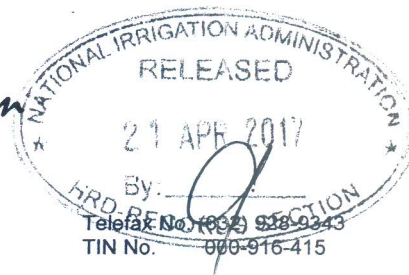


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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

**TO: THE DEPUTY ADMINISTRATORS, DEPARTMENT MANAGERS, REGIONAL IRRIGATION MANAGERS, OPERATIONS/ PROJECT MANAGERS, IRRIGATION MANAGEMENT OFFICE MANAGERS, AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED**

**SUBJECT: REVISED GUIDELINES IN THE DISTRIBUTION AND INSTALLATION OF IRRIGATION PUMPS UNDER THE ESTABLISHMENT OF GROUNDWATER PUMP IRRIGATION PROJECTS (EGPIP) AND OTHER RELATED IRRIGATION PROJECTS**

For the guidance of all concerned, the following revised guidelines in the distribution and installation of irrigation pumps under the EGPIP and other related irrigation projects is hereby issued:

1. There must be available groundwater for irrigation in the vicinity.
2. Well spacing or distance between wells shall be in accordance with the table below (As per Section 46-I of Water Code of the Philippines).

Rate of Withdrawal in Liters per Second	Minimum Distance between Wells in Meters
2-10	200
More than 10-20	400
More than 20-40	600
More than 40	1,000

3. Geotagged layout map of the proposed pump site and service area. Where geotag shall mean electronic tag that assigns location in the form of latitude and longitude coordinates.
4. For irrigation pumps that will draw water from canals, streams, creeks and lakes:
  - 4.1 Geotagged layout map showing location of pump, supply canals and service area.
  - 4.2 Cross-section of the water source indicating minimum and maximum water surface elevation and character of bed and banks.

