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SUBJECT: Guidelines for the Allocation
of Rural Water Supply Funds
and the Ranking of Level I
Rural Water Supply Projects

All central, regional and district offices are hereby directed to comply with the enclosed guidelines which aim to rationalize and systematize the allocation of water supply funds and the ranking of Level I rural water supply projects.

Annex A prescribes the formulae for the allocation of rural water supply funds which seek to reduce geographical disparities in access to public potable water supply facilities, by calculating the fund shares of regions/provinces/cities in direct proportion to their rural population not adequately served by public water supply facilities, but inversely weighted by their average rural household income so as to give greater attention to the depressed areas.

Annex B presents the guidelines to be used in ranking or prioritizing prospective Level I rural water supply projects. Priority-setting of projects will be made through a rating system using three basic parameters, namely (a) water supply in terms of accessibility, quality, and quantity, (b) per capita income of the community, and (c) project capital cost per capita.

This Order takes effect immediately.


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