



February 8, 2025

ATTENTION: APPOINTED/DESIGNATED POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICER/s
RE: PCO ACCREDITATION TRAINING COURSE
(EMB-Prescribed Module, CATEGORY A & B PCOs)

Dear Sir/Madam:

The Pollution Control Association of the Philippines, Inc. Region IV-A will conduct a “**Onsite / Face to Face (F2F) Basic Accreditation Training Course for Pollution Control Officers**” on **March 25-29, 2025**, at Splash Mountain Resort and Hotel, Km 58, Brgy. Lalakay, Los Baños, Laguna. This course offering is in line with the 40-hour training requirement for the PCO accreditation of designated PCOs, as stipulated in the DENR Administrative Order (DAO) 2014-02 (Revised PCO Accreditation Guidelines). Taking effect on March 3, 2014, this DAO requires (a) newly appointed PCOs to get accredited, and (b) previously accredited PCOs to renew accreditation, every three (3) years.

This Training aims to develop the capacity of Pollution Control Officers (PCOs) in performing their functions, duties and responsibilities using accelerated learning techniques based on actual experiences and best practices. Upon completion of the course, the designated PCO can apply for accreditation using the certificate of participation of this training. In this regard, we would like to invite your Company to send your designated PCO for accreditation with the EMB. Training fee shall be at the following rates:

LIVE-IN RATE*	LIVE-OUT RATE
PHP 24,500.00 (NON-MEMBER)	PHP 16,500.00 (NON-MEMBER)
PHP 23,765.00 (MEMBER)	PHP 16,005.00 (MEMBER)

*Rates are inclusive of meals**, training materials, electronic copy of presentation materials and training certificate.*

****Live-in rate** includes breakfast and dinner, lunch, morning and afternoon snacks and accommodations (*3 pax room sharing);

****Live-out rate** includes lunch, morning, and afternoon snacks.

SLOTS ARE LIMITED, AND REGISTRATION IS ON A FIRST-COME, FIRST-SERVED BASIS.

For pre-registration and payment details, visit the **ONLINE REGISTRATION** thru this link:

[CLICK HERE TO REGISTER](https://pcapi-r4.org.ph/f2f-training/) (or visit our website: <https://pcapi-r4.org.ph/f2f-training/>)

For additional queries, kindly contact: PCAPI Region IV-A Secretariat Office (0917-814-4751 / 0998-534-7850)
E-mail Address: pcapi.calabarzon@gmail.com. Thank you very much and we look forward to see you at the Training!

Very truly yours,

Rasmiah M. Malixi, EnP.

President, PCAPI Region IV-A Chapter

INCLUDES NEW MODULES ADAPTED FROM EMB-PRESCRIBED SYLLABUS

BASIC ACCREDITATION TRAINING COURSE FOR POLLUTION CONTROL OFFICERS (PCOs)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW

Capability building for new Pollution Control Officers (PCOs) to understand and implement the provisions of the five (5) basic environmental regulations; environmental management and monitoring; environmental permitting; sampling and analysis; documentation and reporting; and the PC responsibilities.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

This training aims to develop the capacity of Pollution Control Officers (PCOs) in performing their functions, duties and responsibilities using accelerated learning techniques based on actual experiences and best practices.

Specifically, at the end of the 40 hours training, the participant shall have:

- Have a deeper understanding and appreciation of the environmental situation and be able to relate the importance of compliance to environmental laws covered in this training.
- Have learned the salient features and gained insights on the Framework of Philippine Environmental Regulations and understood compliance requirements of its environmental laws (PD 1586, RA 9003, RA 9275, RA 8749, RA 6969).
- Identified the required and applicable permits/ clearances applicable to one's operations.
- Be able to identify situations to avoid, that which could warrant violation actionable by the Pollution Adjudication Board (PAB)
- Learned the do's and don'ts of environmental sampling on air, water and soil.
- Identified reportable environmental incidents, identified methods to use for environmental cases investigations, and practiced preparing an Incident report using EMB-prescribed form
- Understood the roles, functions and values of a PCO and identified the requirements for PCO Accreditation stated under DAO 2014-02.
- Gained knowledge and practiced preparing EMP/ EMoP.
- Gained knowledge and practiced preparing CMR and SMR
- Have gained insights from best practices of PCOs and related allied-industries in the field of environmental management and pollution control.

