

PROJECT

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The Philippine Red Tape Challenge

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"You're the backbone of the economy, kid. Now get out there and create some jobs!"

RATIONALE

- Consumers and Businesses are saddled by too much regulation
- Regulation happens at Executive, Legislative, Local Government levels
- Laws date back to Commonwealth period and includes PDs from Martial Law era
- Multiple layers of laws, rules, regulations
- Are they all necessary or relevant?





CrowdsourceEstablishCutProposalsRepeal SystemRegulatory Cost

OBJECTIVES

Reduced cost of compliance for people and businesses; savings for the economy, measured in PhP Millions annually



PRIORITIZATION

- Executive Department Orders/Circulars
- Executive Orders & Administrative Orders
- Legislation
- LGU Ordinances



Macedonia | Moldova | Zambia | Armenia | Slovenia | Mexico | Serbia | Russia | Germany | Ukraine | New Zealand | Nepal | Sweden | Moldova

RELATED GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES



Review of selected Dept. Administrative Orders (DAOs) that significantly affect frontline operations; *invalidated 133 DAOs, JAOs and MCs*



Conduct review of all issuances dealing with regulations, policies and implementation of laws, with a view towards rationalizing them.

RELATED GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES



Regulatory Impact Assessment (RIA) Pilot Project



RELATED GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES





Development Academy of the Philippines

Modernizing Government Regulations Program



Implementation of the Anti-Red Tape Act (ARTA) of 2007



Amendment Addition, deletion and/or change of certain provisions of a rule or regulation

Consolidation Integration of multiple, similar regulations into one legal document.

Delisting Removal of invalid rules and regulations from an agency's website and roster of active issuances.

Repeal

Full elimination of a rule/issuance because it has been deemed no longer necessary.

PROJECT REPEAL PROCESS



STOCKTAKE	Total	
As of June 13, 2016	17,388	
Enrolled for 1 st Repeal Day	(3,777)	
Balance for Review	13,611	
Additional Submissions	16,514	
As of November 28, 2016	30,125	



Total Stocktake as of Nov. 28, 2016		30, 125	100%
Reviewed		2,207	39.54%
Repeal	11		
Amendment	177		
Consolidation	18		
Delisting	896		
Retained	1,105		
Under Review		9,703	
Balance for review		18, 215	60.46%



DISTRIBUTION OF ISSUANCES FOR 2ND REPEAL DAY







British Government and NCC Partnership

The NCC's Project Repeal has been awarded a sum of £17,969 equivalent to ₱1,125,043.82 [exchange rate as of 01-03-04:£1- ₱62.61] to assist the Philippine Government to cut red tape in the business environment through the development of the Standard Cost Model over a 5-month period. A Ceremonial Signing of Project Repeal Grant Contract with the British Embassy Manila was held in August 4, 2016



Technical & Research Collaboration with CHED Sectoral Engagements Grant under the K-12 Program Unit



CHED K to 12 Transition Program Management Unit has committed to partner with Project Repeal thru the Department of Trade and Industry on their Instruction, Research and Sectoral Engagement (IRSE) Grant.



Technical & Research Collaboration for the Development of the Philippines Standard Cost Model



The partnership with the Philippine Institute for Development Studies (PIDS) is a strategic move for that will establish a multi disciplinary research for the development of the Philippines Standard Cost Model.



Civil Service Commission and Project Repeal Partnership

The Project Repeal Team together with National Competitiveness Co-Chairman, Mr. Guillermo Luz met with Chairman Bala for the interface of Project Repeal and CSC'S Anti-Red Tape Act. Initial agreement is for Project Repeal to help facilitate the simplification of procedures in different agencies participating in

Project Repeal. MOU between NCC and CSC is now being drafted



Project Repeal Partnership with Leading Higher Education Institutions and Professional Organization in the Philippines

To ensure the multi-disciplinary feature of Project Repeal research researches supportive of its regulatory reform initiatives, NCC is pursuing a partnership with leading higher education institutions in the country to include: Ateneo de Manila University, UP National College of Public Administration and Governance, the Philippine Society for Public Administration, De La Salle University, Manila, De La Sale University Dasmarinas and the Polytechnic University of the Philippines

PROJECT REPEAL UPDATES

	The Development of the Standard Cost Model is a breakthrough
	initiative for Project Repeal. It is a method for determining the
	administrative burdens and/or unnecessary burdens imposed by
	regulation. First to be done in the PH. The PH Standard Cost Model will
	be based on UK Standard Cost Model. UK Experts is arriving soon to
Development of the	conduct Capacity Building Programs for Project Repeal Implementing
Philippines	Agencies re: Development and Use of SCM
Standard Cost	
Model based on the	An approval was also to use the Mercatus Regulatory Cost Model as
UK Standard Cost	additional reference materials for the SCM development was also
Model	secured.

Series of Consultative meetings with the private sector partners and government agency implementers will be conducted in December 2016 through January 2017. Launching of the SCM will be done on February 2017

PROJECT REPEAL UPDATES

Proactive Engagements with the Senate Committee on Trade, Commerce & Entrepreneurship NCC and the Senate Committee on Trade, Commerce and Entrepreneurship work together in the drafting of the proposed EODB Bill. The Final Report of the NCC on Project Repeal shall form part of the Repealing Clause as Annex B and shall have repealed, amended or modified accordingly the laws, executive orders, decrees, rules and regulations specified in the said Final Report.

Prioritization of the GEO Bill (Senate Bill No. 348)

Pushing for the passage of the Comprehensive Amendments to the Anti Red Tape Act of 2007

Commitment from the Committee to help facilitate the repeal and/or amendment of all laws submitted to Project Repeal





Thank You!

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