

# METRO WATER IS SAFE TO DRINK

The Metro Manila Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Committee (MMDWQMC) in its March 10, 2017 meeting pronounced that the water supplied by Manila Water and Maynilad at the time of sampling fully complied with the 2007 Philippine National Standards for Drinking Water (PNSDW) based on the microbiological and physico-chemical examination done on water samples collected at strategically designated Regulatory Sampling Points in their respective distribution system in the month of February 2017. In addition, both Manila Water and Maynilad also met and even surpassed the minimum sampling frequency requirement of the 2007 PNSDW for both microbiological and physico-chemical quality.

**Water supplied by Manila Water and Maynilad in February 2017 is:**

- ✓ 100% Free from disease-causing coliforms
- ✓ 100% compliant with physical and chemical standards based on examination done on 586 samples taken from East Zone (Manila Water) and 918 samples from West Zone (Maynilad)

Based on the above findings, the Committee pronounced that drinking water in the Manila Water and Maynilad distribution system was of **Sanitary Quality** with adequate residual chlorine.

The committee further announced that out of 1,708 Water Refilling Stations monitored in Metro Manila for the month of February 2017, **only 1,662 passed** the standards set by PNSDW. Consumers are advised to look for the monthly microbiological quality and semi-annual physico-chemical results POSTED in their 'suki' or 'selected' refilling stations to ensure that the water they buy is SAFE and POTABLE.

## METRO WATER IS YOUR CONCERN TOO!


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