

# **Occupational Safety Hazard Training**

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## **Rationale and Context**

In order to heighten the knowledge of the Women-Micro Entrepreneurs on Occupational Safety and Health Hazard Training, the DOST 7 and the Philippine Commission on Women under its Great Women Project conducted the training on Occupational Safety and Health Hazard Trading.

This training is part of the series of the DOST Technical Trainings provided to all its partner WMEs under the SET UP Project. It seeks to provide an advance science and technological skills to all women entrepreneurs for them to be globally competitive in the world market.

## **Objectives and Expected Outputs**

The training aims to enhance the knowledge of the WMEs on Occupational Safety and Health Hazards. It seeks to provide the participants the capacity on Workplace Emergency Preparedness, the knowledge to know the administrative OSH Requirements, Safety in Housekeeping, Materials and Chemical Handling, on Fire Safety and Electrical Safety.

## **Proceedings**

The resource speaker Mr. Rustico Levi M. Custorio, of the Department of Labor and Employment first presented the situation on Occupation Safety and Health Hazard Training. He then proceeded in asking each WME participants to share on the current OSH situation of their own companies.

The WMEs were then informed about the 11058 OSH Law that mandates the strong compliance of business establishment to the Occupational Safety and Health Standards for their Workers. An input on the Workplace Emergency Preparedness was also provided to the participants to ensure their capacity to address emergency situation at the workplace.

Mr. Custorio also shared the need to comply to Administrative OSH Requirements which includes the Registration, the creation of a functional Health and Safety Committee, Reports and Notifications on Accident, Illnesses and Injuries, report on Occupational Health Services, and the development of Occupational Safety and Health Program.

The training further provided the participants with inputs on Housekeeping, Materials Handling, Chemical Safety, Fire Safety and Electrical Safety so as to secure the well-being of management and the workers of a particular establishment. (Note: Copy of the PDF presentations are attached in the annex part)

The participants were divided into two groups and were made to build a strong building structure made of paper materials provided by the speaker. It was the Cebu group who made the strongest paper building during the workshop.

The participants raised questions pertaining to the registration procedure and on the OSH Requirements which was then answered by the resource speaker based on the input provided.

The training session ended with the realization of the WMEs on the need to comply with the OSH Law to ensure the safety and health security of all their business workforce.

## Summary of General Agreements/ Next Steps

Agenda	Discussion	Agreements
RA 11058 (OSH LAW)	The strong compliance of business establishment to the Occupational Safety and Health Standards for their Workers	For all participating WMEs to make their best effort to comply on the set procedural requirements of the OSH Law to prevent stoppage of their business operations.
Workplace Emergency Preparedness	Capacity to address emergency situation at the workplace.	
Administrative OSH Requirements	Procedures how to comply the requirements	
Housekeeping, Materials Handling, Chemical Safety, Fire Safety and Electrical Safety	How to secure the well-being of the workers	

## Management Issues, Adjustments and Lessons Learned

The WMEs realized the need to ensure/ check and secure their chemical handling and fire safety.

## **Annexes**

- 1. Program Schedule/Workshop Schedule**
- 2. Attendance (Name, Sex, Designation, Agency/Office, Contact Numbers, and Signature, if actual attendance sheet is attached)**
- 3. PowerPoint Presentation/s of Lecturers/ Resource Persons/ Facilitators**
- 4. Speaker's Profile**
- 5. Summary of Participants' Evaluation**
- 6. Photo documentation with caption.**