SCHEDULE:

March 25-29, 2025

VENUE:

Splash Mountain Resort and Hotel, Km 58, Brgy. Lalakay, Los Baños, Laguna

**DURATION: 5 days
(8am-5pm)**

Training: 40 Hours

CRITERIA FOR CATEGORIZATION OF ESTABLISHMENTS

CRITERIA	CATEGORY A	CATEGORY B
Chemical Usage, Storage, and/or Handling	Using, storing, and/or handling chemicals which are not listed in Annex 1 of this Order	Using, storing, and/or handling chemicals which are listed in Annex 1 of this Order regardless of quantity
Hazardous Waste Generated	Small quantity generators as defined in Annex 2 of this Order	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Large quantity generators as defined in Annex 2 of this Order • Accredited Transporter; or • Accredited Treatment, Storage, and Disposal (TSD) Facility
Air Emissions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Boilers <50 HP • Diesel generators < 300 kW • APSE <10 tons/yr of an air pollutant regulated under RA 8749, or establishments not required to undergo stack sampling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small, medium, large-sized, or environmentally significant existing source as defined in EMB MC 2007-003; or • Establishments required to undergo stack sampling
Solid Waste Generated	Generates more than 30 kg/day of aggregate solid waste	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Centralized MRF; or • Solid waste treatment or processing facilities; or • Sanitary Landfill or with sanitary landfill
Water Discharge	< 30 m ³ /day and with effluent quality parameters not listed in Annex 3 if this quarter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • > 30m³/day; or • With effluent quality parameters listed in Annex 3 of this Order; or • Classified as Strong Wastewater (with influent BOD ≥ 3,000mg/L); or • Transporter or treater of wastewater, sewage and/or septage
Sludge Generated	n/a	Transporter or treater of sludge

QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR PCOs

CRITERIA	CATEGORY A	CATEGORY B
BASIC QUALIFICATIONS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Filipino citizen, of legal age, with good moral character, and mentally and physically healthy • Full time employee of the establishment where he/she is being appointed/designated as PCO • Has completed the basic PCO training course by an EMB-recognized training organization/ institution within the last three (3) years 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Filipino citizen, of legal age, with good moral character, and mentally and physically healthy • Full time employee of the establishment where he/she is being appointed/designated as PCO • Has completed the basic PCO training course by an EMB-recognized training organization/ institution within the last three (3) years
MINIMUM COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS (Any of the following)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Graduate of any related technical course • Had reached third year in tertiary level education • Had been with the establishment for at least three (3) years in a supervisory position or in a responsible position or equivalent experience • A <u>store manager, retail station manager, or building administrator</u> of, but not limited to, fast-food stores, gasoline stations, and condominiums may be designated as PCO provided he/she possesses the minimum competency requirements • <u>Owner/manager</u> REGARDLESS of professional qualification may be designated as PCO for Category A establishments provided he/she possesses the Basic Requirements 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Licensed engineers/chemists with at least two (2) years relevant experience in environmental management • Professionals in the field of engineering or physical and natural sciences with at least three (3) years relevant experience in environmental management • Other professionals of appropriate discipline with at least five (5) years relevant experience in environmental management

WHO CAN BE THE MANAGING HEAD (MH) OF THE ESTABLISHMENT?

Maybe any of the following:

- CEO / President / GM
- Highest Filipino ranking officer
- Internally determined by the Management
- Ideally has supervisory functions over the work of the PCO



NOT ALL TRAININGS ARE CREATED EQUAL

WHY TRAIN WITH PCAPI 4A?

“The Gold Standard in PCO Training”

- ✓ Accredited Training Institution by EMB since 2014.
- ✓ Recipient, Outstanding Training Institution (EMB 4A)
- ✓ Hall of Fame Awardee, Best PCAPI Chapter by PCAPI National Chapter
- ✓ Organizational Member of International Society of Sustainability Professionals, 2019
- ✓ Most trusted training provider by domestic and multinational companies in the Philippines
- ✓ Membership-based NGO. We exist to serve our co-PCOs and create a community of PCOs driven with excellence and integrity.



