

# METRO WATER IS SAFE TO DRINK

The Metro Manila Drinking Water Quality Monitoring Committee (MMDWQMC) in its April 14, 2016 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 March 2016. 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 March 2016 is:

- ✓ 100% Free from disease-causing coliforms
- ✓ 100% compliant with physical and chemical standards based on examination done on 566 samples taken from East Zone (Manila Water) and 899 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 2,928 Water Refilling Stations monitored in Metro Manila for the month of March 2016, **only 2,889 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**.

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