



OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL MAYOR

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AN EXECUTIVE ORDER DESIGNATING POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICERS IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BAYAMBANG, PANGASINAN, DEFINING THEIR FUNCTIONS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the State to protect and advance the right of the people to a balances and healthful ecology, and to ensure the effective implementation of environmental laws through accountable local governance;

WHEREAS, *Letter of Instruction No. 588 (National Pollution Control Decree)* requires all public and private entities whose functions involve the discharge or emission of pollutants, or the operation/installation/construction of anti-pollution devices treatment works/facilities, sewerage, or sewage disposal systems, to appoint and/or designate a qualified Pollution Control Officer to ensure the efficient operation of pollution control measures and compliance reporting;

WHEREAS, the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR), pursuant to LOI No. 588 and other environmental laws, issued *DENR Administrative Order No. 2014-02 (Revised Guidelines for Pollution Control Officer Accreditation)* to strengthen environmental compliance by prescribing the standards, qualifications, and duties and responsibilities of accredited Pollution Control Officers, including ensuring compliance with *PD 1586, RA 6969, RA 8749, RA 9003, and RA 9275* and their implementing rules and regulations;

WHEREAS, under Republic Act No. 9275 (Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004), local government units share responsibility in the management and improvement of water quality within their territorial jurisdictions, including monitoring, emergency response, and coordination with government agencies, civil society, and concerned sectors for the prevention and control of water pollution;

WHEREAS, the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the *Philippine Clean Water Act* reiterate the foregoing LGU responsibilities and underscore the need for an organized local compliance scheme consistent with Water Quality Management Area action plans where applicable;

WHEREAS, *Republic Act No. 8749 (Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999)* recognizes the role of local governments through the Environment and Natural Resources Office (ENRO), which may be established in every municipality, to lead and coordinate air quality protection and rehabilitation efforts within the LGU's territorial jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the Municipality of Bayambang, Pangasinan, in furtherance of its duty to protect public health and welfare and to ensure sustained compliance with environmental laws and who shall act as the LGU's accountable technical focal person/s for environmental compliance coordination, monitoring support, permitting facilitation, and reporting, consistent with DENR DAO 2014-02;

"Baley ko, Pawilen ko, Aroen ko, tan Tulungan ko"



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WHEREAS, the designation of Municipal PCO/s will institutionalize clear roles, responsibilities, and coordination mechanisms within the Municipal Government to promote effective compliance with the requirements of RA 9003 (*Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000*), RA 6969 (*Toxic Substance and Hazardous and Nuclear Wastes Control Act of 1990*), RA 8749 (*Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999*), RA 9275 (*Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004*), and PD 1586 (*Philippine Environmental Impact Statement System*), and with the standards and duties for accredited PCOs under DENR DAO 2014-02;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARY CLARE JUDITH PHYLLIS JOSE-QUIAMBAO, Municipal Mayor of Bayambang, Pangasinan, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order the **Designation of Pollution Control Officers** in the Municipality of Bayambang, Pangasinan:

SECTION 1. TITLE: This order shall be known as “Municipal Pollution Control Officer Designation Order.”

SECTION 2. CREATION. The designated Pollution Control Officers are as follows:

Chairperson: **MA-LENE S. TORIO, MDM**
Municipal Environment and Natural Resources Office (MENRO)/Managing Head

Vice Chairperson: **ENGR. RUDYFER P. MACARANAS**
Administrative Assistant V, Municipal Engineering Office (MEO) /PCO

Members: **EDUARDO M. ANGELES JR.**
Supervising Environmental Management Specialist (SEMS, Ecological Solid Waste Management Office (ESWMO))/PCO

ROVER S. LADORES
Administrative Aide III/Special Economic Enterprise (SEE)/PCO

NERISSA B. ZAFRA
Sanitation Inspector IV/Rural Health Unit (RHU) I/PCO

CHRISTIAN DAVID V. AQUINO
Sanitation Inspector II/Rural Health Unit (RHU) III/PCO

RUSSELL G. VALDEZ
Sanitation Inspector I/Rural Health Unit (RHU) II/PCO

BERNABE I. MERCADO JR.
Administrative Aide III/Municipal Agriculture Office (MAO)/PCO

JAYSON B. ELLORZA
Administrative Aide II/General Service Office (GSO)/PCO

ALTA GRACE DV. EVANGELISTA

*Population Program Worker II/Municipal Social Welfare & Development
Office
(MSWDO)/PCO*

SECTION 2. DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES. The Pollution Control Officers CUM Technical Working Group shall perform the following duties and responsibilities:

