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SUBJECT: ADOPTING THE NATIONAL SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT COMMISSION (NSWMC) RESOLUTION NO. 669 SERIES OF 2016 "GUIDELINES GOVERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF WASTE-TO-ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES FOR MUNICIPAL SOLID WASTE"

WHEREAS, Section 8 (f) of Republic Act (RA) 9003, otherwise known as the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000 states that the DENR shall recommend policies to eliminate barriers to waste reduction programs;

WHEREAS, the NSWMC issued a Resolution otherwise known as NSWMC Resolution No. 669, Series of 2016, which adopts the Guidelines Governing the Establishment and Operation of Waste to Energy Technologies for Municipal Solid Wastes (MSW);

WHEREAS, the above guidelines has already undergone series of public hearings at the Regional Level participated by all sectors from the provincial and municipal levels;

WHEREAS, these guidelines also adhere to the policy of the government to promote compliance with Presidential Decree (PD) 1586 (Establishing an Environmental Impact Statement System); RA 6969 (Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Act of 1990), RA 8749 (Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999); and RA 9275 (Philippine Clean Water Act of 2004).

NOW, THEREFORE, this Memorandum Circular is hereby issued to serve as guide to all EMB Regional Directors in providing technical support to LGUs and other concerned stakeholders in the establishment and operation of WtE facility.

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