or charges furnish adequate working capital and produce and adequate return on the assets of the Authority.....xxx

Based on these powers of PPA and where majority of the stakeholders during the conduct of public hearings interposed no objection, the increase in ancillary services permit and regulatory fees is hereby approved, as follows:

Ancillary Services Fees	From (Since 1997)	То
Permit Fee	PhP 300.00	PhP 650.00 (plus VAT)
Regulatory Fee	1,500.00	3,240.00 (plus VAT)

All service providers with approved applications for a permit to operate ancillary service in the port shall pay an annual permit fee of PhP650.00 and regulatory fee of PhP3,240.00 plus the applicable VAT.

The increase in fees shall take effect 30 days after publication of this Circular in newspaper of general circulation.

This Circular amends PPA Memorandum No. 07-97 and Item 3.2 of PPA Administrative Order No. 07-2013.