# National Competitiveness Summit Energy Sector

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#### **Outline of Presentation**

### I. Ensuring energy self-sufficiency and security

- A. Adequacy of Power Supply
- **B.** Alternative Fuels Development

- A. Interim measures prior to open access
- **B.** Facilitate implementation of open access



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#### A. Adequacy of Power Supply

#### 1. Process for Estimating Future Electricity Demand

**Forecasting methodologies:** government has been coming up with more realistic demand forecasts integrating the inputs from the distribution, transmission, generation

- DOE: Bottoms-up approach aggregation of individual DDPs of distribution utilities
- TRANSCO: Econometric forecast
- NPC: Trend analysis of data on historical peak demand

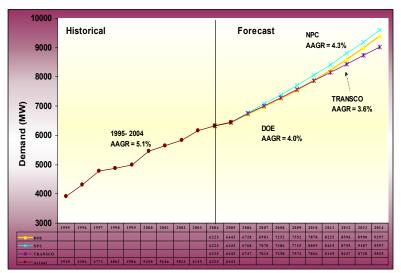
	Bottoms-up (DOE)		Econometrics (TRANSCO)		Trend analysis (NPC)	
Annual Average	Luzon	4.0	Luzon	3.6	Luzon	4.3
Growth Rate	Visayas	6.0	Visayas	6.0	Visayas	5.7
(%)	Mindanao	6.0	Mindanao	6.5	Mindanao	6.2

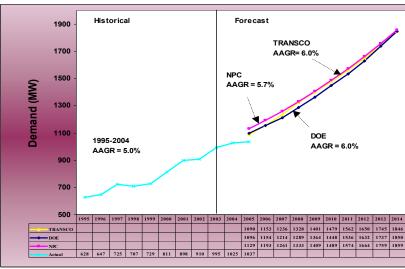
#### Different methodologies yield similar results.

- High confidence in resulting forecasts
- DOE, NPC and TRANSCO forecasts have minimal variance



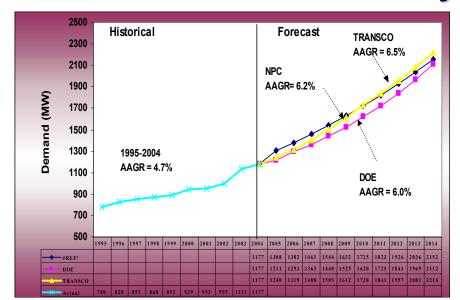
#### **Comparative Peak Demand Forecasts**





