

COMMISSION RESOLUTION NO. 01

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"A RESOLUTION CREATING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR PURPOSES OF POLICY AND PROGRAMS FORMULATION RELATIVE TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND DISASTER RISK RESILIENT PROJECT FOR THE URBAN POOR AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF"

WHEREAS, pursuant to Executive Order (EO) No. 82 dated December 8, 1986, it is the mandate of the Presidential Commission on the Urban Poor (PCUP) to serve as the direct link of the Urban Poor to the government in policy formulation and program implementation addressed to their needs;

WHEREAS, Sec. 2 (g) of Executive Order (EO) No. 82 states the Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor (PCUP) shall plan and monitor programs and projects for the development of urban poor communities in coordination with agencies involved;

WHEREAS, Sec. 2 (h) of Executive Order (EO) No. 82 states further that Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor (PCUP) can request the assistance of any department, bureau, office or agency in the performance of its functions;

WHEREAS, Administrative Order (AO) No. 111, s. 1989, directs all government department, agencies and offices concerned to coordinate with the PCUP in the planning, implementation and evaluation of their respective programs and projects for the Urban Poor;

WHEREAS, the catastrophic effect of typhoon brought about by climate change in the country's urban centers, has been determined to be at unprecedented levels of destruction to the lives, property and livelihood of the urban poor;

WHEREAS, the Philippines is one of the most vulnerable countries in the world to disaster and climate change. With over 7,000 islands and over 36,000 kilometers of coastline, nearly everyone – 74 percent of the population – and everywhere – 80 percent of the land area – are vulnerable to disaster, with the capital of Manila considered at "extremely risk";

WHEREAS, RA 9729 also mandates the inclusion of the respective sectoral issues and concerns to the Local Climate Change Action Plan (LCCAP) of the respective local government units.

WHEREAS, it is in the policy direction of the present dispensation, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, Republic of the Philippines to ensure and implement an effective mechanism to guarantee the general welfare of the public by implementing a Climate Change and Disaster Risk resilient communities among the marginalized sector; likewise the importance of the implementation of the Climate Change and Disaster Risk adaptive projects

RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, We, the Commissioners and the Chairperson do hereby promulgate this resolution **A RESOLUTION CREATING THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR PURPOSES OF POLICY AND PROGRAMS FORMULATION RELATIVE TO CLIMATE CHANGE AND DISASTER RISK RESILIENT PROJECT FOR THE URBAN POOR AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREOF**, to wit:

SECTION I: OBJECTIVE

The Technical Working Group intends to:

- a. Facilitate the formulation and implementation of a climate change and disaster risk resilient program to address the varying effects of climate change and disaster risk resilient program to address the varying effects of climate change to the lives, property and livelihood of the urban poor communities particularly the marginalized sector;
- b. Mainstream the Local Climate Change Action Plan (LCCAP), within the Urban Poor context are the salient points that need to be considered in the different level of plans, programs or projects of the Commission
- c. Monitor, recommend and assist the key Shelter Agencies in the implementation of the Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation Road Map: An Urban Poor Framework for the Informal Settler Families in the danger zones, riverbed, lakebed, informal settlers and resettlement sites of the country



SECTION II. THE TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) AND ITS COMPOSITION

The TWG shall be composed of the following CSOs and key shelter agencies:

Chairperson	Commissioner from Presidential Commission for the Urban Poor
Co-Chairperson	Commissioner from Climate Change Commission
Members	Representative from the Office of the Cabinet Secretary
	Representative from the Department of the Interior and Local Government
	Representative from the Office of Participatory Governance
	Representative from the National Disaster Risk Reduction Management Council
	Representative from Department of Education
	Representative from Department of Environment and Natural Resources
	Representative from Department of Agriculture
	Representative from Armed Forces of the Philippines
	Representative from the Civil Society Organizations
	Representative from the Green Governance of the Philippines
	Representative from the Union of Informal Settlers for Green Development and Empowerment
	Representative from the National Housing Authority
	Representative from the Housing and Urban Development Coordinating Council
	Representative from the Home Guarantee Corporation
	Representative from the Social Housing Finance Corporation
	Representative from the Home Development Mutual Fund
Representative from the Housing and Land Use Regulatory Board	
Representative from the National Home Mortgage Finance Corporation	

SECTION III. SCOPE OF WORK

- A. The TWG shall be responsible for the formulation and implementation of the Peoples Resilient and Response to Disaster (PRRD): Urban Poor Climate Change and Disaster Risk Resilient Management Program which include the following:
1. Conduct awareness level projects, i.e., forum, sectoral consultations and dialogues
 2. Conduct and facilitate for the community-based development project such as but not limited to:
 - a) Applications/implementation of the renewable energy;
 - b) Rain catchment projects;
 - c) Community-based garden/Food is always in the Home;
 - d) Community base waste management program;
 - e) Edible landscape; and
 - f) Mangrove/Bamboo reforestation
 3. Conduct Capacity building to the sectoral organization, LGUs and other CSOs.
 4. Conduct and facilitate the implementation of a "mass green housing project" using a climate proof and climate change resilient building and facilities
 5. Coordinate with the Field Operations Divisions in the implementation of the Climate Change and Disaster Risk Resilient Project for the Urban Poor
- B. Mainstream and Integrate the sectoral issues of the urban poor to the Local Climate Change Action Plan (LCCAP) to the respective local government units (LGU) base on the mandate stipulated under RA 9729 as amended.
- C. Facilitate to the conduct of the Vulnerability Area Assessment (VAA)/Risk Vulnerability Area Assessments in the urban poor community.
- D. All members of the Climate Change and Disaster Risk Resilient Technical Working Group in the provision of Section III of this Resolution shall designate one Permanent Representative and Alternate Representative

SECTION IV: SECRETARIAT AND ITS FUNCTIONS

The Office of the Commissioner chaired of the Committee will act as its Secretariat and designated staff of the office will be appointed as the Head of the Secretariat.

1. It is primarily the responsibility of the Secretariat to provide linkages, support mechanism, monitoring and records keeping of the Climate Change Disaster Risk Resilient Project Technical Working Group.
2. The secretariat will be assisted by four (4) employees/staff of the Commission.

3. The Secretariat will submit reports to the members of the Commission.
4. The Commission, through the Secretariat, will implement parallel projects in the urban sectors community.

SECTION VI: FUNDING AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE REQUIREMENTS

1. The funding and other administrative requirements of the Climate Change and Disaster Risk Resilient Project for the Urban Poor – Technical Working Group (TWG) will be charged to the regular budget of the Commission.
2. The TWG through the Secretariat and with the Office of the Chairman or his/her duly representative, will link and access other funds available, such as Peoples Survival Fund (PSF), Green Climate Fund (GCF), other discretionary funds of the government and from the private investors and funds from the private institution or civil society organization.

ADOPTED during the Special Commission En Banc Session held in this 16th day of March our Lord 2018 at the Icon Hotel, Quezon City.

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