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## MEMORANDUM

TO : The Directors  
Environmental Management Bureau  
Policy and Planning Service  
Legal Affairs Service

FROM : The Assistant Secretary  
Field Operations- Mindanao and Legislative Affairs

SUBJECT : **INVITATION FROM THE COMMITTEE ON ENERGY**

DATE : 11 February 2021

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This pertains to the letter dated 10 February 2021, from Representative **JUAN MIGUEL “MIKEY” M. ARROYO**, Chairman, Committee on Energy, inviting DENR to a virtual meeting on **17 February 2021 (Wednesday) at 10:30AM via Zoom Video Conferencing with Meeting ID: 856 4923 5882 Password: 787097**, for the deliberation of various bills relative to **“Downstream Oil Deregulation Industry”**.

Kindly inform this Office of your attendance before the scheduled date of the meeting and submit presentation, comments and/or position paper in hard and soft at the Legislative Liaison Office at telephone number 8920-1761 and e-mail address [denrlegislative@yahoo.com](mailto:denrlegislative@yahoo.com) for consolidation.

Attached are the Agenda and the invitation, for your ready reference.

You may contact the Committee Secretariat through [committee.energy@house.gov.ph](mailto:committee.energy@house.gov.ph) for any questions or clarifications.

  
JOAN A. LAGUNDA, D.M., D.P.A

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Republic of the Philippines  
**House of Representatives**  
Quezon City  
18<sup>th</sup> Congress

## COMMITTEE ON ENERGY

### INVITATION TO THE ZOOM MEETING

February 10, 2021

To the Energy Stakeholders

Sir/Madam:

Please be informed that the Committee on Energy will hold a virtual meeting on the date and time indicated hereunder:

<b>DATE/TIME</b>	<b>17 February 2021 (Wednesday) 10:30 A.M.</b>	<b>ZOOM LOG-IN DETAILS:</b> Meeting ID: <b>856 4923 5882</b> Password: <b>787097</b>
<b>AGENDA</b>	2 <sup>nd</sup> deliberation on the following measures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>House Bill No. 4550</b>, introduced by Rep. Santos-Recto, V. re: <i>To Promote Fair Trade in the Oil Industry, Amending R.A. No. 8479, Otherwise Knowns as the "Downstream Oil Deregulation Act of 1998</i></li><li>• <b>House Bill No. 4711</b>, introduced by Reprs. Zarate, C.; Gaito, F.; Cullamat, E., et.al. re: <i>Regulating the Downstream Petroleum Industry</i></li><li>• <b>House Bill No. 5172</b>, introduced by Rep. Go, M. re: <i>Amending R.A. No. 8479, Downstream Oil Industry Deregulation Act</i></li><li>• <b>House Bill No. 5186</b>, introduced by Rep. Marcoleta, R. re: <i>Act to Protect the Filipino Consumer from Arbitrary Increases in the Prices of LPG Being Charged by the Players of the LPG Industry, Amending Sections 19 and 14 of R.A. No. 8479, Downstream Oil Industry Deregulation Law of 1988</i></li><li>• <b>House Bill No. 7928</b>, introduced by Reprs. Dagooc, S.; de Jesus, P.; Ebcas, A.; Guya, G. re: <i>Act Empowering the ERC in Monitoring Oil Prices Charged to Oil-Based Power Generation Facilities, Amending R.A. 8479, Otherwise Known as the Downstream Oil Deregulation Act of 1998 for that Purpose</i></li><li>• <b>House Resolution No. 9</b>, introduced by Reprs. Zarate, I.; Cullamat, E.; Gaito, F.; et. al. re: <i>On the Alleged Predatory Pricing and/or Overpricing of Oil Products Hidden by their Unbundled Oil Prices</i></li><li>• <b>House Resolution No. 390</b>, authored by Rep. Quimbo, S. re: <i>On the Sudden Increase in Fuel Prices for September 2019, With the End in View of Passing Legislation to Stabilize Fuel Prices or Amend the Appropriate Laws</i></li></ul>	

Attached are the Agenda, the Minutes of the Meeting conducted on January 15, 2021 and the documents submitted by the DOE, for your ready reference.

