Philippine Electricity Market Corporation

WHOLESALE ELECTRICITY SPOT MARKET
RULES CHANGE COMMITTEE

RESOLUTION NO. 2016-01

Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules and Technical Committee Manual Issue No. 1

WHEREAS, on 15 September 2015, the Rules Change Committee received the Technical Committee's Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules and Technical Committee Manual Issue 1;

WHEREAS, said proposal sought to update the first issuance of the Technical Committee Market Manual and revise the procedures in the conduct of technical study and review;

WHEREAS, the proposal was presented before the RCC during the 105th RCC Meeting held on 7 October 2015, and was thereafter approved for posting to solicit comments of participants;

WHEREAS, the proposal was published on 8 October 2015, with the corresponding notice to participants;

WHEREAS, during the 107th RCC Meeting held on 2 December 2015, the RCC deliberated upon the Proposed Amendments to the WESM Rules and the Technical Committee Manual Issue No. 1, giving due course to the comments (Annex A) received from MERALCO;

WHEREAS, in the same meeting, the RCC approved the Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules and Technical Committee Manual Issue 1, subject to the revisions discussed by the Committee, and agreed on its endorsement to the PEM Board;

WHEREAS, in a subsequent meeting of the RCC, on 13 January 2016, the RCC reviewed its approval based on the comments received on a provision of the proposal as approved by the RCC, specifically the matter on who to submit the studies to, apart from the concerned requesting parties;

WHEREAS, finding merit in the concerns raised, the RCC again reviewed the specific provision and subsequently approved its revision to the provision as discussed;

NOW THEREFORE, we, the undersigned and in behalf of the sector we represent, hereby resolve as follows:

RESOLVED, that the Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules and Technical Committee Manual Issue No. 1, as revised is hereby approved by the RCC;

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RESOLVED FURTHER, that the attached Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules and Technical Committee Manual Issue No. 1 (Annex B) is hereby endorsed to the PEM Board for approval and endorsement to the DOE

Done this 13 January 2016, Pasig City.

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Wholesale Electricity Spot Market

Annex A
MERALCO Comments to the Proposed Amendment of the Technical Committee Manual

No.	Section & Title	Original Provision	Proposed Amendment (as published by the RCC)	Comments	Proposed Revised Wording in relation to Comment	Rationale for the Proposed Revised Wording
1	Section 3.1 Responsibilities	3.1.2 x x x. (b) Provide a report to the PEM Board on any matter of a technical nature relating to any WESM member which in the reasonable opinion of the Technical Committee, causes: i. That WESM Participant to be unable to comply with the WESM Rules; or ii. Unintended or distortionary effects to the operation of the WESM;	3.1.2 x x x. (b) Provide a report to the PEM Board on any matter of a technical nature relating to any WESM member which in the reasonable opinion of the Technical Committee, causes: i. That WESM Member ~~Participant~~ to be unable to comply with the WESM Rules; or ii. Unintended or distortionary effects to the operation of the WESM;	The concerned WESM member under the aforequoted provision should be given the opportunity to give inputs or to provide explanation on the findings of the Technical Committee or to meet with the Technical Committee, if necessary. This is to give due process to the concerned WESM Member.	3.1.2 x x x. (b) Provide a report to the PEM Board on any matter of a technical nature relating to any WESM member which in the reasonable opinion of the Technical Committee, causes: i. That WESM *Member* to be unable to comply with the WESM Rules; or ii. Unintended or distortionary effects to the operation of the WESM; **Provided further that, the concerned WESM Member shall be immediately notified in writing with regard to the result/s of said report and be given the opportunity to dispute the same, if**	To give due process to the concerned WESM Member.

No.	Section & Title	Original Provision	Proposed Amendment (as published by the RCC)	Comments	Proposed Revised Wording in relation to Comment	Rationale for the Proposed Revised Wording
					necessary, following the procedures in the Dispute Resolution Manual.	
2	Section 3.4 Publication	3.4.1 The TC shall publish its report and other activities in the WESM information website. The version of reports for publication should take into account the provision under Section 6 of this Manual.	3.4.1 The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall publish its **annual** report ~~and other activities~~ in the WESM information website. **At its option, the TC may publish its technical reports in the WESM information website.** The version of reports for publication should take into account the provision under Section 6 of this Manual.	It is proposed that a specific time/period be indicated as to when the Technical Committee shall publish its reports in the WESM website. Indicating the time/period would help WESM Members to be informed as to when they need to check the WESM website.	3.4.1 The Technical Committee shall publish its annual report in the WESM information website **within the month of January of the following year**. At its option, the Technical Committee may publish its technical reports in the WESM information website. **The WESM Helpdesk shall inform WESM Members once the technical report is published in said website.** The version of reports for publication should take into account the provision under Section 6 of this Manual.	To inform WESM Members when to check the WESM website for updates regarding the Technical Committee's report.

Note: For convenience, please underline and put in bold letters the proposed changes to the Rules or Manual.

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Annex B
Technical Committee's Proposed Amendment to the WESM Rules

TITLE	SECTION	PROVISION	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	RATIONALE
Responsibilities of the Technical Committee	1.7.2	In addition to its obligations and functions under the Grid Code and Distribution Code (if any), the Technical Committee shall from time to time as necessary and appropriate, and whenever the *PEM Board* directs: (a) Monitor technical matters relating to the operation of the *spot market*, ---xxx---	~~In addition to its obligations and functions under the Grid Code and Distribution Code (if any), the~~ **The** Technical Committee shall from time to time as necessary and appropriate, and whenever the *PEM Board* directs: (a) Monitor technical matters relating to the operation of the *spot market*, ---xxx---	There are no provisions in the Philippine Grid Code and Distribution Code with regard to the obligations and functions of the TC.

