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SUBJECT: CLARIFICATION UNDER THE REQUIREMENTS OF DENR ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 22, SERIES OF 2013, REVISED PROCEDURES AND STANDARDS FOR THE MANAGEMENT OF HAZARDOUS WASTES (REVISING DAO 2004-36) PRESCRIBING THE REQUIREMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL COMPLIANCE CERTIFICATE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF IMPORTATION CLEARANCE FOR RECYCLABLE MATERIALS CONTAINING HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES

Pursuant to the provisions of the Republic Act No. 6969, otherwise known as the "Toxic Substances and Hazardous and Nuclear Waste Control Act of 1990" (RA 6969) and DENR Administrative Order No. 22, Series of 2013 otherwise known as the Revised Procedures and Standards for the Management of Hazardous Wastes (Revising DAO 2004-36), Chapter X, Section 10.2.3, Importation Clearance Requirement for Each Shipment and consistent to the limiters set under the EMB Memorandum Circular 005-2014 "Revised Guidelines for the Coverage Screening and Standardized Requirements under the Philippine EIS System" 3.6.4 *Storage Facilities for toxic or hazardous materials, substances or products (including for those in PCL)*, this Circular is hereby issued to clarify that all importers of recyclable materials containing hazardous substances shall be required to secure an Environmental Compliance Certificate.

This Circular shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

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