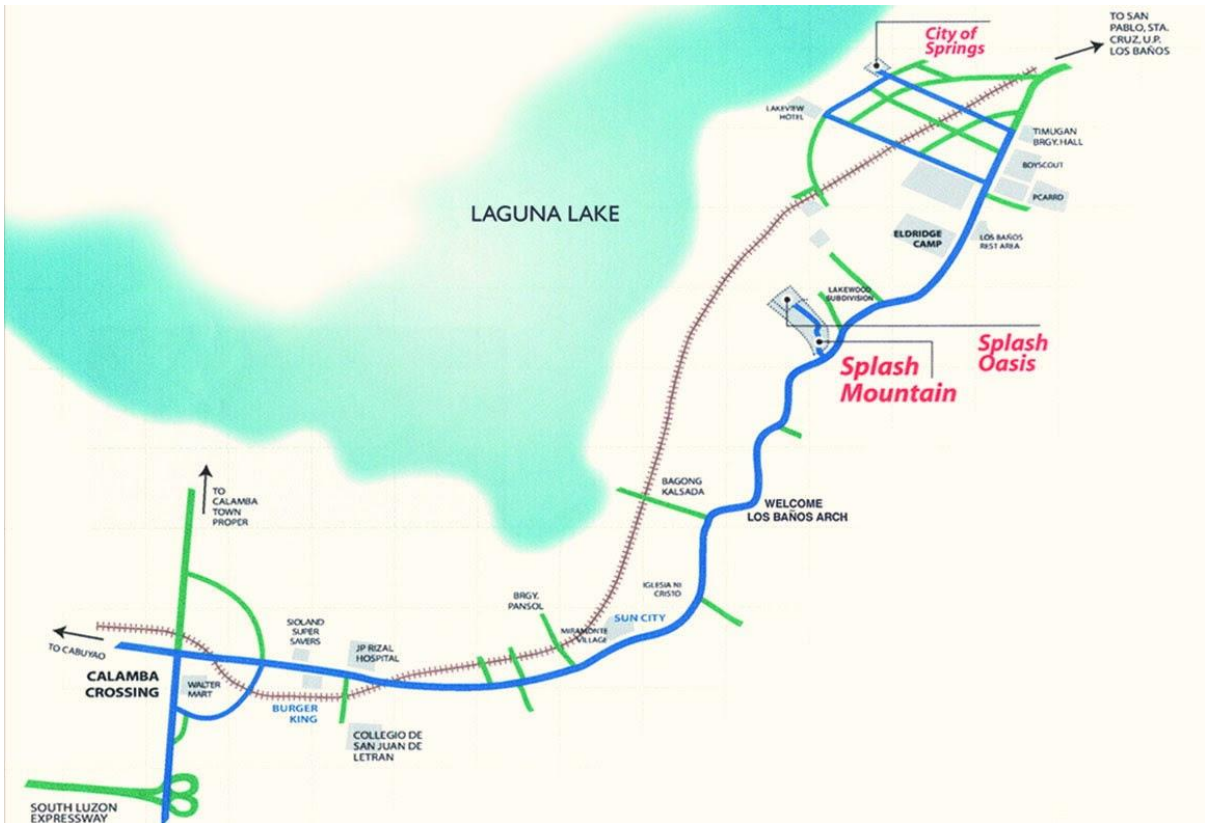
POWERFUL. COMPLETE. EFFECTIVE.

“Effective and informative modules. All in all, a worth it experience and learnings. Facilitators and staffs are approachable.”

“The seminar/ training is not boring. The training is both intellectually and morally/ spiritually enriching.”

“Speakers and facilitators are approachable, really helping PCOs with concerns and issues. As new PCO, I'm inspired to participate in any environmental activities at any levels.”

“The training has a balance between the technical know-how and work-virtue.”



ATTENTION TO ALL PARTICIPANTS!

ONLY PARTICIPANTS WITH FULL PAYMENT WILL BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND THE TRAINING COURSE.

TO RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION OF YOUR REGISTRATION SLOT,
PLEASE EMAIL DEPOSIT SLIP OR PROOF OF PAYMENT ON OR BEFORE **MARCH 17, 2025**

MODE OF PAYMENT

Deposit through Bank:

Account Name	:	PCAPI - REGION 4A CHAPTER, INC.
Account No	:	0911-0147-42
Name of Bank	:	Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI)
Branch	:	Los Baños Highway, Laguna
TIN NO.	:	008-429-752-000

TO RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION OF YOUR REGISTRATION FEE, PLEASE EMAIL DEPOSIT SLIP TO
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WE PLANT. WE NURTURE. TOGETHER.

PCAPI-R4A is proud to collaborate with trailblazing and reputable partners for our reforestation efforts towards more sustainable success for forests and communities in selected areas in CALABARZON.

Starting in 2021, we supported the planting and growth of 2,323 indigenous trees in Real, Quezon and Antipolo, Rizal by adopting more than 1 hectare of forest through our partners Haribon Foundation and Fostering People's Education, Empowerment and Enterprise (FPE3).

Choose PCAPI-R4A. Together we can do more!



PAWIKAN PROJECT

In partnership with Brgy Labac & NAIC, CAVITE MENRO

Annual Support for NAIC Menro / Brgy Labac and other coastal brgy to help conserve the Nesting area and Hatching Project for Pawikans

50,000 Php / year worth of supplies (net, flashlights, tent, etc.) needed for Pawikan Patrol Group and for Conservation Initiatives in the area to be given every August for the next 10 years with Annual Review of the board considering organization's financial status.

