

CHALLENGES AND GOOD PRACTICES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PIC PROCEDURE

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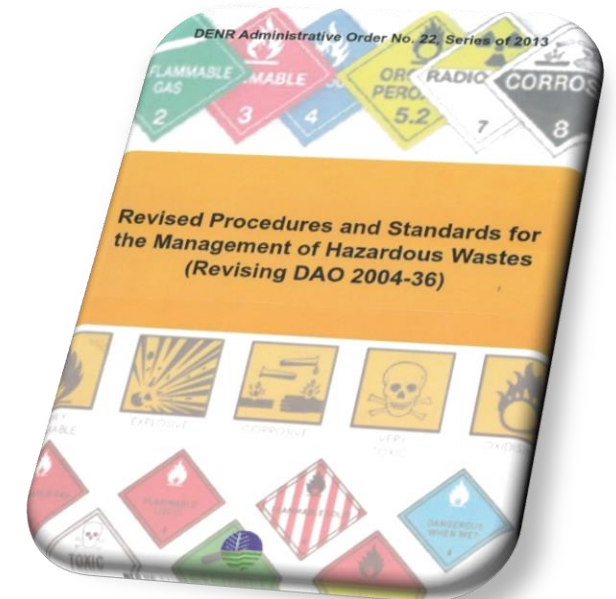
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GOOD PRACTICES

- Alignment of relevant policies with the Basel Convention to regulate the movement of hazardous waste
- Thorough evaluation of proposed policies prior to finalization and implementation thru a series of public consultations and feedback mechanisms with concerned stakeholders and citizens
- Issuance of Memorandum Circulars to supplement and give clarifications to existing guidelines provided in the law

Proposed Amendments to DAO 2013-22

- *Integration of the Online Hazardous Waste Management System and OPMS
- Inclusion of the four characteristics of hazardous wastes (Toxicity, Reactivity, Ignitability and Corrosivity)
- Further classification of wastes
- Requirements for hazardous waste generator registration for malls or commercial building owners and clustered establishments
- Increase in storage time limit
- Maximum of 3 years validity for TSD Facility and HW Transporter registrations
- Requirements for mobile treatment of wastes
- *Additions from the Technical Guidelines on the ESM of WEEE
- *Exemptions of importers of second-hand or Used Electrical and Electronic Equipment (UEEE) for personal or official use by a company and not for commercial purposes
- Inclusion of slags for further recovery of various metals and granulated blast furnace (GBF) slag as an additive to the clinker under the category of Scrap Metals
- Export of Used Lead Acid Batteries (ULABs) and used oil (industrial and cooking oil) shall not be allowed



***Status: Finalization of consolidated comments/ inputs from EMB Regional Offices and Stakeholders**

Guidelines on the Environmentally Sound Management of Waste Electrical and Electronic Equipment



Objectives:

- Provide the framework mechanism for the appropriate management of WEEE
- Reduce the amount of electrical and electronic equipment (EEE) type of waste and the hazards brought about by its components
- Promote the reuse of EEE and valorization (placing value or price to) of its waste components
- Encourage involvement of all relevant agencies and stakeholders in the life cycle of EEE
- Institutionalize the principle of “extended producers responsibility” (EPR)

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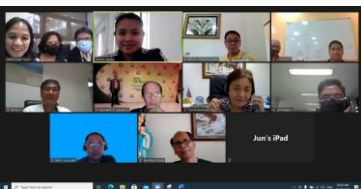
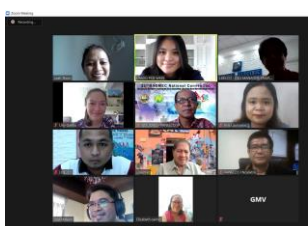
GOOD PRACTICES

- Active Partnerships and Initiatives between Government and Stakeholders on E-Waste Management
- Regular dissemination of information to the public on the correct and safe management of E-Waste

Safe PCB and E-waste Management Project

PARTNERSHIPS FORGED

Strong participation of the CSO which lead to partnership of the DENR/EMB with selected LGUs (barangay and cities), and Telecoms, and Electric Cooperatives



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GOOD PRACTICES

- Promotion of Online Platform for clearances, notifications and data sharing to enhance tracking and transparency in hazardous waste movement in real time

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Online Permitting and Monitoring System (OPMS) Importation Clearance Application




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Hazardous Waste Management System (HWMS) Online Export Notification and Clearance Processing

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HWMS



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CHALLENGES

- The need for a black and white criteria between WEEE and UEEE specifically in the implementation of the PIC Procedure
- Illegal Traffic and False Declaration
- Monitoring and Data-sharing gaps between countries
- Evolving complex waste types, usually inadequately covered by existing regulations, leaving room for unregulated transboundary movements

Question? Clarifications?



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