

VISAYAS STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE

Baybay, Leyte, Philippines
Office of the President



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T O: All ViSCA Power Users

R E: Payment of Power Purchase Adjustment (PPA)

A review of ViSCA's monthly electricity billing revealed that almost 1/3 of the total amount represented payment of PPA. For the months of December 2000 and January 2001 the actual payments made by the College were as follows:

	<u>December 2000</u>	<u>January 2001</u>
Total Bill	P741,881.10	P848,849.09
PPA	235,233.56	276,889.54
PPA % to Total	32%	33%

What ViSCA has been charging the consumers is only the energy charge (EC) per kilowatt-hour (kwh) of P3.60, less than the actual amount paid by ViSCA which is P3.7928/kwh. ViSCA, therefore has been shouldering all the PPA for the total power consumption of the consumers (residential and non-residential) and a part of the EC of P0.1928 per kwh. Much as ViSCA would like to subsidize the cost of the PPA for the ViSCA residents, the College is precluded to do so because of its reduced budget.

In view of this, all ViSCA residents will be billed the corresponding monthly PPA rate on the total electricity usage in addition to the present EC on the excess kwh while the non-residents shall be billed the total charges on their actual power consumption. This memorandum shall take effect January 2001. The billing in charge is therefore directed to indicate the prior months' deficiencies in the current billing of consumers effective January 2001.

Please be guided accordingly.


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President