



### QUALITY POLICY

In compliance with the Philippine Coast Guard Law of 2009 (Republic Act 9993) Section 3 (n), (o) and other issuances in relation with relevant Maritime National and International laws, Regulations, and Conventions, the **MARINE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMAND (MEPCOM)** is committed to provide excellent service to preserve a healthful and well-balanced marine environment and resources to uphold its recognition as the epicenter of biodiversity and evolution through the functions performed by:



- **Marine Environmental Protection Accreditation and Certification Services (MEP AcCeS)** by facilitating the standard process of mandatory certification issuances;
- **Marine Scientific Investigation Force (MSIFORCE)** by conducting accurate forensic investigation of pollution cases, inspecting and monitoring of vessels and facilities in order to ensure compliance to effluent standards set by government;
- **National Operations Center for Oil Pollution (NOCOP)** acting as a focal point for both local and international concerns on marine pollution (oil and HNS) and coordinating with other government agencies and private companies deemed for the mitigation, containment and recovery of oil and/or HNS spill;
- **Marine Environmental Protection Training Center (MEPTC)** educating, training and developing every MEPCOM personnel in order to acquire necessary knowledge, skills and competency in performing MEPCOM's mandated function.

The Headquarters MEPCOM is committed to establish, implement and maintain a Quality Management System (QMS) within the context of Government Quality Management Systems Standards (QMSS). The documented Quality Management System shall demonstrate that the Marine Environmental Protection Command commits itself to continually improve the delivery of services.

The MEPCOM shall stimulate a component wide commitment to this Policy and shall ensure that it is objectively understood, implemented, maintained and monitored in all levels of the Organization.

This Quality Policy shall be reviewed recurrently to ensure suitability and effectiveness.

  
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