



DEPARTMENT ORDER No. DO2009-03-0006

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**AMENDING DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. DO2007-11-0012 THEREBY
RECONSTITUTING
THE DOE TASK FORCE ON NUCLEAR POWER PROGRAM AND
EXPANDING ITS FUNCTIONS**

WHEREAS, Department Order No. DO2007-11-0012 issued on 05 November 2007 created the DOE Task Force on Nuclear Power Program (DOE TF-NPP);

WHEREAS, there is a need to reconstitute the DOE TF-NPP in view of the creation of the Inter-agency Core Group for the Study of Nuclear Power as Long-term Energy Option for the Philippines by virtue of Joint Department Order No. JDO2009-01-0001, executed by the Secretary of Energy and the Secretary of Science and Technology on 26 January 2009;

WHEREAS, it has likewise become necessary to expand the functions of the DOE TF-NPP as the duly designated member of the Inter-agency Core Group to represent the DOE under the said Joint Department Order;

NOW, THEREFORE, Department Order No. DO2007-11-0012 issued on 05 November 2007, is hereby amended as follows:

Section 1. Composition. The following DOE units and offices are hereby designated to constitute the Task Force on Nuclear Power Program (TF-NPP):

- Chair: Assistant Secretary in-charge of Planning
- Vice-Chair: Division Chief of the Policy Formulation and Research Division
- Members: Energy Policy and Planning Bureau (EPPB)
Energy Resource Development Bureau (ERDB)
Electric Power Industry Management Bureau (EPIMB)
Administrative Services - Human Resource Management Division (AS-HRMD)
Legal Services (LS)
Energy Research and Testing Laboratory Services (ERTLS)

Section 2. Responsibilities. In addition to the respective mandate and functions of the relevant DOE units and offices as indicated above, they shall perform the following responsibilities:

Task Force Chair: The position shall be filled up by the DOE Assistant Secretary in-charge for planning who will oversee the implementation of all the activities of the Task Force. The Chair shall convene and preside on all the meetings of the Task Force;

Task Force Vice-Chair: The position shall be filled up by Chief of the Policy Formulation and Research Division who will oversee the implementation of all the activities of the Task Force and convene and preside on all the meetings of the Task Force in the absence of the Chair;

The Task Force Chair and Vice-Chair shall be the regular members to represent the Task Force in the meetings of the Inter-agency Core Group created under Joint Department Order No. JDO2009-01-0001.

In support to the activities of the Inter-agency Core Group, the following members of the DOE TF-NPP shall undertake relevant studies and attend to specific concerns relative to the 19 Infrastructure Issues defined in the Nuclear Energy Series Guide No. NG-G-3.1 entitled, "*Milestones in the Development of a National Infrastructure for Nuclear Power*," published by the International Atomic Energy Agency in September 2007:

Energy Policy and Planning Bureau (EPPB): (a) National Position, Management; (b) Funding and Financing; (c) Stakeholder Involvement; (d) Environmental Protection; (e) Industrial Involvement; and , (f) Procurement;

Energy Resource Development Bureau (ERDB): (a) Site and Supporting Facilities; (b) Emergency Planning; and, (c) Security and Physical Protection;

Electric Power Industry Management Bureau (EPIMB): Electric Grid;

Administrative Services - Human Resource Management Division (AS-HRMD): Human Resource Development;

Legal Service (LS): (a) Legislative Framework; and, (b) Regulatory Framework; and,

Energy Research and Testing Laboratory Services (ERTLS): (a) Nuclear Safety; (b) Radiation Protection; (c) Nuclear Fuel Cycle; and, (d) Radioactive Waste.

Section 3. Meetings. To ensure compliance to this Department Order, the DOE TF-NPP shall meet at least once a month or as often as necessary, the schedule and frequency of which shall be agreed by the members of the DOE TF-NPP.

Section 4. Technical and Secretariat Support. The Energy Policy and Planning Bureau is hereby designated to provide technical and secretariat support during conduct of meetings and other related activities of the DOE TF-NPP as well as the Inter-Agency Core Group.

Section 5. Effectivity. This Department Order shall take effect immediately.

Issued this 16 MAR 2009 day of _____ 2009, at Fort Bonifacio, Taguig, Metro Manila



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Secretary



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