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2019 VISAYAS ENERGY INVESTMENT FORUM





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Legal Basis

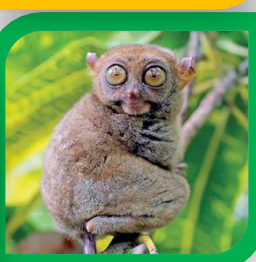
- **EO 30** – Creation of the Energy Investment Coordinating Council to streamline the regulatory procedures affecting Energy Projects
- **R.A. 11032** – The Ease of Doing Business and Efficient Government Service Delivery Act



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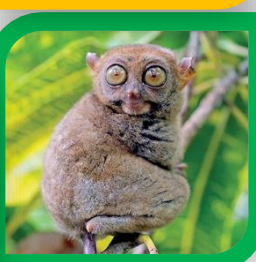
Sec. 7-b of EO 30

- **Action within Thirty (30) Days.**
 - Government Agencies and instrumentalities shall act upon application for permit involving EPNS within a specified processing timeframe not exceeding thirty (30) days from submission of complete documentary requirements.



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R.A. 11032 – The Ease of Doing Business and Effective Gov’t Service Delivery

Salient Points

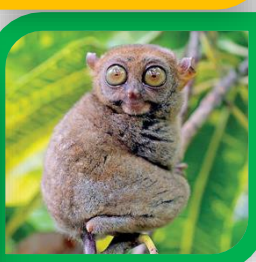
- *Adoption of Zero Contact Policy*
- *Reduced Signatories*
- **Automatic Approval**



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R.A. 11032 – The Ease of Doing Business and Effective Gov't Service Delivery

Salient Points

- Reduced Processing Time of Permit Applications
 - **3 working days** Simple Transactions
 - **7 working days** Complex Transactions
 - **20 working days** Highly Technical Applications
- Streamlined Procedure For Issuance of Permit



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EMB MC 2019-003 – Online Issuance of ECC for Category B Projects

• Salient Points

- Transition from Manual Submission to Online Submission and Processing of Category B Projects.
- Reduce Processing Time from 20 Working Days to 7 Working Days.



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EMB MC 2019-003 – Online Issuance of ECC for Category B Projects

• Salient Points

- Category A or Environmentally Critical Projects will be done by EMB Central Office
- Category B, C and D will be carried by their respective Regional Office.



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EMB MC 2019-003 – Online Issuance of ECC for Category B Projects

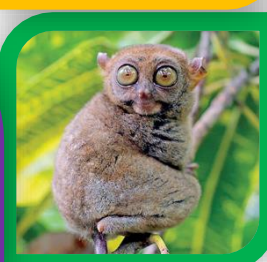
• Salient Points

- New Technologies will be reviewed by Central Office.
- Existing Technology will be reviewed by Regional Office.



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EMB MC 2019-003 – *Online Issuance of ECC for Category B Projects*

• Salient Points

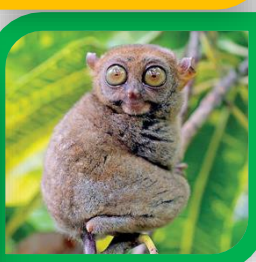
- Removal of third party reviewer for existing technologies thus removal of review fund.
- Automatic Approval upon receipt of complete documents and paying the necessary fee after 7 days.



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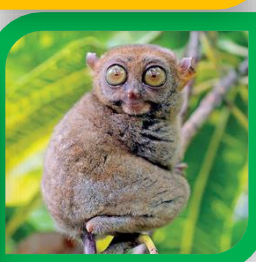
Requirements

- Accomplished Online Revised Initial Environment Examination (IEE) Checklist Form
- Site Development Plan / Vicinity Map / sketch Map signed by registered professional
- Project Lay-out signed by registered professional



