



THE DISPUTE RESOLUTION ADMINISTRATOR (DRA)

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THE WESM DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

- The WESM Rules contain a process that facilitates the resolution of all disputes relating to or in connection with transactions in the WESM which may arise between or among any of the following:
 - a) The Market Operator
 - b) The System Operator
 - c) The PEM Board and its Working Groups except the Dispute Resolution Administrator
 - d) WESM members
 - e) Intending WESM members

THE OBJECTIVE OF THE WESM DISPUTE RESOLUTION PROCESS

The dispute resolution process is designed to be a cost-effective way of resolving disputes and preserving market relationships by avoiding the need to resort to court proceedings.



THE DISPUTE RESOLUTION ADMINISTRATOR



The current Dispute Resolution Administrator (DRA) is Atty. Jesusito G. Morillos, who is tasked to administer and ensure the effective implementation and operation of the WESM dispute resolution process, as well as facilitate in the resolution of disputes within the objectives established under the WESM Rules.

2019 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

In 2019, the DRA successfully administered the conduct of two (2) arbitration proceedings under the WESM Dispute Resolution Framework for the following cases:

| Cases | Subject of Dispute |
|----------------|--|
| WESM-Arb-18-01 | Claims for Real-time Dispatch Underpayment |
| WESM-Arb-18-02 | Claims for Settlement as Must-Run Unit |

The Arbitral Tribunal, composed of Atty. Teodoro Kalaw, Atty. Eduardo Ceniza, and Atty. Dranyl Jared Amoroso, issued the final awards for the said cases on 19 August 2019. Copies of the dispute resolution reports are available in the PEMC website.

2019 ACCOMPLISHMENT

- Made continuous improvements to the Dispute Resolution Market Manual and Processes
- Maintained an updated list of DMP Focal Persons and a roster of competent accredited Mediators and Arbitrators
- Initiated efforts for the promotion and awareness of the WESM Dispute Resolution Framework



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