



Republic of the Philippines  
Province of Sorsogon  
OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR  
Sorsogon Capitol Compound



**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 24 - 2023**

**CREATION OF TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP FOR THE SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

**WHEREAS**, Section 10 of R.A. No. 9003, otherwise known as the “*Ecological Solid Waste Management Act of 2000*” provides for the role of LGUs in Solid Waste Management — Pursuant to the relevant provisions of R.A. No. 7160, otherwise known as the Local Government Code, the LGUs shall be primarily responsible for the implementation and enforcement of the provisions of this Act within their respective jurisdictions;

**WHEREAS**, Section 17 (b) (vi) of R.A. No. 7160, otherwise known as the “*Local Government Code of 1991*”, likewise provides for the solid waste disposal system or environmental management system and services or facilities related to general hygiene and sanitation of the respective municipalities and city;

**WHEREAS**, the Provincial Government of Sorsogon is unified with the national government to enforce the sanitation laws, prepare a solid waste management program, and other environmental functions;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDWIN “BOBOY” B. HAMOR**, Governor of the Province of Sorsogon, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order the following:

**Section 1. Creation of Technical Working Group.** – The technical working group shall compose of the following:

1. Chairperson - Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Officer

2. Members:

- a) Chairman of the Committee on Environment and Natural Resources - Sangguniang Panlalawigan Member
- b) Provincial Planning and Development Officer
- c) Provincial Administrator

- d) Provincial Accountant
- e) Provincial Budget Officer
- f) Provincial Treasurer
- g) Provincial Engineer
- h) Provincial Agriculturist
- i) Provincial Assessor's officer
- j) Provincial Health Officer
- k) Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Officer
- l) Provincial Human Resources and Management Officer
- m) Provincial General Services Office
- n) Sorsogon Provincial Tourism, Culture and Arts Office
- o) Provincial Legal Office
- p) Sangguniang Panlalawigan Secretary

**Section 2. Duties and Responsibilities.** The technical working group shall have the following duties and responsibilities:

- a. Primarily responsible for the formulation of the proposed Sanitary Landfill project that will ensure the long-term management of solid waste, as well as integrate the various solid waste management plans and strategies of the LGUs;
- b. Shall make a study as to the proposed sanitary landfill and SWM system;
- c. Shall coordinate with the LGUs for the enactment and creation of the proposed project for sanitary landfill;
- d. Formulation, review and refinement of procedures for sanitary landfill operations and enforcement of the said project;
- e. Conduct field inspections as to the proposed sanitary landfill project and SWM system.

**Section 4. Incorporation Clause.** – All laws, legal order, rules and regulations that have been issued and/or will be issued by the duly constituted authorities of the Republic of the Philippines are hereby incorporated herein and made an integral part hereof. In case of conflict, such laws, legal order, rules and regulations shall have precedence over provisions of this Executive Order.

**Section 5. Repealing Clause.** – Any Administrative Order or Executive Order previously issued that is inconsistent with the provisions of this Executive Order shall be considered repealed, amended, or modified accordingly.

**Section 6. Effectivity.** – This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon its issuance as stated hereunder.

**DONE**, this **24<sup>th</sup>** day of **May, 2023** in the City of Sorsogon, Province of Sorsogon.



  
**EDWIN "BOBOY" B. HAMOR**  
Governor