

Philippines

1. Legal framework for improvement of energy efficiency and conservation (3) National plan for promoting energy efficiency and conservation

B. Expanded Rural Electrification Program (1999-)

1. Name of measure

Expanded Rural Electrification Program
(Started in 1999)

2. Purpose of measure

To Expand Rural Electrification.

a) Power distribution equipment in rural areas

b) Organization and supervision of REC, training for its staff and so on.

Attaining of 100% barangay electrification by 2008

The Expanded Rural Electrification (ER) Program integrates the rural and missionary electrification efforts of the government in collaboration with the private sector, non-government organizations, and several donor-funded projects with the view to attaining total barangay electrification by 2008 and 90% household electrification by 2017.

3. Target sector (transport, building, manufacturing, etc.)

Local government units

4. Funds and budget for the measure

5. Method for measuring the effect of the measure (energy consumption reduction, energy cost reduction, etc.)

Monitoring the rural electrification program accomplishments.

6. Results of measures

Philippines total electrification level as of July 2007 stood at 95.5 percent having electrified 40,086 barangays out of the total 41,980 barangays.

7. Future tasks

Exploring innovative strategies to deliver electricity services in the remote areas, in particular, areas that are untenable due to peace and order situation, inaccessibility and low population density.

8. Others

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