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ANNEX B

Technical Committee's Proposed Amendment to the Technical Committee Market Manual Issue No. 1

TITLE	SECTION	PROVISION	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	RATIONALE
		General Proposal	Except for DOE, ERC and PEMC, all other entities should be spelled out, e.g. Market Operator, System Operator, Distribution Management Committee, Grid Management Committee, Technical Committee, etc.	To be consistent with the guidelines of the DOE on appropriate referencing of entities.
INTRODUCTION	1.			

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TITLE	SECTION	PROVISION	PROPOSED AMENDMENT	RATIONALE
Purpose	**1.1**	This Market Manual sets out the Technical Committees' (TC) roles and responsibilities under the WESM Rules and establishes the scope of the functions of the TC and the procedures to be observed in the conduct of technical studies and reviews by the TC. The general objectives of this Manual are the following:	**WESM Rules clause 1.7.2 sets out the responsibilities of the Technical Committee.** This Market Manual **defines** ~~sets out the Technical Committees' (TC) roles and responsibilities under the WESM Rules, and establishes~~ the scope of the functions of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** and **details** the procedures to be observed **by the Technical Committee and concerned parties related to the functions of the Technical Committee** ~~in the conduct of technical studies and reviews by the TC and concerned by the TC~~. **This Manual aims to** ~~general objectives of this Manual are the following~~:	Provides the basis for coming out with this manual. The role of the Technical Committee has been established by the WESM Rules. The Manual intends to clarify these responsibilities. Enhances sentence constructions.
		(a) Establish the role of the TC in the performance of its functions and responsibilities under the	(a) ~~Establish~~ **Clarify** the ~~role of the TC in the performance of its~~ functions and responsibilities **of the Technical Committee**	

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		WESM Rules;	**as prescribed** under the WESM Rules;	
		(b) Establish the scope and procedures in assisting the PEM Board by providing expertise in relation to: i. Metering Technology and Metering Data; ii. Information Technology; and iii. Any other matter of a technical nature relating to the spot market;	(b) Establish the scope **of the assistance to be provided by the Technical Committee to the PEM Board pursuant to Section1.1 (c)** and **the procedures to be observed for the provision of the same.** ~~in assisting the PEM Board by providing expertise in relation to:~~ ~~i. Metering Technology and Metering Data;~~ ~~ii. Information Technology; and~~ ~~iii. Any other matter of a technical nature relating to the spot market;~~	
		(c) Establish the scope, policies and procedures in providing expert support to other WESM Governance Committees,	(c) Establish the scope, **guidelines** ~~policies~~ and procedures in providing expert support to other **PEM Committees** ~~WESM~~	Replaces Market Participants with WESM Members in the entirety of the Manual since Market Participant is not defined in the WESM Rules.

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		PEMC or market participants;	~~Governance Committees~~, PEMC or **WESM Members** ~~market participants;~~	Uses 'guidelines' instead of 'policies' as this is more appropriate.
		(d) Clarify the responsibilities of the TC in proposing amendments to the WESM Rules when identifying technical problems through expertise, market studies and reviews; and	(d) Clarify the responsibilities of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** in proposing amendments to the WESM Rules and Market Manuals ~~when identifying technical problems through expertise, market studies and reviews~~; and	Enhances statement for clarity
		(e) Clarify the role of the TC regarding its support to the PEM Audit Committee in the conduct of Audit.	(e) Clarify the role of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** regarding its support to the PEM Audit Committee in the conduct of Audit**s**.	
Scope	**1.2**	This Manual covers all related activities and procedures of the TC in accordance with its functions and responsibilities under the WESM Rules. This includes the following:	This Manual covers all the processes ~~related activities~~ and procedures of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee relative to** ~~in accordance with~~ its functions and responsibilities under the WESM Rules. This includes the following:	Enhances sentence constructions.

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		(a) All activities and procedures, including the functions, authority and reports of the TC;	(a) **A discussion of** all ~~activities~~ **the processes** and procedures **related to all Technical Committee activities pursuant to its mandate under the WESM Rules**; ~~including the functions, authority and reports of the TC~~;	
		(b) Rules on information confidentiality and disclosure; and	(b) **The provisions of the rules** ~~Rules~~ on information confidentiality and disclosure **as they apply to the Technical Committee in respect to its reports and documents**; and	
		(c) A description of interactions between the TC and the PEM Board, WESM Governance Committees and other Market Participants in relation to the TC's functions as provided for	(c) A description of **the** interactions between the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** and the PEM Board, WESM Governance Committees and other **WESM Members** ~~Market Participants~~ in	Replaces Market Participants with *WESM Members* in the whole Manual. Market Participant is not defined in the WESM Rules.

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		under the WESM Rules.	relation to the ~~TC~~'s functions **of the Technical Committee** as provided for under the WESM Rules.	
Review and Updates	**1.3**			
	1.3.1	The PEM Board, with the assistance of the TC and MAG, shall maintain this Manual under review, to identify any need for updates and amendments, and accordingly update the same to respond to the evolving needs of the market.	The PEM Board, with the assistance of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** and **the** Market **Assessment** Group, shall maintain this Manual under review, to identify any need for updates and amendments, and accordingly update the same to respond to the evolving needs of the market.	See general proposal.
	1.3.2	Amendment to the provisions of this Manual requires the approval of the PEM Board. After each such approval, the amended Manual shall be published in the Market Information Website. Subject to the Manual of Procedures on Changes to the WESM Rules, the approval of the PEM Board	Amendments to the provisions of this Manual, **shall be approved pursuant to the provisions of WESM Rules clause 8.5.4 as prescribed.** ~~requires the approval of the PEM Board. After each such approval, the amended Manual shall be published in the Market Information Website. Subject to the Manual of Procedures on~~	Change made pursuant to recent DOE policies that prescribe that all amendments to market manuals, (except urgent amendments to be approved by the PEM Board) shall be approved by the DOE. In the same manner, the obligation to publish will be with the one who approved the

