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## DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. <u>D02010-07-0013</u>

Amending Department Order No. 94-09-16, "Constituting a Records Management Improvement Committee and its Sub-Committee"

For better coordination of the records management activities in the Department, the DOE Records Management Improvement Committee (RMIC) is hereby reconstituted t $\sigma$  be composed of the following:

Chair

Undersecretary for General Administration and Support

Services

Vice Chair

Assistant Secretary

Members

Bureau/Service/Office/Unit Directors

As an advisory body on the records management activities of the DOE, the RMIC shall undertake the following responsibilities:

- 1. Ensure an active and continuing Records Management Program for the effective and efficient management of the DOE's documents/records;
- 2. Review and recommend to the DOE Secretary the retention periods of the DOE's vital documents/records;
- 3. Develop a documents/records management policy manual for the creation, maintenance, use and disposition of records;
- 5. Ensure compliance with pertinent laws, rules and regulations pertaining to documents/records management:
- 6. Apprise the top management of documents/records management issues and offer suggestions for future program initiatives.

A Technical Working Group (TWG) is likewise created which shall be composed of the following:

Chair

Director, Administrative Services

Vice Chair

Division Chief, Records Management Division

Members

Division Chiefs of the different bureaus/services/unit

The TWG shall undertake the following responsibilities:

- 1. Recommend to the RMIC systems and procedures for the effective management of the DOE's records including the preparation of a proposed records management policy manual;
- 2. Ensure the conduct of periodic inventory and appraisal of records holdings of the different divisions in DOE in order to identify new vital records series and determine their retention period;
- 3. Recommend to the RMIC the retention periods of their vital documents/records; and
- 4. Conduct regular focused group discussions (FGD) to find out the records management issues/concerns and come up with suggestions/recommendations to address them.

The Records Management Division staff shall serve as Secretariat of the RMIC.

This Department Order shall take effect immediately.

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