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**MEMORANDUM ORDER**  
 NO. 02-03-2012

**SUBJECT : GUIDELINES FOR GRANTING GENERAL AMNESTY FOR UNREGISTERED RADIO EQUIPMENT DURING THE 1<sup>ST</sup> RADIO SHOW AT THE SMX CONVENTION CENTER, MALL OF ASIA, PASAY CITY**

In the interest of public service and pursuant to the National Telecommunications Commission's thrust to abate the proliferation of unregistered radio equipments and in order to afford the owners/possessors/users thereof an opportunity to comply with the existing rules and regulations, this Memorandum Order is hereby issued to serve as guidelines for the registration of undocumented radio equipments under the radio services mentioned herein:

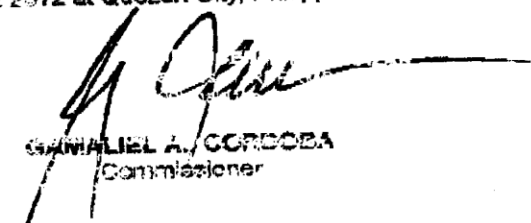
1. This Order shall apply only to:
  - a. Land Mobile Radio Service (Government/Private)
  - b. Personal Radio Service (PRS)
  - c. Amateur Radio Service
  - d. Wireless Data Network (outdoor)
2. The subsequent licensing of all radio equipment to be registered under and pursuant to this Order shall be in accordance with existing rules and regulations and the usual licensing procedures.
3. Registration Period : *September 7 - 8, 2012*
4. Registration Fees :

	<u>TYPE OF EQUIPMENT</u>	<u>FEES</u>
A.	VHF and UHF Radio Equipment	
	a) Portable	- Php 300.00
	b) Mobile/Base	- Php 500.00
B.	HF Radio Equipment	
	a) Low Power (below 50 watts)	- Php 500.00
	b) Medium Power (50-500 watts)	- Php 500.00
	c) High Power (above 500 watts)	- Php 500.00
C.	VHF/UHF Repeater	- Php 500.00
D.	WDM Outdoor Equipment	
	a) Central/Base	- Php 3,000.00
	b) Subscriber/Remote	- Php 2,000.00
E.	Microwave/Multichannel Radios	- Php 3,000.00

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5. Holders of expired Amateur Radio Operator Certificate/Station License (ROC/RSL) and of Club Station Licenses shall be allowed to renew their license without penalties, surcharges and without the need for re-examination (if applicable). In line with the ongoing call sign management modernization program of the Commission, all amateur applications under this Order shall be issued a new call sign subject to its availability and on a first come first serve basis.
6. Radio Station License issued to Civic Action Groups shall be allowed to be renewed without penalties and surcharges until 31 December 2012. Radio Equipment which are type-approved/accepted for amateur band and are being used in Civic Action Groups are hereby allowed to be registered and be issued a Radio Station License for a maximum validity period of three (3) years only.
7. Registrants and/or applicants may file their registration papers with the Commission through any of its Regional Offices or with the Radio Regulation and Licensing Department.
8. The registration of the above-stated radio equipment shall not be construed as an authority to possess, construct and/or operate the same without the corresponding permits/licenses. Any violation pertaining to the use of such registered equipment including its use by persons other than the registrant shall be a ground for appropriate administrative sanctions and/or fines and penalties as may be imposed by the Commission.
9. All radio equipment registered under this Memorandum Order shall be at the accountability of the registrant.
10. All licenses which have been revoked by final decision of the Commission are excluded from the amnesty program.
11. The Commission reserves the right to reject the registration of any radio equipment if and when warranted under the circumstances in the interest of the public.

Issued this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 2012 at Quezon City, Philippines.

  
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