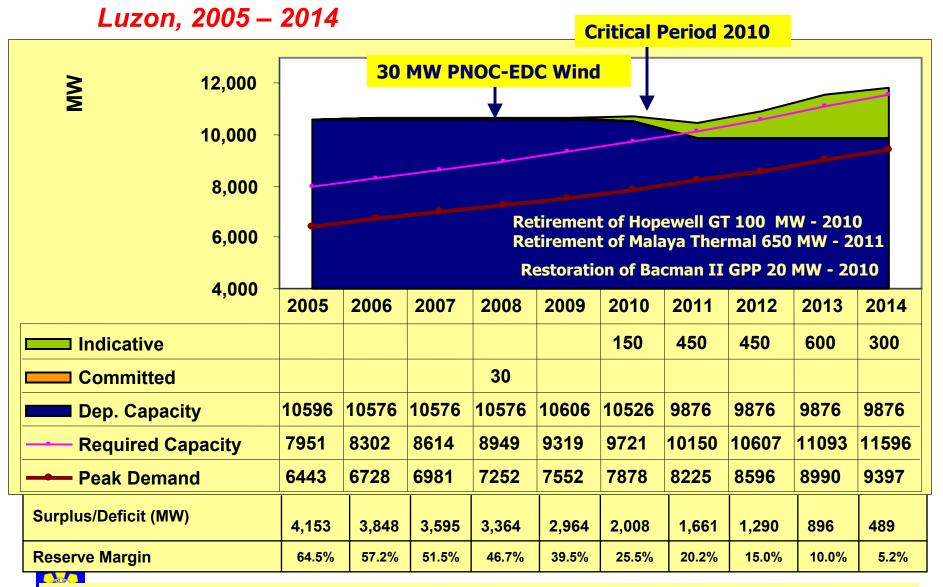
#### Luzon

**Visayas** 



**Mindanao** 

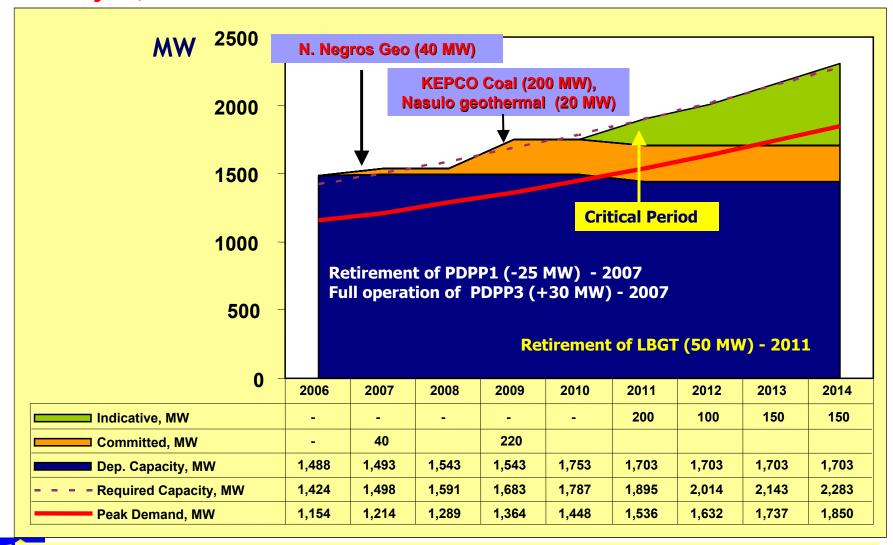
#### **SUPPLY DEMAND PROFILE**



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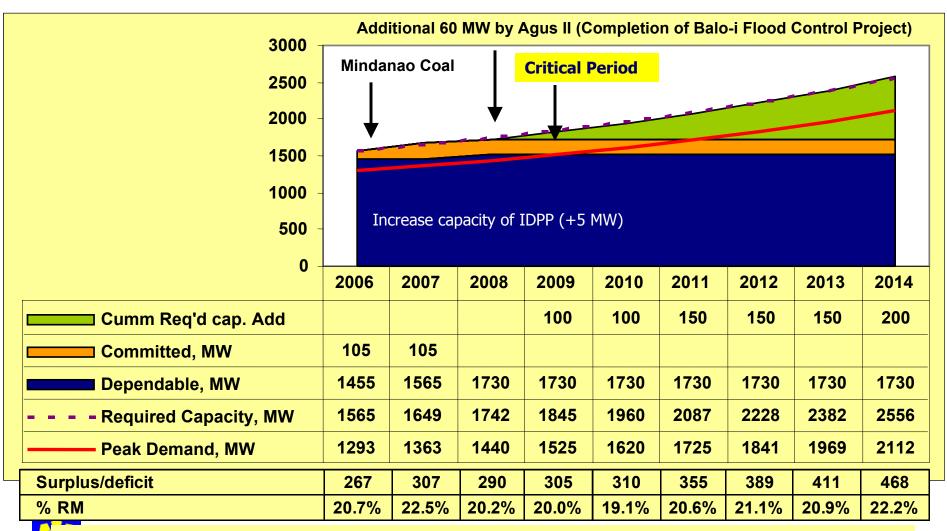
*Visayas, 2006 – 2014* 



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#### **SUPPLY DEMAND PROFILE**

Mindanao, 2005 – 2014





- A. Adequacy of Power Supply
- 2. Ongoing efforts to promote investments in additional capacity
- a. Encourage more active PSP in power generation

#### **Indicative Capacity Additions**

- Luzon
  - □ 550 MW Combined Cycle Natural Gas Plant (South Luzon)
  - □ 300-500 MW Ilijan CCGT expansion (South Luzon)
  - □ 600 MW Coal-fired Thermal Plant (North Luzon)
- Visayas
  - □ 100 MW Toledo Coal Expansion (Cebu)
  - □ 100 MW Coal-Fired Plant (Panay)
- Mindanao
  - □ 21.8 MW Minergy Diesel Plant Expansion (North Mindanao)
  - □ 46 MW Sibulan Hydropower (South Mindanao)
  - □ 50 MW Mindanao 3 Geothermal (North Mindanao)
  - □ 200 MW by MG Mining & Energy Corp (South Mindanao)
  - ☐ 68 MW Tagoloan Hydropower (North Mindanao)



#### A. Adequacy of Power Supply



- 3. DUs and large industrial/commercial users can help facilitate investments in new capacity by:
  - firming up and indicating their energy requirements
  - signing up for bilateral contracts with power providers to provide stable market



#### **B. Alternative Fuels Development**

- Push for the passage of the Biofuels Bill
  - □ Final stage of Committee Report deliberation at the Senate
  - □ Individual amendments to follow
  - □ Approval of 3rd reading targeted by Oct 2006
- Physical Targets
  - □ 10,000 hectare jatropha mega nursery cum provenance testing and seed orchard in 2006/07
  - □ 700,000 hectares of biofuel crop plantation from 2007 to 2009
  - □ 1 million MT biodiesel refinery from 2007 to 2010



- A. Efforts to reduce cost of electricity to large users and industrial customers prior to open access
  - Introduction of the Customer Choice Program in MERALCO franchise area
  - 2. NPC's One Day Power Sales Program
  - 3. Special Rates for Economic Zones
- B. The removal of cross-subsidies also slowed down the rate of increase in electricity prices for Industrial customers relative to Residential customers



- A. Interim measures prior to open access
- 1. Introduction of the Customer Choice Program (CCP)
- MERALCO customers with demand of 1 MW and above can avail of NPC TOU rates
  - □ Published and Application filed with ERC on September 26, 2006
  - Expected ERC issuance of Provisional Authority (PA) within 30 days
  - □ Implementation of CCP after the issuance of PA
- The same program can be expanded to cover areas outside of MERALCO, subject to ERC approval



- 2. NPC's One-Day Power Sales
  - Prices offered follow the marginal plant price (normally lower than the average TOU rate)
- 3. Special Rates for Economic Zones
  - □ PEZA (Baguio, Cavite, Bataan, Mactan)
  - Clark Special Economic Zones
  - Subic Bay Freeport Zone
- 4. Push for implementation of TOU rates at the distribution level for customers with demand below 1 MW



#### B. Facilitate implementation of open access

- Facilitate bilateral contracts between NPC and MERALCO
- Privatization of 70% of NPC Generating Assets in Luzon and Visayas
- 3. Accelerate appointment of IPP Administrators



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