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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 014 . 16

To : All Water Districts
Subject : Water District 2018 GPBs and 2016 ARs
Date : October 21, 2016

Per Memorandum Circular No. 2015-03 dated May 19, 2013 issued by the Philippine Commission on Women (PCW), the Local Water Utilities Administration (LWUA), which exercises regulatory jurisdiction over water districts, was identified as the preliminary reviewer of water district GAD Plans and Budget (GPBs). But a moratorium on the review and endorsement of WDGPBs was imposed for fiscal years 2016 and 2017.

On October 10, 2016, PCW issued MC No. 2016-06, extending the moratorium. During this moratorium period, LWD shall continue to prepare their annual GPBs and GAD ARs for submission to LWUA. For categories A, B, and C, their GPBs shall be reviewed by LWUA, but will not be reviewed nor endorsed by PCW.

The LWUA Advisors/Reviewers shall review whether the identified gender issues and corresponding GAD programs, activities and projects (PAPs) of water districts are appropriate based on the parameters set under the aforementioned issuances and are aligned with the water district's mandates, as well as the sector's GAD goals and objectives.

In view thereof, all Water Districts under Categories A, B, and C should submit their CY 2018 GAD Plans and Budgets and CY 2016 GAD Accomplishment Report following the parameters set under PCW MC Nos. 2015-03 and 2016-05 and PCW-NEDA-DBM Joint Circular 2012-01 on or before December 15, 2016.

For compliance.

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