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		shall specify the date when the amended Manual becomes effective. However, no such amendment and/or change to this Manual shall be retroactively applied.	~~Changes to the WESM Rules, the approval of the PEM Board shall specify the date when the amended Manual becomes effective. However, no such amendment and/or change to this Manual shall be retroactively applied.~~	amendment.
	1.3.3	Amendment proposals to this Manual may arise from (a) The PEM Board, upon its own initiative or upon a recommendation by other PEM Committees;	xxx	
		(b) A WESM Member, the Market Operator, the System Operator, or any party affected by the operations of this Manual; and	xxx	
		(c) The Technical Committee in view of:	(c) The Technical Committee in view of **any or a combination of the**	Enhancements

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		i. Experience, problems or other issues that may arise in the implementation and application of this Manual; or ii. Amendments to the WESM Rules or other Applicable Law, Rules and Regulations; or iii. Conflict of interpretation; and iv. Provisions or parts of this Manual being annulled or declared invalid.	**following**: i. ~~Experience, p~~**P**roblems experienced or ~~ether~~ issues encountered ~~that may arise~~ in the implementation ~~and application~~ of this Manual; ~~or~~ ii. Amendments to the WESM Rules or other Applicable Law, Rules and Regulations **affecting the provisions of this Manual**; ~~or~~ iii. Conflict of interpretation; ~~and~~ **or** iv. Provisions or parts of this Manual being annulled or declared invalid.	
	1.3.4	Amendment proposals shall be submitted, reviewed and approved in accordance with the procedures in the Rules Change Manual.	~~Amendment proposals~~ **Proposed amendments to this Manual** shall be submitted, reviewed and approved in accordance with the provisions **of the WESM Rules**	Minor correction.

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			and the Rules Change Manual **as prescribed.**	
	1.3.5	The responsibility for drafting the amendments occasioned and approved by the above-described circumstances shall lie with – (a) The Rules Change Committee regarding amendments to this Manual that are required or otherwise attributable to amendments to the WESM Rules or other Applicable Law, Rules and Regulations; or	~~The responsibility for drafting the amendments occasioned and approved by the above-described circumstances shall lie with –~~ ~~(a) The Rules Change Committee regarding amendments to this Manual that are required or otherwise attributable to amendments to the WESM Rules or other Applicable Law, Rules and Regulations; or~~	There is no need as the responsibility has been identified under Section 1.3.3. of this Manual.
		(b) The TC in all other amendments provided however that the TC may request the assistance of the Rules Change Committee.	~~(b) The TC in all other amendments provided however that the TC may request the assistance of the Rules Change Committee.~~	See comment above.
DEFINITIONS, INTERPRETATION	**2**			

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AND CONSTRUCTION				
Definitions	2.1	Unless otherwise defined in this Manual, terms and acronyms used in this Manual shall have the same definition as that in the WESM Rules.	xxx	
		Act means the Republic Act No. 9136 also known as the Electric Power Industry Reform Act (EPIRA), as they may be issued or modified by competent authorities from time to time.	xxx	
		Applicable Law, Rules and Regulations shall include the EPIRA and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, the Philippine Grid Code, the Philippine Distribution Code, the WESM Rules and Market Manuals, the Competition Rules, and such other codes, rules, regulations, issuances related to the WESM, as they may be issued or modified by competent	xxx	

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		authorities from time to time.		
		Annual Report means the report of the Technical Committee that presents the results of market studies and reviews and other activities.	xxx	
		Distribution Code refers to a compilation of rules and regulations governing electric utilities in the operation and maintenance of their distribution systems which includes, among others, the standards for service and performance, and defines and establishes the relationship of the distribution systems with the facilities or installations of the parties connected thereto.	xxx	
		DMC refers to the Distribution Management Committee which was established by the ERC to monitor Distribution Code compliance at the operations level and to submit regular and special reports pertaining to the	xxx	

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		Distribution Operations. It shall also initiate an enforcement process for any perceived violations of Distribution Code provisions and recommend to the ERC the appropriate fines and penalties for such violations.		
		DOE refers to the Department of Energy, the government agency created pursuant to Republic Act No. 7638.	xxx	
		ERC refers to the Energy Regulatory Commission, the independent quasi-judicial regulatory body created by the EPIRA.	xxx	
		Grid Code refers to the set of rules and regulations governing the safe and reliable operation, maintenance and development of the high voltage backbone transmission system and its related facilities;	xxx	
		GMC refers to the Grid Management Committee which	xxx	

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		was established by the ERC to monitor Grid Code compliance at the operations level and to submit regular and special reports pertaining to the Grid Operations. It shall also initiate an enforcement process for any perceived violations of Grid Code provisions and recommend to the ERC the appropriate fines and penalties for such violations.		
		Independent means a person that is considered as independent of the Philippine electric power industry, in accordance with the criteria set forth in WESM Rule 1.4.2.7.	xxx	
		Market Manual means a manual of specific procedures, systems and protocols for the implementation of the WESM Rules and for the PEM Committees.	xxx	

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		Market Manual Website means the website that the PEM Board assigns for the publication of the Market Manuals and that can be accessed by WESM members.	~~**Market Manual Website** means the website that the PEM Board assigns for the publication of the Market Manuals and that can be accessed by WESM members.~~	Only *Market Information Website* is defined in the WESM Rules.
		Manual refers to this Technical Committee Market Manual.	xxx	
		Market Information Website means the website for the publication of information and results of the WESM established in accordance with the WESM Rules.	xxx	
		Market Surveillance Committee (MSC) refers to the PEM Committee appointed by the PEM Board to monitor and report on activities in the spot market in accordance with the Market Surveillance Market Manual.	xxx	
		Metering Services Provider refers to a person or entity authorized by the ERC to provide metering services and	xxx	

