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Subject: Request for the Extension on the One (1) Year Storage Time Limit of
Hazardous Wastes

Dear Director Salino:

We extend our warm greetings to you from the Philippine Ports Authority PMO
Palawan.

Our office at Port of Puerto Princesa has been registered as a Hazardous Waste
Generator and categorized as Small Quantity Generator since January 4, 2018.

On December 27, 2022, and March 20, 2023, we had our hazardous wastes (I101,
I104, and D407) transported and treated by a DENR-accredited Transporter and
Treatment Storage and Disposal (TSD) facility, and we were issued Certificates of
Treatment through the Hazardous Waste Management System on February 23,
2023, and May 31, 2023, respectively. The cost of procuring the transporter and
treatment facility however, was costly due to inter-island transport because of the
lack of a TSD Facility in the province of Palawan.

With this, we respectfully request an extension on the one (1) year storage limit of
hazardous wastes for Small Generators as outlined in DENR Administrative Order
No. 2013-22, Table 3.2 Compliance Requirements of Waste Generators since we
only produce less than fifty (50) liters of used oil and more or less twenty (20) busted
bulbs in a year.

Further, we are respectfully asking to be allowed to store up to 200 liters (1 drum) of
used oil and at least one hundred (100) busted bulbs, or at least every three (3)
years before we procure the transport and treatment of our wastes. With these, we
maximize the transportation and treatment costs and are therefore more
advantageous to the government.

As an organization deeply committed to environmental management, we assure you
that we store our wastes appropriately and responsibly for the health and safety of
our surroundings.

Hoping for your favorable consideration on this matter.

Very truly yours,


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