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IMPLEMENTATION OF PRIOR INFORMED CONSENT (PIC) PROCEDURE IN MALAYSIA

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CURRENT IMPLEMENTATION OF PIC PROCEDURE IN MALAYSIA

- The implementation of **Prior Informed Consent (PIC)** procedure were a strict requirement for transboundary movements of hazardous wastes and other wastes in Malaysia.
- The **PIC procedure involves the documentation preparation, request of consent, generation of permit, transboundary movement and confirmation of waste acceptance/exportation**



Notification

Consent

TBM

Confirmation
recovery/recycling
process

OVERVIEW OF PROCEDURES FOR TBM IN MALAYSIA



CHALLENGES PIC PROCEDURE IMPLEMENTATION



EXPORT

- Language
- Documentation
- Basel Notification & Movement
- More than 1 CA
- Delays on Consent/ Feedback
- Additional requirements



IMPORT

- Documentation – incomplete/ expired
- Application directly from Industries
- Basel Notification & Movement forms (different forms)
- Delays on additional requirements



TRANSIT

- Language
- Documentation
- TBM already occurred
- Transit/ Transshipment diff requirements
- Delays on additional requirements

EFFORTS TO FACILITATE THE PIC PROCEDURES

1

- Establishment the application processing period
- Development of internal application database

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- Information sharing of AP holder with other CA
- Provide information update

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- Establish direct contact with processing officer
- Open discussion/meetings with specific personnel

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- Malaysia stated that there is an urgent need to develop electronic system approaches to PIC notification and movement documents that parties can easily access.
- The system's development will eliminate delays and backlogs while also minimizing application processing times.
- However, development of the electronic systems will require both technical and financial assistance, as well as capacity building.



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