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## **SEC FORM 17-C**

# CURRENT REPORT UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE AND SRC RULE 17.2(c) THEREUNDER

I. Date of Report: April 30, 2003

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2. SEC Identification Number: PW-102

- 3. BIR Tax Identification Code: 350-000-101-528
- 4. Name of Issuer as specified in its Charter: Manila Electric Company
- 5. Country of Incorporation: Philippines
- 6. Industry Classification: (SEC use only)
- 7. Address of principal office: Lopez Building, Ortigas Avenue, Pasig City
- 8. Issuer's telephone numbers: 16220 local 3186 Area Code: 0300
- 9. Former name or former address: Not Applicable
- 10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 18 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA:

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of <u>Common Stock Outstanding</u>	
Class "A"	603,786,777	
Class "B"	<u>402.524.517</u>	
Total	<u>1,006,311,294</u>	

Amount of Debt Outstanding: P73.167 Billion (as of March 31, 2003)

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CIRCULAR FOR BROKERS NO.	1338-2003
Disclosure	
May 2, 2003	
DATE	

#### **11.** Item Number reported: *Item* 9 (Other Events)

Please see attached copy of Invitation to a Teleconference Presentation on the Year 2002 and First Quarter 2003 Operating Results.

## SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Régulation Code, the issuer has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

MANILA ELECTRIC COMPANY Issuér GIL S. SAN DIEGO

Vice President and Assistant Corporate Secretary

Date: April 30, 2003

cc: Disclosure Department Listings and Disclosure Group Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE) In connection with Meralco's release of its Full Year 2002 results today and 1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2003 results on Friday, May 2, 2003, Meralco will be conducting an Investors Briefing on Monday, May 5, 2003, 3:30 PM. This will be held at the:

#### BASEMENT Mini Theater Lopez Building, Meralco Center Ortigas Avenue, Pasig City

Meralco has also arranged for a Conference Call with Senior Management at 8:00 PM. Details for the Conference call are as follows:

#### Conference Call Number: +852 2112 1333 Passcode: MERALCO

Those who wish to attend are requested to fill up the appropriate form (please see attached forms) and send through fax at:

#### Meralco Fax: + 632 6315591



### YOU ARE INVITED TO A TELECONFERENCE PRESENTATION ON THE YEAR 2002 & 1Q 2003 OPERATING RESULTS

MONDAY, May 5, 2003 8:00 PM (Manila Time)

Conference Call Number\* +852 2112-1333 Passcode: MERALCO

\* Please call at least five (5) minutes before the scheduled time.

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\*\*Available until May 7, 2003

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