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		registered with the Market Operator in that capacity in accordance with clause 2.3.6 of the WESM Rules.		
		PEM Auditor refers to the auditor appointed by the PEM Board under clause 1.4.6 to undertake functions set out in clause 1.5.	xxx	
		PEM Board refers to the Board of Directors of the PEMC that is responsible for governing the WESM.	xxx	
		PEM Committee refers to a Committee duly provided for under the WESM Rules and such other committees created by the PEM Board from time to time, including for purposes of this Manual, the PEM Auditor, the Technical Committee and the MSC.	**PEM Committee** refers to a Committee duly provided for under the WESM Rules and such other committees created by the PEM Board from time to time, including for purposes of this Manual, the PEM Auditor, the Technical Committee and the **Market Surveillance Committee.**	See general proposal.
		PEMC refers to the Philippine Electricity Market Corporation, a non-stock, non-profit public-	xxx	

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		private partnership that governs the wholesale electricity spot market (WESM).		
		PEMCCharter refers to the Articles of Incorporation and By-Laws of the PEMC, as approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission on 18 November 2003, and as they may be amended from time to time.	xxx	
		Rules denote the WESM Rules.	**Rules** ~~denote~~ **refers to** the WESM Rules.	Minor revision.
		Rules Change Committee refers to the committee established by WESM Rule 8.2 to review and propose amendments to the WESM Rules.	xxx	
		System Operator refers to the party identified as the System Operator pursuant to the Grid Code which is the party responsible for generation dispatch, the provision of ancillary services, and operation	xxx	

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		and control to ensure safety, power quality, stability, reliability and security of the grid.		
		Technical Committee refers to the group of persons appointed by the PEM Board to monitor and review technical matters under and in relation to the WESM Rules, the Grid Code and Distribution Code, in accordance with WESM Rule 1.7.	**Technical Committee** refers to the ~~group of persons~~ **committee whose members** are appointed by the PEM Board to monitor and review technical matters under and in relation to the WESM Rules, the Grid Code and Distribution Code, in accordance with WESM Rule 1.7.	Minor revision.
		Trading Participant is a person or entity registered with the Market Operator in accordance with WESM Rule 2.3.3 as either a customer or a generation company;	xxx	
		WESM Objectives refers to the objectives of the spot market as defined in WESM Rule 1.2.5.	xxx	
		WESM Member means a person who is registered with the Market Operator in accordance with WESM Rules	xxx	

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		2.3 and 2.4, and that includes Trading Participants, Metering Services Providers, Network Service Providers, Ancillary Services Providers and the System Operator.		
Interpretation and Construction	**2.2**			
	2.2.1	Any Annex to this Manual shall be considered an integral part hereof.	xxx	
	2.2.2	Any reference to "this Market Manual " or "this Manual" is a reference to the whole of this TC Market Manual, including all its Annexes.	Any reference to "this Market Manual " or "this Manual" is a reference to the whole of this ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** Market Manual, including all its Annexes.	See general proposal.
	2.2.3	The singular includes the plural and vice versa.	xxx	
	2.2.4	The words "such as", "include", "including", "for example" and "in particular" shall be construed as being by way of illustration or emphasis only and shall not limit or prejudice the generality of any foregoing words.	xxx	

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	2.2.5	Headings in this Manual are for convenience only and shall not affect the construction and interpretation of the provisions of this Manual.	xxx	
	2.2.6	Any reference to any law, regulation made under any law, rules or codes shall be to that item as amended, modified, revised or replaced from time to time.	xxx	
	2.2.7	Unless otherwise stated or contextually inherent, any reference to a numbered rule corresponds to that clause in the WESM Rules.	xxx	
	2.2.8	The provisions in this Manual, the WESM Rules and other Market Manuals shall be read, construed and interpreted in such a manner as to harmonize and reconcile each and every provision thereof. In the event of inconsistency, the WESM Rules shall prevail.	xxx	

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	2.2.9	Should any provision of this Manual be declared invalid or nullified by any court or authority of competent jurisdiction, the other provisions not affected by the declaration of invalidity or nullity shall continue to be in full force and effect.	xxx	
	2.2.10	If part of a provision of this Manual be invalidated or nullified by any court or authority of competent jurisdiction, but the rest of such provision would remain valid if part of the wording were deleted, the provision shall apply with such minimum modification as may be: (a) Necessary to make it valid and effective; and	If part of a provision of this Manual **is** ~~be~~ invalidated or nullified by any court or authority of competent jurisdiction, but the rest of ~~such~~ **the** provision ~~would~~ remain**s** valid even if part of the wording **was** ~~were~~ deleted, the provision shall apply with such minimum modification as may be ~~(a)n N~~ecessary to make it valid and effective~~;~~ and **to most closely achieve the result of the original wording but without affecting the meaning or validity of any other provision of this Manual.**	Enhances sentence constructions.
		(b) Most closely achieves the	~~(b) Most closely achieves the~~	

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		result of the original wording but without affecting the meaning or validity of any other provision of this Manual.	~~result of the original wording but without affecting the meaning or validity of any other provision of this Manual.~~	
THE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE	**3**			
Responsibilities	**3.1**			
	3.1.1	The TC shall primarily assist the PEM Board and the Department of Energy (DOE) in the formulation of policies that will help the achievement of the WESM objectives of establishing a sustainable, competitive, efficient, transparent and reliable market for electricity where: (a) An atmosphere of transparency and fair competition exists among WESM Members;	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall primarily assist the PEM Board and the ~~Department of Energy~~ DOE in the formulation of policies that will help the achievement of the WESM objectives of establishing a sustainable, competitive, efficient, transparent and reliable market for electricity where: xxx	See general proposal.
		(b) Trading of electricity is facilitated among WESM Member within the spot	xxx	

