



**SPECIAL ORDER**  
NO. 97 - 1350

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**SUBJECT: CREATION OF THE STEERING COMMITTEE AND TECHNICAL WORKING GROUPS FOR THE FORMULATION OF THE IMPLEMENTING RULES AND REGULATIONS (IRR) PURSUANT TO EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 446 ENTITLED MANDATING THE PHASE-OUT OF LEADED GASOLINE AS A MEANS OF SOLVING AIR POLLUTION**

In order to formulate the above-mentioned IRR following the approval of Executive Order 446, a Steering Committee and five Technical Working Groups are hereby created which shall be composed of the following:

**Steering Committee**

Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources	- Chairperson
Undersecretary for Environment and Programs Development., DENR	- 1 <sup>st</sup> Vice-Chairperson
EMB Director	- 2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice-Chairperson
Department of Energy (DOE)	- Member
Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)	- Member
Department of Finance - National Tax Research Center (DOF/NTRC)	- Member
Concerned Citizens Against Pollution (COCAP)	- Member
Department of Transportation and Communication (DOTC)	- Member
Department of Health (DOH)	- Member
Chamber of Automotive Manufacturers of the Philippines, Inc. (CAMPI)	- Member
Philippine Motors' Association (PMA)	- Member
Philippine Institute of Petroleum, Inc. (PIP)	- Member
National Economic Development Authority (NEDA)	- Member
Philippine Information Agency (PIA)	- Member

**Technical Working Group I: Fuel and Facilities Quality Standards**

Department of Trade and Industry/Bureau of Product Standard (DTI/BPS)	Chair
Department of Energy (DOE)	- Co-Chair
Department of Environment and Natural Resources/ Environmental Management Bureau (DENR/EMB)	- Member
Department of Science and Technology (DOST)	- Member
Philippine Institute of Petroleum, Inc. (PIP)	- Member
Philippine Institute of Chemical Engineers (PICHE)	- Member
Philippine Society of Mechanical Engineers (PSME)	- Member

## **Technical working Group II: I/M and Emission Control System**

Department of Transportation and Communication/ Land Transportation Office (DOTC/LTO)	- Chair
Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG)	- Co-Chair
DENR	- Member
DOE	- Member
Department of Trade and Industry (DTI)	- Member
DOST	- Member
Chamber of Automotive Manufacturers of the Philippines, Inc. (CAMPI)	Member
Philippine Motors' Association (PMA)	- Member
PICHE	- Member

## **Technical working Group III: Monitoring and Evaluation**

DENR/EMB	- Chair
Department of Health (DOH)	- Member
DOE	- Member
Department of Transportation and Communication (DOTC)	- Member
DTI	- Member
DOST	- Member
DILG	- Member
UP/College of Public Health	- Member
Manila Observatory	- Member
COCAP	- Member
NEDA	- Member
PMA	- Member

## **Technical working Group IV: Public Information Dissemination**

Philippine Information Agency (PIA)	- Chair
Concerned Citizens Against Pollution (COCAP)	- Member
DENR/Public Affairs Office	- Member
EMB	- Member
Department of Education, Culture and Sports (DECS)	- Member
DILG	- Member
DTI	- Member
Environment Broadcast Circle	- Member
Soroptimist International	- Member

## **Technical working Group V: Research and Development**

DOST	- Chair
UP/National Engineering Center (UP/NEC)	- Co-Chair
DENR/EMB	- Member
Department of Finance (DOF)	- Member
DOH	- Member
DTI	- Member
Green Coalition	- Member
Ateneo/Environmental Science Program	- Member
Manila Observatory	- Member
UP National Engineering Center	- Member



The Steering Committee will provide over-all policy directions to the work of the various Technical Working Groups (TWGs). It shall integrate, review and finalize outputs of the various technical working groups so that a coherent set of IRR could be arrived at.

The various Technical Working Groups herein cited, will provide technical inputs to the respective content of the IRR. The Steering Committee and the various Technical Working Groups should meet at least once a month, for a period of six months, beginning October 1997.

The Committee and the various working groups may, in the progress and recommendations of the draft rules and regulations, invite from time to time, representative from other government, non-government, and private entities, as may be deemed necessary.

To ensure overall coordination, the Secretariat shall be composed of the following:


1. EMB staff as secretariat to the Steering Committee
2. Secretariat to the various Technical Working Groups to be created by the respective chairs.

To facilitate the completion of the draft IRR, workshops shall be held, during the various stages of formulation, particularly in the last stage, for review and finalization of the IRR.

As such, all expenses to be incurred by the respective members in the pursuit of these tasks, will be charged against the funds of the respective agencies concerned, subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations.

The Secretariat shall submit to the Department Secretary a regular report on actions being taken by all TWGs in the formulation of the said guidelines.

This Order takes effect immediately.

  
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*Secretary*