



ADB Regional Capacity Development Technical Assistance
 Strengthening Capacity for Environmental Law in the Asia-Pacific:
 Developing Environmental Law Champions
 Train-the-Trainers Program
 22-26 August 2016
 Cebu, Philippines



**PARTICIPANT FIELD TRIP INFORMED CONSENT,
 ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE FORM**

The Asian Development Bank (ADB) has approved a regional technical assistance project to strengthen environmental law in the Asia-Pacific region by developing environmental law champions through train-the-trainers programs (“TTT Programs”). ADB has selected law professors and lecturers from its developing member countries to participate in the TTT Program to be held in Cebu, Philippines from 22-26 August 2016 (“TTT Program #5”). The TTT Program #5 is being implemented by the IUCN Academy of Environmental law (IUCN Academy), in conjunction with ADB.

As part of the TTT #5 Program, ADB and IUCN Academy will be conducting a field trip (the “Field Trip”) on 25 August 2016 in Cebu, Philippines to demonstrate the field trip as a teaching methodology and learn about environmental and legal issues related to the Inayawan Landfill located in Cebu, Philippines.

This document sets out a description of the Field Trip and provides for certification of certain obligations and a release and waiver of liability against ADB and IUCN Academy. Please read carefully before signing.

1. I will participate in the Field Trip based on the proposed itinerary below:

15 &16 FIELD TRIP & COURSE DINNER	
1.30 – 2:00	Field Trip Presentation: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Distribution of information materials • Explanation of environmental issues involved • Guest Speakers • Safety/security briefing by trainers
2:00 – 3:00	Travel to field trip site (Inayawan Landfill, Cebu, Philippines)
3.00 - 4:30	Field trip inspection of relevant sites and travel to dinner venue
4.30- 5.30	De-briefing session (at dinner venue): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • discussion of legal issues arising (e.g., enforcement options, citizens’ or indigenous peoples’ rights) • discussion of field trip as a teaching methodology, including rationale, logistical considerations, safety issues, and function of the de-brief
DINNER	
6.00-8:00	Course Dinner
8.00 – 9.00	Bus returns

2. I understand that my participation in the Field Trip specified above may involve certain risks or risk of injury. I have made my own investigation and am willing to assume and accept any such risks and agree that my safety is primarily dependent upon taking proper care of myself and exercising caution.

3. I understand that ADB and IUCN Academy do not represent or act as an agent for, and cannot control the acts or omissions of the transportation carrier or other provider of goods or services involved in the Field Trip. I understand that ADB and IUCN Academy are not responsible for matters that are beyond their control.

4. Local trainers will provide safety and security briefing prior to the Field Trip and the University of Cebu will provide one incident coordinator trained in first aid to travel with the participants throughout the Field Trip. However, I recognize that I am responsible for my personal medical needs. There are no health-related reasons or problems which restrict my participation in this Field Trip.

5. I understand that accident/health/travel insurance is my responsibility. I am covered by health insurance to meet any and all needs or payment of medical costs while I participate in the Field Trip. I recognize that ADB and IUCN Academy are not obligated to attend to any of my medical or medication needs, and I assume all risk and responsibility therefore. If I require medical treatment or hospital care during the Field Trip, ADB and the IUCN Academy are not responsible for the cost or quality of such treatment or care.

6. In the event of medical emergency, I authorize ADB and IUCN Academy to contact:

Name:

Relationship:

Phone:

Email:

8. I agree to observe any rules and practices that may be employed to minimize the risk of any injury and I agree to stop and seek assistance if I do not believe if I can safely continue with the Field Trip. I agree to limit my participation to reflect my personal fitness level.

9. I recognize that under the "Agreement Establishing the Asian Development Bank", ADB enjoys immunity from most forms of legal process and all Governors, Directors, alternates, officers and employees of ADB, including experts performing mission for ADB, are immune from legal process with respect to acts performed by them in their official capacity, except when ADB waives the immunity. Nothing in this document will operate, or be construed, as a waiver, renunciation or any other modification of any privilege or immunity of ADB under the "Agreement Establishing the Asian Development Bank".

10. Notwithstanding the above, I waive and release all claims against ADB and IUCN Academy and their employees or agents that are caused by my failure to comply with any rules, standards, and instructions related to the Field Trip.

Name: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____