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		market;		
		(c) Qualified third parties are granted Open Access to the power system in accordance with the EPIRA;	xxx	
		(d) Prices are governed as far as practicable by commercial and market forces; and	xxx	
		(e) Efficiency is encouraged.	xxx	
	3.1.2	In addition to its obligations and functions under the Grid Code and Distribution Code (if any), the Technical Committee shall from time to time as necessary and appropriate, and whenever the *PEM Board* directs:	~~In addition to its obligations and functions under the Grid Code and Distribution Code, (if any), the~~ **The** Technical Committee shall from time to time as necessary and appropriate, and whenever the *PEM Board* directs:	There are no provisions in the Philippine Grid Code and Distribution Code with regard to the obligations and functions of the TC.
		(a) Monitor technical matters relating to the operation of the *spot market;*	(a) Monitor technical matters relating to the operation of the *spot market;*	
		(b) Provide a report to the *PEM Board* on any matter of a technical nature relating to any WESM	(b) Provide a report to the PEM Board on any matter of a technical nature relating to any WESM member which in the	Uses WESM Members instead of WESM Participant for wider coverage of reporting.

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		member which in the reasonable opinion of the Technical Committee, causes: i. That *WESM Participant* to be unable to comply with the *WESM Rules*; or ii. Unintended or distortionary effects to the operation of the *WESM;*	reasonable opinion of the Technical Committee, causes: i. That *WESM* ***Member*** ~~*Participant*~~ to be unable to comply with the WESM Rules; or ii. Unintended or distortionary effects to the operation of the WESM; **Provided further that, the concerned *WESM Member* shall be immediately notified in writing with regard to the result/s of said report.**	To give due notification to the concerned WESM Member.
		(c) Assist the *PEM Board* by providing expertise in relation to: i. *Metering* technology and *metering data*; ii. Information technology; and iii. Any other matter of a technical nature	(c) Assist the *PEM Board* by providing expertise in relation to: i. *Metering* technology and *metering data*; ii. Information technology; and iii. Any other matter of a technical nature relating	

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		relating to the *spot market*;	to the *spot market*.	
		(d) From time to time if the Technical Committee in its discretion deems necessary or appropriate, propose amendments to the *WESM Rules* in relation to technical matters, in accordance with chapter 8 of the WESM Rules with a view to: i. Improving the efficiency and the effectiveness of the operation of the *spot market*; and ii. Improving or enhancing the prospects for the achievement of the *WESM* objectives; and	(d) From time to time if the Technical Committee in its discretion deems necessary or appropriate, propose amendments to the WESM Rules in relation to technical matters, in accordance with chapter 8 of the WESM Rules ~~with a view~~ to: i. ~~Improving~~ **Improve** the efficiency and the effectiveness of the operation of the *spot market*; and ii. ~~Improving or enhancing~~ **Improve or enhance** the prospects for the achievement of the *WESM* objectives; and	Minor revision.
		(e) Assist the *Rules Change*	(e) Assist the *Rules Change*	

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		Committee in relation to its assessment of Proposals of a technical nature to amend the *WESM Rules* under Chapter 8.	*Committee* in relation to its assessment of Proposals of a technical nature to amend the *WESM Rules* under Chapter 8.	
	3.1.3	Upon request, provide the PEM Board with recommendations on the technical adequacy of reports, procedures and strategic proposals referred to the committee;	Upon request, provide the PEM Board with recommendations on matters ~~the technical adequacy of reports, procedures and strategic proposals~~ referred to the committee;	
		(a) Assist the PEM Board committees or PEMC in any request for technical reviews and studies deemed to be under the expertise of the TC;	(a) Assist the PEM Board, ~~committees~~ **PEM Committees** ~~or~~ **and** PEMC **with**~~in~~ any request for technical reviews ~~or~~ and stud**y** ~~ies~~ deemed to be under the expertise of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee;**	*PEM Committee* is defined in the WESM Rules.
		(b) Assist the PEM Audit Committee in the conduct of Audits in matters needing its technical	(b) Assist the PEM Audit Committee in the conduct of Audits in matters needing its technical expertise; and	

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		expertise; and		
		(c) Assist the trading participant for any technical related request in accordance with Section 4 of this Manual.	(c) Assist **a *WESM Member*** ~~the trading participant~~ **with** ~~for~~ any technical-related request in accordance with Section 4 of this Manual.	WESM Member is used instead of trading participant for wider coverage of assistance as intended in the WESM Rules.
Selection and Appointment	**3.2**	The selection and appointment of the TC members shall be in accordance to the WESM Manual on Guidelines Governing the Constitution of the PEM Board Committees, Issue 2.0.	The selection and appointment of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** members shall be in accordance **with** ~~to~~ the ~~WESM Manual on~~ Guidelines Governing ~~the~~ Constitution of the PEM Board Committees~~, Issue 2.0.~~	See general proposal.
Reports	**3.3**			
	3.3.1	The TC shall prepare an Annual Report to be submitted to the PEM Board not later than three (3) months from the end of the calendar year. The report shall cover the Committee's accomplishments and pending issues and activities for the stated period. It shall also include the work plan of the	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall prepare an Annual Report to be submitted to the PEM Board not later than three (3) months from the end of the calendar year. The report shall cover the ~~Committee's~~ accomplishments and pending issues and activities **of the Technical Committee** for the stated period. It shall also include	See general proposal.

