IN RE: AMENDMENT TO RESOLUTION NO. 13-003-CA DATED 4 JUNE 2013 ON THE IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS ON COMMON REGULATORY ISSUES

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WHEREAS, upon the recommendation of the Technical Working Group on Common Regulatory Issues (TWG), the MWSS Regulatory Office (MWSS-RO) issued Resolution No. 13-003-CA dated 04 June 2003, approving eight (8) Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRRs) and recommending the same to the MWSS Board of Trustees (MWSS-BOT) for approval and confirmation;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the directive of the MWSS-BOT, the TWG conducted another round of mutual consultation and negotiation with the Concessionaires and the MWSS Corporate Office (MWSS-CO) to iron-out some contentious issues;

WHEREAS, on 6 August 2013, the TWG transmitted the hereto attached revised draft Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRRs) reflecting the consensus reached by MWSS-RO, MWSS-CO, Manila Water Company, Inc. (MWCI) and Maynilad Water Services, Inc. (MWSI), as follows:

- 2013 Revised IRR on the Disconnection and Reconnection of Water Service Connections (Annex “1”);

- IRR on Rate Classification and Billing Scheme of Small-Scale (Home-Based) Businesses (Annex “2”);

- IRR on Rate Reclassification of Places of Worship (Annex “3”);

- 2013 Revised IRR on the Billing Scheme and Rate Classification for High- Rise and Other Multiple Dwellings (ANNEX “4”);

- IRR on the Treatment and Rate Reclassification of Domestic Customers Inside Military and Police Installations (ANNEX “5”);

- IRR on Additional Meter and Transfer of Connection Tapping Point (ANNEX “6”); and

- IRR on the Rate Reclassification of Certain Government Institutions (ANNEX “7”).

WHEREAS, the TWG resolved to defer and withdraw its draft IRR on Administrative Fees and Charges for failure to arrive at a consensus;

WHEREAS, in a meeting on 7 August 2013, a quorum being present and voted throughout, the Executive Committee (EXECOM) of the MWSS-Regulatory Office resolved: (1) to adopt en toto the recommended seven (7) IRRs of the TWG; (2) to transmit to MWSS Board of Trustees the said IRRs for its approval and conformity; and (3) to cause their publication in the Official Gazette or in two (2) newspapers of general circulation, immediately upon the approval and conformity of the MWSS-BOT.

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