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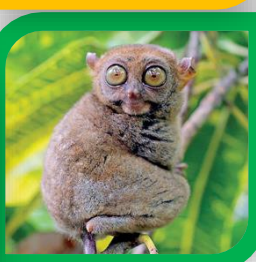
- Geo-tagged photographs of proposed project site
- Proof of Authority over the Project site (e.g. Land title, Lease Contract, Deed of Sale, which ever is applicable
- Certificate of Viability or Zoning Certificate by LGU



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Process
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Register

- **Go to**
eia.emb.gov.ph
- Click ECC / CNC
button and
Register



ECC Requirement ▾

Registry of EIA Practitioners ▾

Events ▾

Projects with CMVR Submission ▾

Calendar of Events



ECC ONLINE

Environmental Compliance Certificate



CNC ONLINE

Certificate of Non-Coverage



CMR ONLINE

Compliance Monitoring Report



MC 2018-004 | AMENDING SECTION 1 OF MC 2016-001 REQUIRING ONLINE SUBMISSION OF CMR UNDER THE PEISS TO INCLUDE NON-ENVIRONMENTALLY CRITICAL PROJECTS (NON-ECPS)

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In the interest of service and in order to improve the implementation of PD 1586 or the Philippine Environmental Impact Statement System through the use of information and communications technology (ICT) pursuant to RA



ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT BUREAU

Welcome to the EMB Environmental Impact Assessment and Management Division's ECC Online Application System for Non-Environmentally Critical Projects (NECPs) located within Environmentally Critical Areas (ECAs) and within threshold that requires an IEE Checklist.

For projects not covered under the PEISS, click the link below to apply for the Certificate of Non-Coverage or login to verifying the coverage of your project.

[CNC Online Application](#)

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Process
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Submission

- Accomplished Online Form
- Submission of Complete Documentary Requirements Online for review and verification.

Process
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**Payment and
Release**

- Applications with complete documentary requirements will be acted and decided within **7 processing days.**



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Project Matrix

EMB MC 2014 - 005



Projects/Description	Covered (Required to secure ECC)			Not covered (may secure CNC)	Project size parameters / Remarks
	Category A: ECP	Category B: Non-ECP		Category D	
	EIS	EIS	IEE Checklist	PD (Part I only)	
3.2 POWER PLANTS					
3.2.1 Gas-fired thermal power plants	≥ 50 MW	≥ 10 MW but <50 MW	> 1 MW but <10MW	≤ 1 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.2 Geothermal facilities	≥ 50 MW	≥10 MW but < 50 MW	> 1 MW but <10 MW	≤ 1 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.3 Hydropower facilities	≥ 50 MW	≥ 10 MW but < 50 MW OR with tunneling (regardless of capacity)	> 1 MW but <10 MW AND without tunneling	≤ 1 MW without tunneling	Total power generating capacity For projects with weir/dam/other impounding facility, refer to dam as <i>additional</i> criteria for multi-component project screening
3.2.4 Other Thermal Power Plants (eg. coal, diesel, bunker, etc.)	≥ 30 MW	≥ 10 MW but <30 MW	> 1 MW but <10 MW	≤ 1 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.5 Power Barges	≥ 50 MW	≥ 10 MW but <50 MW	> 1 MW but <10 MW	≤ 1 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.6 Fuel cell	≥ 100 MW	none	> 5 but < 100 MW	≤ 5 MW	



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3.2.7 Renewable energy projects such as ocean, solar, wind, tidal power except waste-to-energy and biogas projects	None	≥ 100 MW	> 5 but < 100 MW	≤ 5 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.8 Waste-to-energy – power projects	None	≥ 50 MW	> 1 MW but < 50 MW	≤ 1 MW	Total power generating capacity
3.2.9 Waste-to-energy - biogas projects	None	≥ 5 MT	> 1 MT but < 5 MT	≤ 1 MT	Total rated capacity of all processing and storage facilities
3.2.9 Power transmission lines	None	None	> 138 KV	≤ 138 KV	Total power generating capacity
3.2.10 Substation/switchyard	None	None	> 220 KV	≤ 220 KV	Total power generating capacity



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