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		Committee for the succeeding calendar year.	the work plan of the ~~Committee~~ **Technical Committee** for the succeeding calendar year.	
	3.3.2	As necessary and appropriate or whenever the Board directs, the TC shall submit a report to the Board in relation to its responsibilities specified under Section 3.1 of this Manual.	As necessary and appropriate or whenever the Board directs, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall submit a report to the Board in relation to its responsibilities specified under Section 3.1 of this Manual.	See general proposal.
Publication	**3.4**			
	3.4.1	The TC shall publish its report and other activities in the WESM information website. The version of reports for publication should take into account the provision under Section 6 of this Manual.	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall publish its **annual** report and ~~other activities~~ work plan in the WESM information website **within ~~the month of January~~ the first quarter of the following year**. **Subject to the provisions under Section 6 of the Technical Committee Manual, the Technical Committee shall publish its technical reports in**	To specify that the TC annual report and work plan should be published for public information but reports on TC studies and reviews may be published for public information with due consideration of the provisions under *Confidentiality and Disclosure of Information.* To inform WESM Members when to check the WESM website for updates regarding the Technical Committee's

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			the WESM information website. The WESM Helpdesk shall inform WESM Members once the technical report is published in said website. ~~The version of reports for publication should take into account the provisions under Section 6 of this Manual.~~	report
	3.4.2	Reports that require approval or confirmation by the PEM Board shall be published only upon approval of the Board.	xxx	
REVIEW OF TECHNICAL MATTERS	**4**			
Coverage and Scope	**4.1**	The TC shall conduct technical reviews and studies in relation to: (a) Power plant technical parameters;	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall conduct technical reviews and studies in relation to: --xxx—	See general proposal.

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		(b) Transmission technical parameters; (c) Metering technology and metering data; (d) Information technology; (e) Matters of technical nature that led to non-compliance of any WESM Participant, and/or distortionary effects to the WESM operation; (f) Improvements and new trends in technology relating to the WESM that may enhance efficiency and effectiveness of the operation of the spot market and the prospects for the achievement of the WESM objectives; and (g) Any other matter of a technical nature relating to the spot Market.	g) Any other matter of a technical nature relating to the spot mMarket.	
Nature of Review/	**4.2**	In accordance to Section 4.1.1	**4.2 Nature of Review/or Study**	Minor revisions.

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Study		of this Manual, the TC shall undertake requests for technical review or study which may be of the following nature: (a) Rules/Manual Review; (b) Incidents /Case Study; (c) Position paper; and	In accordance ~~to~~ **with** Section 4.1.~~1~~ of this Manual, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall ~~undertake~~ **address the** requests for technical review or study which may be in the nature of **any** of the following ~~nature~~: (a) Rules~~/~~ **or** Manual Review; (b) Incidents~~/~~ **or** Case Study; (c) Position p **P**aper; ~~and or~~ (d) Other nature of request**s** that the requesting party specifies.	
Procedures	**4.3**			
	4.3.1	The TC shall conduct technical reviews and studies as requested by the PEM Board, Department of Energy (DOE) and Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC).	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall conduct technical reviews and studies as requested by the PEM Board, ~~Department of Energy (DOE)~~ and ~~Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC)~~.	See general proposal.
	4.3.2	Any request for technical review or study from WESM Governance Committees, PEMC	Any request for technical review or study from ~~WESM Governance~~ **PEM** Committees, PEMC **or a**	Correspondences to WESM Governance Committees are normally addressed through the

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		and the trading participants shall be submitted to TC addressed through the TC Secretariat using the prescribed Request Form (Annex A).	**WESM Member** ~~and the trading participants~~ shall be submitted to **the** ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee,** addressed through the ~~TC Secretariat~~ **Market Assessment Group,** using the prescribed Request Form (Annex A).	MAG.
	(new)		**4.3.3 Upon receipt, the Market Assessment Group shall acknowledge receipt of the request for review or study, within five (5) working days.** **The request shall be included in the agenda in the next Technical Committee meeting during which the Technical Committee shall decide whether or not to accept the request, pursuant to Section 4.1 Coverage and Scope as defined in this Manual, and the timeline for the review or study, as applicable, during the meeting.**	To give the TC ample time to decide on its acceptance or non-acceptance of the request for review or study. A thorough discussion of the request is needed for the TC to decide on the request. The original 15-working day timeframe limits the TC in doing so.

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	4.3.3	Within fifteen (15) working days from receipt of the request from the WESM Governance Committee/s or PEMC or the trading participant, the TC shall advise the requesting party in writing of its action on the request together with information on the estimated length of time the TC will take to complete the requested study, in case the study falls within the Coverage and Scope as defined in Section 4.1 of this Manual for TC Studies. If the TC does not communicate its non-acceptance in writing within said time, then the TC is deemed to have accepted the request provided it is within the Coverage and Scope as defined in Section 4.1 of this Manual for TC studies.	~~4.3.3~~**4.3.4** Within fifteen (15) working days from **the meeting when the request was discussed,** ~~receipt of the request from the WESM Governance Committee/s or PEMC or the trading participant,~~ the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall advise the requesting party in writing, of its action on the request, together with information on the estimated length of time the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** will take to complete the requested **review or** study, in case the study falls within the Coverage and Scope as defined in Section 4.1 of this Manual for TC Studies. If the TC does not communicate its **action** ~~non-acceptance~~ in writing within said time, then the TC is deemed to have accepted the request provided it is within the Coverage and Scope as defined in	Renumbered to **4.3.4.** Correspondence to the requesting party regarding the acceptance or non-acceptance of the request will be reckoned from the day the request was discussed by the TC.

