2 June 2011

Engr. Vicente Obando and Other Requesters
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Subject: Notice of Registration
Request for Compliance Review (Request No. 2011/1)
Philippines: Visayas Base-Load Power Development Project
(Loan No. 2612/7303-PHI)

The Compliance Review Panel (CRP) refers to a request for compliance review (Request) filed by your representative, Mr. Jose Aaron Pedrosa, Jr., on behalf of certain requesting parties (Requesters) including Engr. Vicente Obando, and received by the Secretary, CRP by email on 23 May 2011. Full documentation relating to the Request was received by the Office of the Compliance Review Panel on 25 May 2011 and, as such, this date is the date of receipt of the Request.

The CRP also acknowledged the request for confidentiality for the Requesters, with the exception of Engr. Obando, as conveyed in Mr. Pedrosa’s email of 24 May 2011.

On 2 June 2011, ADB’s Special Project Facilitator confirmed to us that the Requesters had terminated their participation in the consultation phase of ADB Accountability Mechanism.

Therefore, in accordance with paragraph 30 of the CRP Operating Procedures (the CRP Procedures), the CRP has registered the Request in its Complaints Registry as Request No. 2011/1. The complaint registry is at: http://compliance.adb.org/dir0035p.nsf/alldocs/RDIA-8HF6GG?OpenDocument.

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The CRP will inform the ADB Board of Directors of the registration of this Request and will also issue a press advisory to be published on its website at: www.compliance.adb.org.

The registration of this Request does not address the eligibility of the Request or the merits of the allegation of non-compliance but serves to acknowledge receipt of the Request and to notify the Requesters of the registration of the Request.

In accordance with paragraph 31 of the CRP Procedures, the CRP will determine the eligibility of this Request by 16 June 2011 and will inform the Requesters of the decision. The CRP will also inform the ADB Board of Directors of its findings on eligibility.

Please confirm that all communications in connection with this Request will be sent and made through the nominated representatives of the Requesters at the following contact information:

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In your written communications to the CRP and OCRP, please indicate the registration number: Request No. 2011/1.

Yours sincerely,

Rusdian Lubis
Chair, Compliance Review Panel

cc: ADB President
ADB Board of Directors
Secretary, CRP