



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY
(Kagawaran ng Enerhiya)

DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. DO2023- 11-0025 /

STRENGTHENING THE ENERGY MANAGEMENT TEAM (EMT) AND ENERGY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (EnMS)

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) No. 7638 or the Department of Energy (DOE) Act of 1992, as amended, declares the policy of the State to ensure a continuous, adequate, and economic supply of energy with the end in view of ultimately achieving self-reliance in the country's energy requirements;

WHEREAS, RA 11285 or the Energy Efficiency and Conservation (EEC) Act declares the policy of the State to institutionalize EEC as a way of life geared towards the efficient and judicious utilization of energy;

WHEREAS, Chapter IV, Section 20 of the EEC Act obligates Designated Establishments (DEs) to integrate an EnMS policy into the business operation based on International Organization for Standardization (ISO) 50001 or any similar framework;

WHEREAS, Section 9 of the EEC Act created the Inter-Agency Energy Efficiency and Conservation Committee (IAEECC) to evaluate and approve government energy efficiency projects and to provide strategic direction in the implementation of the Government Energy Management Program (GEMP);

WHEREAS, Section 43 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the EEC Act (EEC-IRR) states that each government entity shall formulate an energy efficiency and conservation program to include energy conservation measures, target savings, motor vehicle inventory and other strategies consistent with the GEMP;

WHEREAS, ISO 50001 is the international framework for the structured practice of managing energy to effect improvements in energy use through the development of an EnMS;

WHEREAS, Memorandum Circular No. MC2020-05-0001 titled, "*Directing all DEs under Commercial, Industrial, and Transport Sectors to Submit Energy Consumption Reports*", requires all DEs to integrate EnMS in their reportorial requirement submission through the demonstration of EnMS concepts, principles, and practices into business operations;

WHEREAS, on 10 January 2023, Department Order (DO) No. DO2023-01-0001, titled "*Institutionalizing the EMT to develop an EnMS*", was issued for purposes of an effective implementation of the EEC Act through the deployment of EnMS in the DOE; and

WHEREAS, the EnMS consultant engaged pursuant to Section 3 of DO No. DO2023-01-0001 recommends strengthening the EMT and EnMS for the successful certification under ISO 50001.

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, the following are hereby ordered:

Section 1. Amendments to DO No. DO2023-01-0001. The following provisions are hereby amended as follows:

1.1 Section 1 is hereby amended to read:

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Section 1. EMT. There shall be an established EMT consisting of the Management Representatives as follows:

- Chairperson : Director
Energy Utilization Management Bureau (EUMB)
- EEC Focal : Director
Administrative Services
- Members : Directors of Bureaus, Services and Field Offices

The EMT shall be assisted by a Secretariat to be composed of the following:

- Head : Assistant Director
EUMB
- EEC Focal : Chief
General Services Division
- Members : Representatives from the concerned Bureaus,
Services, Field Offices

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1.2 Section 2 is hereby amended to read:

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Section 2. Responsibilities. The EMT under this DO shall perform the following:

2.1 EMT Chairperson shall:

- a. Plan and direct the Energy Management activities including the determination of audit scope;
- b. Implement the EnMS;
- c. Report to the top management the performance of the EnMS; and
- d. Form a special purpose sub-EMT, serve as auditee for EnMS, and ensure that responsibilities of the EEC Officer, EMT Members, and EMT Secretariat are effectively discharged.

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