



**Department of Environment
and Natural Resources**



**Department of
Trade and Industry**



**Department of
Transportation
and Communications**

**DENR-DTI-DOTC JOINT ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 1
SERIES OF 2003**

**Subject : GUIDELINES AND PROCEDURES FOR THE MONITORING OF
ACCREDITED AND AUTHORIZED PRIVATE EMISSION TESTING
CENTERS (PETC) AND LTO EMISSION TESTING ACTIVITIES**

Section 1 - Authority

- 1.1 WHEREAS**, Section 21 of Republic Act 8749 also known as the Philippine Clean Air Act of 1999 mandates the DOTC, together with the DTI and the DENR, to establish the procedures for the inspection of motor vehicles and the testing of their emissions;
- 1.2 WHEREAS**, the same section empowers the DOTC to authorize private emission testing centers duly accredited by the DTI;
- 1.3 WHEREAS**, under Section 3, Rule 34 of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of the Clean Air Act of 1999, the DENR has the responsibility of regulating specifications of the emission testing equipment to be used in conducting emission tests;
- 1.4 WHEREAS**, under Section 8, Rule 35 of the IRR of the CAA, the DENR, through, the Bureau, shall certify conformity to standards of emission test equipment before it can be used for mandatory emission tests.
- 1.5 WHEREAS**, Section 35 of DTI-DOTC Joint Administrative Order (JAO) No. 01, Series of 2001 "Guidelines for Accreditation and Authorization of Vehicle Emission Testing Centers" states that "DTI and DOTC/LTO shall undertake joint monitoring and inspection activity on all accredited and authorized Private Emission Testing Centers (PETC)"; and

In consideration of the above premises, the following are hereby prescribed for the compliance, information, and guidance of all concerned.

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