Please confirm your participation to the Committee Secretariat through our e-mail: [committee.energy@house.gov.ph](mailto:committee.energy@house.gov.ph).

Your active participation is greatly appreciated.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

**JUAN MIGUEL "MIKEY" M. ARROYO**  
Chairperson

**COMMITTEE ON ENERGY**  
**ZOOM MEETING #16**  
**February 17, 2021 (Wednesday), 9:30 A.M.**  
**Meeting ID: 856 4923 5882**  
**Password: 787097**

**A G E N D A**

**Part I. Jointly with the Committee on Trade and Industry**

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Review and Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Joint Meeting conducted on August 04, 2020
- III. Opening Remarks of Chairperson Juan Miguel "Mikey" M. Arroyo, Energy Committee
- IV. Opening Remarks of Chairperson John Reynald M. Tiangco, Trade and Industry Committee
- V. Acknowledgement of Resource Persons/Guests
- VI. Report and Presentation of the Joint Technical Working Group (TWG) on the Draft Substitute Bill on the "Establishment of the Regulatory Framework for the Safe Operations of the LPG Industry" (In substitution of House Bills No. 302, 5642 and 7251)
- VII. Consideration and Approval of the Draft Substitute Bill on the LPG Industry by the Joint Committees
- VIII. Other Matters
- IX. Adjournment

**Part II. 2<sup>nd</sup> deliberation on House Bills No. 4550, 4711, 5172, 5186 and 7928; House Resolutions No. 09 and 390, "Amending the Downstream Oil Industry Deregulation", authored by Representatives Vilma Santos-Recto; Carlos Isagani Zarate; Ferdinand Gaité; Eufemia Cullamat, et.al.; Mark O. Go; Rodante Marcoleta; Sergio C. Dagooc; Presley C. de Jesus; Adriano A. Ebcas; Godofredo N. Guya; and Stella Luz Quimbo**

- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
  - II. Review and Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meetings conducted on November 13 and 23; and December 01, 2020 and January 15, 2021
  - III. Opening Remarks of Chairperson Juan Miguel "Mikey" M. Arroyo
  - IV. Acknowledgement of Resource Persons/Guests
  - V. 2<sup>nd</sup> deliberation on House Bills No. 4550, 4711, 5172, 5186 and 7928; and House Resolutions No. 09 and 390, Amending the Downstream Oil Industry Deregulation
  - VI. Other Matters
  - VII. Adjournment
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Invited Stakeholders/Guests:

**For the LPG substitute bill:**

1. Department of Energy (DOE)
2. Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)
3. DTI-Board of Investments (DTI-BOI)
4. Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG)
5. Department of Transportation (DOTr)
6. Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines (ULAP)
7. League of Municipalities of the Philippines (LMP)
8. League of Cities of the Philippines (LCP)
9. Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP)
10. Philippine National Police (PNP)
11. Petron Corporation
12. Isla LPG
13. Philippine Institute of Petroleum (PIP)
14. LPG Marketers Association (LPGMA)
15. LPG Refillers Association (LPGRA)
16. LPG Industry Association (LPGIA)
17. Philippine LPG Association (PLPGA)
18. Laban Konsyumer, Inc.

**For the Downstream Oil Deregulation bills:**

1. Department of Energy (DOE)
2. Department of Finance (DOF)
3. Department of Budget and Management (DBM)
4. Department of Justice (DOJ)
5. Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)
6. DTI-Bureau of Philippine Standards (DTI-BPS)
7. Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)
8. Department of Science and Technology (DOST)
9. Philippine Competition Commission (PCC)
10. National Electrification Administration (NEA)
11. Energy Regulatory Commission (ERC)
12. Philippine Institute of Petroleum (PIP)
13. Philippine IPP Association (PIPPA)
14. IPP Companies Association (IPPCA)
15. Petron Corporation
16. Pilipinas Shell
17. Total Philippines
18. Laban Konsyumer, Inc.

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