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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. _____⁰³, SERIES OF 2012


SUBJECT: GUIDELINES ON THE IMPOSITION OF THE DAILY PENALTY OF TEN THOUSAND PESOS (P10, 000. 00) FOR DISCHARGING POLLUTIVE WASTEWATER WITHIN THE LAGUNA DE BAY REGION.

Pursuant to Board Resolution No. 404, Series of 2011 and Memorandum Circular No. 2011- 03, implementing the fines and penalties imposed under Section 28 of Republic Act No. 9275, otherwise known as "The Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004", the following guidelines are hereby adopted in the imposition of the daily penalty of Ten Thousand Pesos (P10, 000. 00) for discharging wastewater not in conformity with the effluent standard set by law:

1. Wastewater samples collected after June 17, 2011 by the Environmental Regulations Department, this Authority, not in conformance with the Revised Effluent Standard under the DAO 35, Series of 1990 shall be imposed a Ten Thousand Pesos (P10, 000. 00) daily penalty for discharging pollutive wastewater;
2. The computation of the P10, 000 daily penalty imposed in paragraph hereof shall commence from the date the Result of the Laboratory Analysis (ROLA) of the wastewater samples collected was released from the Resource Management and Development Department, this Authority.
3. For cases of oil spills, discharges of related petro-chemicals and other chemicals that will pose pollution to the Lake and its environs, the penalty cited in paragraph 1 hereof shall commence from the date the samples of its wastewater were collected for laboratory analysis.

These guidelines shall take effect immediately and shall remain in full force and effect unless, otherwise, revoked by this Authority.

Let this Memorandum Circular be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the Laguna de Bay Region and the National Administrative Register, UP Law Center.


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