- a. To ensure compliance with the requirements of Presidential Decree 1586, Republic Act (RA) 6969, RA 8749, RA 9003, RA 9275, their respective implementing rules and regulations, and other pertinent rules and regulations where appropriate;
- b. To identify and/or cause the identification of significant environmental aspects and impacts of the establishment's operational activities and recommend possible mitigating measures in the formulation/ preparation and/or review of the Environmental Management Plan and Contingency Plan;
- c. To attend to and/ or cause the securing of all permitting and registration requirements of LGU Bayambang prior to the construction or installation of pollution control facilities including, but not limited to, securing of necessary permits and renewal thereof;
- d. To ensure the proper performance, operation, and maintenance or environmental management facilities or systems of LGU Bayambang such as the following:
 - Wastewater treatment facilities
 - Air Pollution control devices referred to in DENR Administrative Order (DAO) 2000-03
 - Hazardous waste management storage areas (permanent or temporary)
 - Solid waste segregation/ management facilities (i.e. MFR's, sanitary landfills, composting facilities, etc.)
 - Environmental monitoring devices such as the Continuous Emission Monitoring Systems, Air Monitoring Stations, effluent flow metering/ measuring devices, groundwater monitoring wells, and other environmental monitoring devices;
- e. Ensure that the hazardous waste disposed offsite are covered by a Permit to Transport; each transport is covered by hazardous waste manifest duly signed by the transporter and TSD facility; and with corresponding Certificate of Treatment (COT) duly signed by the TSD Facility, Copies if the signed hazardous waste manifest and (COT) shall be submitted to the concerned EMB Regional Office in accordance with DENR Adm. Or No. 2004-36;
- f. To monitor and/or cause compliance with the requirements specified in the Environmental Compliance Certificate and the commitments stipulated in the Environmental Management and Monitoring Plans or Environmental Performance Report and Management Plans, and report the same in the Compliance Monitoring Report (CMR);
- g. To monitor and/or cause the monitoring of activities pertaining to the installation or construction of pollution source and control facilities to ensure compliance with the National Emission Standards for Source Specific Air Pollutants and National Ambient Air

Quality Standards and report monitoring results to the Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) as part of the SMR;

- h. To monitor and/or cause the monitoring of activities pertaining to the operation and maintenance of pollution control facilities to ensure compliance with the Effluent Standards and report monitoring results to DENR as part of the SMR;
- i. To promptly submit and/or cause the submission of duly accomplished, signed, and validated CMRS and SMRS;
- j. To attend and/or cause appearance of responsible personnel in technical conferences, hearings, and meetings especially on matters pertaining to pollution cases of the establishment;
- k. To keep ourselves abreast of the requirements of the DENR;
- l. To coordinate regulatory programs and activities with the provincial/municipal governments (if applicable);
- m. To initiate and intensify and/or cause initiation/intensification of environmental management activities including awareness campaign within their organization;
- n. To participate and/or cause participation in multi-partite monitoring team activities and meetings, where applicable;
- o. To determine and enumerate the LGU's Commitment to Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) from their technical inspection;
- p. To update online the requirement and checklist for environmental compliance of concern facilities;
- q. To design and detail the estimates as one of the main requirements for the submission of Engineer's Report (ER), Self-Monitoring Report (SMR), Compliance Monitoring report (CMR);
- r. To conduct joint ocular inspection of various locations and facilities concerning the environmental compliance of DENR; and
- s. Initiate and intensify environmental management activities including awareness campaign within the Municipality;

SECTION 3. ADVISORY COUNCIL: The Committee Chairperson on Environmental Protection, Municipal Legal Officer, MLGOO, PNP-BMPS, Municipal Planning & Development Coordinator, Municipal Administrator and the Department Heads of the designated pollution control officers will serve as the advisory council. They shall act as the policy-advisory and monitoring body of the LGU on all matters relating to pollution control, environmental protection, and sustainable development. They shall provide technical assistance and recommendations to help resolve pollution-related complaints and conflicts in the municipality and to evaluate the effectiveness of LGU pollution control programs and projects.

SECTION 4. SECRETARIAT. The Ecological Solid Waste Management Office (ESWMO) staff are hereby designated to serve as the Secretariat of the Pollution Control Officer's Technical Working Group (TWG). The Secretariat shall manage all administrative requirements, document all official proceedings, and maintain the records and communications essential to the operations of the PCO-TWG. In the performance of its mandate, the Secretariat shall exercise the following duties and responsibilities

1. Facilitate the preparation for and the calling of meetings as directed.
2. Record and preserve the official minutes of all meetings and proceedings conducted by the body.
3. Prepare draft resolutions, policies, and procedural guidelines for formal review and subsequent approval by the approving body.
4. Ensure the systematic filing and maintenance of all official communications, documents, and relevant records concerning the operations.
5. Provide the Chairperson with necessary advice on issues and concerns relevant to pollution control to ensure the Chairperson remains fully informed of all developments.
6. Execute other administrative tasks and functions as may be assigned from time to time.

SECTION 5. MEETINGS AND QUORUM. The PCO cum TWG shall meet at least once every quarter or as often as necessary upon the call of the Chairperson. A majority of the members shall constitute a quorum to conduct official business.

SECTION 6. SUPPORT AND RESOURCES: The Municipal Budget Office shall include funds for PCO training/seminars, Information, Education, and Communication (IEC) campaigns, supplies and materials, and monitoring and evaluation activities under the PCO's respective offices/department.

SECTION 7. SEPARABILITY CLAUSE. If any provision of the Executive Order is declared invalid or unconstitutional, the other provisions not affected thereby shall remain valid and subsisting.

SECTION 8. REPEALING CLAUSE. All other orders, rules, regulations and issuances, or parts thereof which are inconsistent with this Order, are hereby repealed, amended or modified accordingly.

SECTION 9. EFFECTIVITY CLAUSE. This executive order shall take effect immediately and will continue until amended or revoked.

Let copies of this Order be furnished to Offices and Departments concerned, for their information, guidance and appropriate action.

Done in the Municipality of Bayambang, Province of Pangasinan on this 23rd day of July 2026.

MARY CLARE JUDITH PHYLLIS JOSE- QUIAMBAO
Municipal Mayor