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			Section 4.1 of this Manual ~~for TC studies~~.	
	4.3.4	In instances when a report cannot be finished within the estimated time, the TC shall advise the requesting party in writing prior to the original target date, the revised target of completion of the study explaining the reason for the revised target date.	~~4.3.4~~ **4.3.5** In instances when a ~~report~~ **the review or study** cannot be finished within the estimated time, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall advise the requesting party**,** in writing**,** prior to the original target date, the revised target of completion of the **review or** study explaining the reason for the revised target date.	Renumbered to **4.3.5** with minor revisions.
	4.3.5	In the course of the conduct of its review or study, the TC may coordinate with PEMC and other WESM Governance Committees, if deemed necessary. All meetings or request for information related to the TC activities shall be coursed through the MAG.	~~4.3.5~~**4.3.6** In the course of the conduct of its review or study, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** may coordinate with ~~PEMC and other WESM Governance Committees~~ **other parties**, if deemed necessary. All meetings or request**s** for information related to the ~~TC activities~~ **review or study** shall be coursed through the Market Assessment Group.	Renumbered to **4.3.6.** Other than PEMC or WESM Governance Committees, the TC may coordinate with other entities such as NIA, NWRB, PAG-ASA, NGCP, etc.
	4.3.6	From time to time, if the TC	~~From time to time, if the TC deems~~	Consolidated with **Clause 4.3.5.**

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		deems necessary, the Committee shall call for a consultation meeting or series of meetings with the PEMC, WESM Governance Committees or WESM Participants to solicit comments in relation to the studies and other activities being undertaken by the TC.	~~necessary, the Committee shall call for a consultation meeting or series of meetings with the PEMC, WESM Governance Committees or WESM Participants to solicit comments in relation to the studies and other activities being undertaken by the TC.~~	
	4.3.7	The completed technical study or review of the TC shall be submitted to the PEM Board within a week after its completion, for its information and necessary actions.	4.3.7 The completed technical review or study ~~of the TC~~ shall be ~~submitted~~ **transmitted** to **the requesting party** ~~within a week after its completion~~ **within two weeks after its completion** for its information and necessary actions. **A copy of the technical review or study shall be transmitted to the PEM Board for its information and proper action.** [GAR1]	Provides for a timeline within which to transmit to the requesting party a copy of the completed study. Also provides that the study shall also be furnished to the PEM Board for its information.
	4.3.8	A copy of the completed technical study or review as requested by the trading participants shall be furnished d to the trading participant within	~~A copy of the completed technical study or review as requested by the trading participants shall be furnished d to the trading participant within one week after its~~	Covered in **Clause 4.3.7.**

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		one week after its completion and the same shall be posted on the WESM website.	~~completion and the same shall be posted on the WESM website.~~	
	4.3.9	If the requested study falls beyond the Coverage and Scope defined in Section 4.1 of this Manual, the TC shall inform the requesting party through writing of its non-acceptance of the request.	~~If the requested study falls beyond the Coverage and Scope defined in Section 4.1 of this Manual, the TC shall inform the requesting party through writing of its non-acceptance of the request.~~	Consolidated with **Clause4.3.3.**
	4.3.10	The TC shall submit for the information of the PEM Board a monthly report on all requests it received and the action taken by the TC on the same, whether such request was accepted or denied by the TC.	~~The TC shall submit for the information of the PEM Board a monthly report on all requests it received and the action taken by the TC on the same, whether such request was accepted or denied by the TC.~~	This is currently not implemented.
ACCESS TO INFORMATION AND DATA MANAGEMENT	**5**			
	5.1	To perform its functions and achieve its objectives, the TC	To perform its functions and achieve its objectives, the ~~TC~~	See general comment.

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		shall have the authority to request and access any relevant data, information, report or document that a WESM Member, Market Operator and System Operator may have in its possession.	**Technical Committee** shall have the authority to request and access any relevant data, information, report or document that a WESM Member, Market Operator and System Operator may have in its possession.	
	5.2	A request for information by the TC shall: (a) Be in writing; (b) Indicate the reason of the request; (c) Specify the document or information requested and, when applicable the format; (d) Specify reasonable time within which the information must be provided; and (e) Provide other relevant information or clarification to ensure that the Recipient	A request for information by the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall: ---xxx--- (e) Provide other relevant information or clarification to ensure that the rRecipient understands the request.	See general comment.

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		understands the request.		
CONFIDENTIALITY AND DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION	6			
	6.1	The disclosure of information by the TC shall be guided by the provisions under the WESM Rules and applicable Market Manual.	The disclosure of information by the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall be guided by the **applicable** provisions under the WESM Rules and **relevant** ~~applicable~~ Market Manual**s**.	See general comment.
	6.2	The TC shall disclose true and complete information and correct mistakes immediately. If any information disclosed is found to be false, incomplete, or misleading, the TC must immediately take steps to correct it.	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** shall disclose true and complete information ~~and correct mistakes immediately~~. If any information disclosed is found to be false, incomplete, or misleading, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** must immediately take steps to correct it.	See general comment. Removes redundancy.
	6.3	The TC may disclose information in certain circumstances: (a) Information that is not confidential may be	The ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** may disclose information in certain circumstances: (a) Information that is not	See general comment.

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		disclosed such as information that is generally and publicly available;	confidential may be disclosed such as information that is generally and publicly available;	
		(b) Confidential information on the basis of a formal undertaking by the recipient that the information will not be disclosed to another person and that the information will only be used for the purpose for which it was provided in the following circumstances: i. To an external professional adviser, auditor or other consultant of the TC for the purpose of carrying out its	(b) Confidential information on the basis of a formal undertaking by the recipient that the information will not be disclosed to another person and that the information will only be used for the purpose for which it was provided in the following circumstances: i. To an external professional adviser, auditor or other consultant of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** for the purpose of carrying out its functions; ii. If it is necessary in	See general comment.

