NSWMC Resolution No. 50, Series of 2010

ADOPTION OF THE GUIDEBOOKS ON FORMULATION OF SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN, SAFE CLOSURE OF DISPOSAL SITES, SOLID WASTES DISPOSAL DESIGN OPERATION AND MANAGEMENT

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) 9003 also known as the Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000, provides for the adoption of a systematic, comprehensive and ecological solid waste management program;

WHEREAS, Section 16 of RA 9003, mandates the province, city or municipality, through its local Solid Waste Management Boards to prepare its respective 10 Year Solid Waste Mgt. Plans consistent with the National Solid Waste Management Framework and that the said plan shall contain all the components provided in Section 17 of the same Act;

WHEREAS, Sections 37, 40, 41 and 42 of RA 9003 and DENR Administrative Order No. 2001-34, mandate the Local Government Units (LGUs) to prepare Closure Plan of open dumps and controlled disposal facilities and criteria for siting, establishment and operation of sanitary landfills, which requires basic environmental and engineering safeguards;

WHEREAS, NSWMC Resolution No. 39, series of 2009, amending the Resolution No. 8, Series of 2008 provides guidelines on the review and approval of the 10 year SWM Plans of Local Government Units;

WHEREAS, DENR AO No. 9 dated September 14, 2006 provides General guidelines in the closure and rehabilitation of open dumpsites and controlled dump facilities;

WHEREAS, DENR AO NO. 10 dated September 16, 2006 provides Guidelines on the Categorized Final Disposal Facilities (Sanitary Landfills), in order to support LGUs in their planning and implementing strategies on the establishment of disposal facilities;

WHEREAS, to ensure the relevance and applicability of these guidebooks, the NSWMC-Secretariat and NSWMC- TWG conducted series of consultations with LGUs and various stakeholders, the inputs of which were incorporated in these guidebooks;

WHEREAS, these guidebooks are consistent with the provisions of RA 9003;

WHEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED TO ADOPT the GUIDEBOOKS ON FORMULATION OF SOLID WASTE MGT. PLAN, SAFE CLOSURE OF DISPOSAL SITES, and SOLID WASTES DISPOSAL DESIGN OPERATION AND MANAGEMENT.

APPROVED on 22nd of October, 2010.

Chairman, National Solid Waste Management Commission

ATTESTED BY:

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