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Mr. ROLAND HIDALGO

Board President, Leyte II Electric Cooperative, Inc. (Leyeco II)
Real St., Tacloban City

Dear President Hidalgo,

Greetings!

This refers to the housing allowance and hospitalization benefits reportedly enjoyed by Atty. Jerry Gwen Conde, LEYECO II's general manager.

It is our understanding that based on the policy of the National Electrification Administration (NEA), housing allowance are only given to managers who are living outside the franchise area of the cooperative and Atty. Conde is known to be residing in Tacloban City, very near the LEYECO II office.

It is also our understanding based on the decision of the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) on the Rate Unbundling application of LEYECO II and NEA policy that hospitalization benefits are not allowed.

We are, therefore, greatly disturbed by this report if found to be true because this is highly anomalous and will bring disgrace to the entire management even if these were committed only by one person.

In this regard, may we seek your personal intervention as the president of the Cooperative by furnishing us copy of the invoices/vouchers representing the housing and hospitalization benefits claimed by Atty. Conde?

We understand this may be difficult on your part but as the president of LEYECO II, it is your avowed mandate to protect the cooperative from any possible anomalous transactions or you may be perceived as part of it if you refuse to provide us the aid documents.

We look forward to your personal support as the Coop president in bringing out the truth. Should you fail to respond honestly and truthfully, we shall course our request to the Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC) and the National Electrification Administration (NEA).

And should our inquiry proved to the veracity of the reports we received, we will take the necessary legal action to bring the culprits to the proper venue.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,



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