

National Power Corporation

LAND USE PERMIT / WATERSHED AREA CLEARANCE / SPECIAL TREE CUTTING PERMIT

Resource Utilization / Land Use / Activity	Application Fee	License/Permit Fee	Forest Charges (Php)	Performance Bonds	Service Fee	Rental
FOREST RESOURCES UTILIZATION						
Forest Products harvesting / collecting						
Timber harvesting / tree cutting / wood recovery permit: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. For personal use b. For livelihood c. Government project d. Public Safety e. Scientific use 	Php 300.00 / application	5 % of the value in terms of average forest charges of the products but not less than Php 100.00	25% of the actual FOB market price-based species and grading. Please refer to specific rates per species group/grade below.	20% of the total forest charges but not less than P10,000.00 plus reforestation deposit (except for application not exceeding 5 cu.m.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vol ≤ 3 cu.M. = Php 300.00 • Vol > 3 but ≤ 5 cu.M. = Php 500.00 • Vol > 5 cu. M. = Php 2,000.00 plus the actual traveling expenses of the team from official station to the site and back	
Other Forest Products Licenses/Permits						
Rattan poles and splits	Php 50.00 per 1,000 lineal meters	5 % of the value in terms of average forest charges of the	Php 5.50/kg	Twice the value of the forest charges for rattan provided the amount of		

		products but not less than Php 100.00		bond shall not be less than Php 10,000.00		
Bamboo	Php 0.20/unit of product measurement but not less than Php 250.00	5 % of the value in terms of average forest charges of the products but not less than Php 100.00	Please see rates in Forest Charges	20% of the market value but not less than Php 1,000.00		
LAND USE/ACTIVITY						
Special use of forest land						
Construction / development of Infrastructure facilities e.g. roads, bridges, canals, communication lines/towers, industrial complex and other similar projects	Php 500.00/ application			Twice (2) the annual rental	Php 50.00/ha. or a fraction thereof but not less than Php 2,000.00 plus the actual traveling expenses of the team from official station to the site and back	Php 1,700.00 per hectare or a fraction thereof subject to re-appraisal every 5 years
Operation of Energy Projects	Php 1,000.00/ application			Twice (2) the annual rental	Php 50.00/ha. or a fraction thereof but not less than Php 2,000.00 plus the actual traveling expenses of the team from official station to the site and back	Php 30,000.00 per hectare or a fraction thereof subject to re-appraisal every 5 years

Operation of Telecommunications and/or Transmission Lines/Towers and Allied Structure/Facilities	P 1,000.00/ application			Twice (2) the annual rental	Php 50.00/ha. or a fraction thereof but not less than Php 2,000.00 plus the actual traveling expenses of the team from official station to the site and back	Php 15,000.00 per Tower and Php 10,000.00 per circuit km. of communication cables or power lines or a fraction thereof subject to re-appraisal every 5 years
Exploration/Utilization and/or Similar Activities Affecting Mineral Resources	Php 1,000.00/ application			Php 20,000.00 surety bond	Php 50.00/ha. or a fraction thereof but not less than Php 2,000.00 plus the actual traveling expenses of the team from official station to the site and back	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 ha. or less = Php 70.00 /hectare • >1 ha. to 5 has. = Php 150.00 /hectare • >5 has = Php 250/ha

DETAILED RATES OF FOREST CHARGES FOR TIMBER, RATTAN, AND BAMBOO

SPECIES GROUP	FOREST CHARGES		
Timber (per cubic meter)	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao
a. Philippine Mahogany Group Manggasinoro Group Manggachapui Group Narig Group Palosapis Group Guijo Group	Php 1, 400.00	Php 1, 400.00	Php 1, 425.00
b. Yakal Group	Php 1, 500.00	Php 1, 500.00	Php 1, 530.00
c. Apitong Group	Php 1, 260.00	Php 1, 260.00	Php 1, 260.00
d. Softwood Species except Igem	Php 715.00	Php 715.00	Php 715.00
e. Igem	Php 1, 275.00	Php 1, 275.00	Php 1, 275.00
f. Nato	Php 1, 000.00	Php 1, 000.00	Php 1, 000.00
g. Furniture/ Construction Hardwood	Php 950.00	Php 950.00	Php 950
h. Premium Species, if allowed to be cut	Php 3, 000.00	Php 3, 000.00	Php 3, 000.00
i. Lesser-Used Species	Php 700.00	Php 700.00	Php 700.00

Rattan (per liner meter)	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao
a. Palasan, Calape and Kurakling			
a.1. over 2 cm in diameter	Php 1.40	Php 1.40	Php 1.40
a.1. 2 cm or less in diameter	Php 0.95	Php 0.95	Php 0.95
b. Sika and Arorog	Php 0.10	Php 0.10	Php 0.10
c. Tumalin, Limuran, Ditaan and other species of rattan			
c.1. over 2 cm in diameter	Php 1.40	Php 1.40	Php 1.40
c.2. 2 cm or less in diameter	Php 0.80	Php 0.80	Php 0.80
Bamboo (per meter)			
a. Kawayan Tinik/Kawayan Kiling	Php 0.60	Php 0.60	Php 0.60
b. Bayog	Php 0.30	Php 0.30	Php 0.30
c. Boho/Bolo	Php 0.20	Php 0.20	Php 0.20
d. Other species of erect bamboos	Php 0.15	Php 0.15	Php 0.15
e. All climbing bamboos	Php 0.10	Php 0.10	Php 0.10

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SURCHARGE

A surcharge of 8% per month shall be imposed for late application and/or payment of forest fees.