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		functions; ii. If it is necessary in order to fulfill the lawful requirements of or is in connection with, legal proceedings, arbitration, expert determination or other dispute resolution mechanisms relating the WESM Rules;	order to fulfill the lawful requirements of or is in connection with, legal proceedings, arbitration, expert determination or other dispute resolution mechanisms relating the WESM Rules;	
		(c) Confidential information on the basis that: i. It has written consent of the person or entity who provided the information and from the person or persons about whom that	(c) Confidential information on the basis that: i. It has written consent of the person or entity who provided the information and from the person or persons about whom that information relates; and ii. It is required to the	

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		information relates; and ii. It is required to the extent to protect the safety of personal, equipment or the market.	extent required to protect the safety of personnel, ~~personal,~~ equipment. ~~or the market.~~	
	6.4	Except for the approved Highlights of TC Meetings, the disclosure of Committee information or other documents such as but not limited to the TC Minutes of Meeting, used by the TC in the course of its discussions may only be shared by a TC Member with the company it represents upon the approval of the TC Chairman.	~~Except for the approved Highlights of TC Meetings, the disclosure of Committee information or other documents such as but not limited to the TC Minutes of Meeting, used by the TC in the course of its discussions may only be shared by a TC Member with the company it represents upon the approval of the TC Chairman.~~	Covered in **Clause 6.3.**
	6.5	If deemed necessary, the TC may come up with a public version of its reports to ensure that confidential reports or information are not disclosed.	6.4~~5~~If deemed necessary, the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** may come up with a public version of its reports to ensure that confidential reports or information are not disclosed.	See general proposal. Renumbered to 6.4

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	6.6	If a WESM Member, the SO, or the MO marks or claims that a document or information requested is confidential then: (a) The party shall provide the TC with the reasons that justify such confidentiality treatment; and	6.56If a WESM Member, the **System Operator**, or the **Market Operator** marks or claims that a document or information requested is confidential then: (a) The party shall provide the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** with the reasons that justify such confidentiality treatment; and	See general proposal.
		(b) TC will review the confidentiality claim and if the claim is valid, the requirements for protection of such document or information, as may be necessary to ensure the confidentiality and commercial value.	(b) ~~TC~~ **the Technical Committee** will review the confidentiality claim and if the claim is valid, the requirements for protection of such document or information, **shall be taken** as may be necessary to ensure the confidentiality and commercial value.	See general proposal. Requires protection of confidential information
LIMITATION OF LIABILITY AND INDEMNIFICATION	**7**			
	7.1	In performing its functions and	In performing its functions and	Similar to the section on

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		responsibilities as contained in this Manual, the TC shall not be personally liable for any loss or damage suffered or incurred by a WESM Member, the System Operator, the Market Operator or any other person as a consequence of any act or omission of those persons in the performance of their functions unless the TC, as the case may be, acted with malice, manifest partiality, bad faith, gross incompetence or gross negligence.	responsibilities as contained in this Manual, a ~~the TC~~ **Technical Committee member** shall not be personally liable for any loss or damage suffered or incurred by a WESM Member, the System Operator, the Market Operator or any other person as a consequence of any act or omission of those persons in the performance of their functions unless the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee member**, as the case may be, acted with malice, manifest partiality, bad faith, gross incompetence or gross negligence.	*Limitation of Liability and Indemnification* in other Market Manuals.
	7.2	Except for liability arising out of conduct involving malice, manifest partiality, bad faith, gross incompetence or gross negligence, if the TC is made liable to pay any amount for loss or damage suffered or incurred by any person or entity as a	Except for liability arising out of conduct involving malice, manifest partiality, bad faith, gross incompetence or gross negligence, if the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee member** is made liable to pay any amount for loss or damage suffered or incurred by any person	Similar to the section on *Limitation of Liability and Indemnification* in other Market Manual.

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		consequence of any of its acts or omissions in the performance of its duties, the PEMC shall indemnify said persons through an indemnification process to be developed by the PEM Board. Said indemnification shall cover: (a) The full amount adjudged; and (b) The costs and expenses incurred by the member of the TC, as applicable, in defending itself in the related proceeding(s).	or entity as a consequence of any of its acts or omissions in the performance of its duties, the PEMC shall indemnify said persons through an indemnification process to be developed by the PEM Board. Said indemnification shall cover: (a) The full amount adjudged; and (b) The costs and expenses incurred by the member of the ~~TC~~ **Technical Committee** as applicable, in defending itself in the related proceeding(s).	
REQUEST FOR TECHNICAL STUDY/REVIEW FORM	**ANNEX A**		(see Annex A)	

Note: For convenience, please underline and put in bold letters the proposed changes to the WESM Manual

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TC-RSTR FORM A

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REQUEST FOR TECHNICAL STUDY/ TECHNICAL REVIEW

Requests made only under this prescribed form shall be accepted and considered as submitted.

This request for technical review or study can be submitted to:

TECHNICAL COMMITTEE
Thru: **Market Assessment Group**
Philippine Electricity Market Corporation
18/F Robinsons Equitable Tower
ADB Avenue, Ortigas Center
Pasig City, 1605 Philippines
Email addresses: mag@wesm.ph
Fax Number: (+632) 395-2704

I. Requesting Party

Name	
Designation	
Signature	
Company	
Company Address	
Telephone Number	
Fax. No.	
Email address	

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II. Request Information

Topic:	
Nature of Request *(please indicate with x)* ☐ Rule/ Manual Review ☐ Incidents/Case Study ☐ Position Paper ☐ Others (Please Specify):	
Details of the Request: *Please provide the purpose, scope and details of the study/review. Attach*	
Urgent Request : ☐ Yes ☐ No	

Date Received by MAG:

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Date of Endorsement to the TC:
Actions Taken By TC:
TC Resolutions:

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