

# ANTI- PILFERAGE CAMPAIGNUNDER RA 7832

## THE FOLLOWING ACTS ARE UNLAWFUL AND SUBJECTS A PERSON TO CRIMINAL LIABILITY:

- Connect to electricity facilities of ZAMCELCO without consent of ZAMCELCO.
- Connect to electricity facility of another consumer without consent of the registered consumer or ZAMCELCO.
- Use of any device to tamper with accuracy of electric meters.
- Damage a meter or wire of ZAMCELCO for purpose of interfering with accuracy of electric meters.
- Receive any direct benefit due to the above schemes.

### CONSEQUENCES FOR THOSE FOUND TO HAVE ENGAGED IN PILFERAGE OF ELECTRICITY:



#### **IMPRISONMENT**

6 years to 12 years. If a ZAMCELCO employee is involved in the crime, the penalty is higher by one degree, meaning he will serve a minimum jail time of 12 years.



#### **FINE**

Fine between 50,000 pesos to 100,000 pesos.



#### DIFFERENTIAL

The registered customer shall be subjected to differential billing before re-connection which depends on inspection report can reach to as high as 60 months' worth of electricity bills.

ZAMCELCO has been suffering from high systems loss for several years. Despite vigorous efforts of the new ZAMCELCO in an ant-pilferage campaign, high systems loss continues to persist. In this regard, we are enhancing our anti-pilferage campaign by engaging the public. We need your help.

We seek information on pilferage activities in your areas. If you know of any information, please call us at (062) 991-2117 / 0917-307-1412 or email us at management@zamcelco.com.ph / consumer.helpdesk@zamcelco.com.ph for any incriminating information on pilferage of electricity. We will treat your information confidential.

For any information we receive that would lead to an apprehension, we will give the tipster a REWARD. If you provide incriminating information against a ZAMCELCO employee, the reward will be DOUBLE.

We will also be seeking **POLICE ASSISTANCE** in a massive anti-pilferage which we will be conducting. As such, let this be our final warning.

- If you are a ZAMCELCO employee engaged in these activities, please come forward and approach the general manager or the CMO. If we catch you, you will lose your job and jailed for at least 12 years.
- If you are a consumer aided by a pilferage syndicate, please remove these devices or illegal connections immediately. If you are caught with these devices or connections, you will be jailed for at least 6 years.
- If you are part of a syndicate, you will be prosecuted and all your property will be forfeited.

NOTE THAT UNBILLED USE OF ELECTRICITY CONTRIBUTES TO THE SYSTEMS LOSS OF ZAMCELCO. THIS MEANS THAT ENGAGING IN ILLEGAL ELECTRIC CONNECTIONS IS AN ACT OF THEFT FROM ALL THE CONSUMERS.

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## PILFERAGE ACTIVITIES AFFECT US ALL

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