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Objective –

The purpose of this procedure is to demonstrate the procedure for Water Meter Accuracy Tests and the interpretation of results thereof. In the past, the Cagayan de Oro City Water District (COWD) depended on tests using One Flow Rate only putting in doubt the results of the accuracy test. This document seeks to enhance the methods employed at the COWD Water Meter Testing Laboratory.

Scope –

This procedure covers the following activities:

- 1. Mounting of water meters, testing at four flow rates, and interpretation of test results. All defective water meters will be turned-over to Property and Supplies Management Division for disposal.
- 2. Replacement of water meter based on job orders received from Commercial Department.
- 3. Transfer or elevate of water meter as requested by concessionaire, meter readers, and Customer Account Division.
- 4. To verify if water meter installed on field is still accurate.

Definition of Terms -

Qmin (also Q1) - the minimum flow that can be measured by a water meter

Qt (also Q2) - the transitional flow rate

Qn (also Q3) - the nominal flow rate

Qmax (also Q4) - the maximum flow rate

Process Flow	Detailed Description	Responsibility	Retained Documented Information
Job Order Type of Job Orders	Water Maintenance General Foreman receives Job Order request from Commercial Department. The Job Order comes from various Customers within the service area of COWD. Foreman to determine the Type of Job Order. A – Transfer Meter B – Change Meter C – Meter Test (Field)	Water Maintenance General Foreman	Job Order Request

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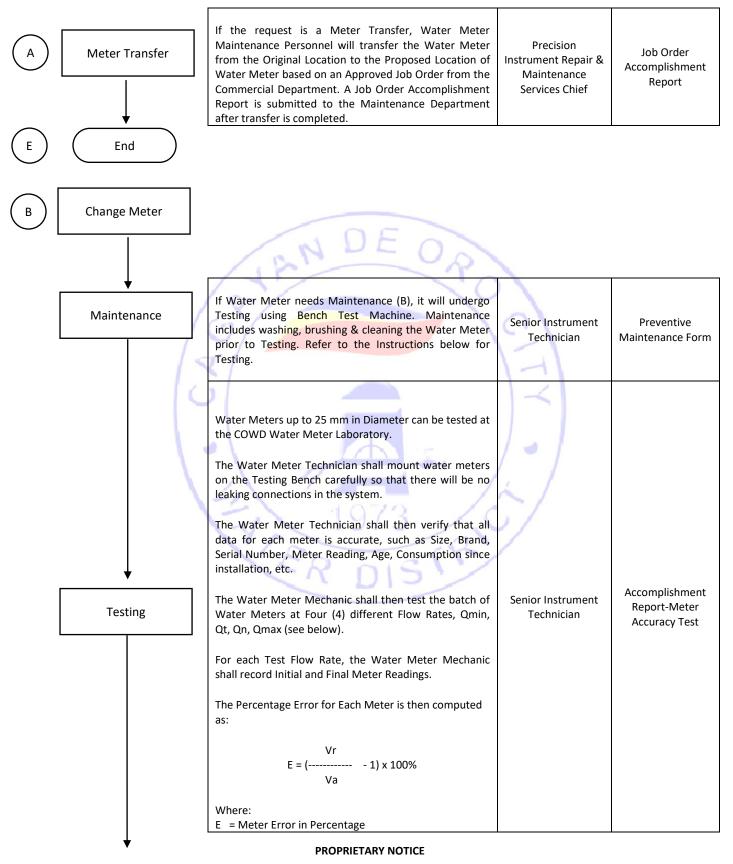
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1	Vr = Volume Registered (Final Reading –Initial Reading)		
	Va = Actual Test Volume (from the Calibrated Tank)		
Ļ	The Maximum Permissible Error for Water Meters per		
\sim	ISO 4064 are shown below:		
Testing	Qmin = +/- 5%		
Result?	Qt = +/- 2%		
	Qn = +/- 2%		
\checkmark	Qmax = +/- 2%		
↓ ↓	Water Meters whose errors exceed the above limits are		
Pass V	Tagged and marked for Disposal. Results of the Meter		
(е) (в)	Accuracy Test and all data gathered for the Water		
\bigcirc	Meters are recorded on Accomplishment Report-Meter		
	Accuracy Test.		
	If the Accuracy Test result is Pass, then Water Meter		
	will be installed again on field. But, if the result is Fail,		
	then Water Meter will be turned-over to Property		
	Supplies and Management Division for disposal.		
Testing Using		\sim	
Calibrating Bucket	If the requ <mark>est isMeter Test on Field,</mark> Precision	CIL	
	Instrument Repair & Maintenance Services Chief will	-	
	conduct Meter Test on Field using a Ten (10) Liters (10L)		
	Calibrating Bucket for Three (3) Trials.	Precision	
* (Instrument Repair &	Job Order
	If the average result of 3 trials is Pass, inform the	Maintenance	Accomplishment
Testing	Concessionaire that their Water Meter has No Defect.	Services Chief	Report
Result?			
	Maximum permissible error is ±5%.		
Y	If the result is Fail, change the Water Meter and		
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Reference Documents –

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1. ISO 4064 or the Metrological & Technical Requirements of Water Meters for Cold Potable Water & Hot Water

Records Generated –

- 1. Job Order Accomplishment Report
- 2. Accomplishment Report Meter Accuracy Test

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