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## **Foreword**

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# Planning: Background

## 1.1 Introduction

The Energy Efficiency Roadmap for the Philippines 2016-2030 is a detailed outline of the strategic plans and actions required to create a more energy-efficient Philippines across all sectors of economic activity. The road map was developed based on a recent pragmatic re-view of current state with respect to implementation and existing policies, targets and opportunities

#### **Review**

Analysis -Long Term Plans & Targets

Evaluation - Execution & Targets Achieved

### **Foresight**

Identification -New Opportunities

Integration -Current Plans & New Opportunities Figure 1 Roadmap Development Process

#### **Action Point**

Setting -Targets, Milestones

Plotting -Milestones Ascertain - Enablers Philippines Energy Efficiency Roadmap 2016-2030

## **Review of Existing Energy Efficiency** Policies Targets and Objectives

#### Setting the scene

The Philippine Government has emphasized on energy efficiency since 1975 via a wide range of statements of strategic intent on energy efficiency (Annex 1) and the Republic Act 7638 which was the basis for the formation of the Department of Energy (DoE). These statements have both built on and augmented the mandates given to the DoE and other bod-ies to pursue energy efficiency activities at various levels.

In more recent times, the 2008 Philippine Energy Summit discussion on Energy Efficiency and Conservation resulted in the drafting of several major priority action plans. Consequent upon the summit The Energy Reform Agenda have been instrumental in the current missions, visions and strategies of Energy Efficiency and Conservation Division (EECD) to further enhance energy efficiency in the Philippines.

#### **Targets**

The Philippines has two long term statements on energy efficiency clearly documented in the National Energy Efficiency & Conservation Program (NEECP) and the Energy Efficiency and Conservation Division (EECD) of the DOE. These existing vision statements remain highly relevant and served as a concrete platform for this roadmap.

However the review process of these documents also identified gaps and room for improvement. These targets need re-calibration for consistency and to provide clarity and enable tangible results. Among other issues identified are:

There are approximately 34 existing statements of Philippine government strategies and pri-orities for energy efficiency implementation which have been categorized as immediate or short term, medium and long term.

#### **ECCD OBJECTIVES**

Judicious conservation and efficient utilization of options toward the efficient

#### **NEECP VISION**

#### **Figure 3** Strategies and Priorities for Energy Efficiency

#### **Immediate / Short Term**

The **establishment** of a legal policy framework for energy efficiency in the supply and demand side of the energy market sector

**Re-file/finalization** of the Energy Conservation Bill

Review and amendment of the Procurement Law/Guidelines for Energy Efficiency related procurement

#### **Medium Term**

The **reinstatement** of Demand-Side-Management (DSM) practices among Distribution Utilities

**Creation** of an Energy Efficiency & Conservation Center (EECC)

#### **Long Term**

Redesigning or introduction of new interventions

**Expansion** of NEECP program

Monitoring compliance of the action plans

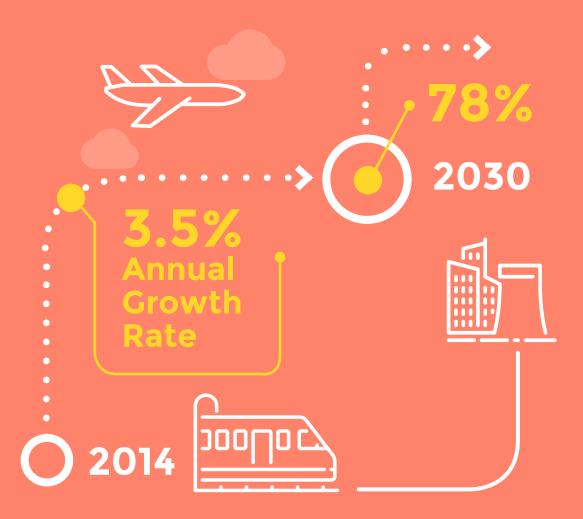
# 2 Embark: Philippines Energy Efficiency Roadmap 2014-2030

## 2.1 Intendment



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Targets are set in the context of strong economic growth and energy demand growth ex-pected during the period. Demand is forecast to grow by 78% between 2014 and 2030, an average annual growth rate of 3.5%; transport and industry are the dominant end use sec-tors.



Targets are based on an assessment of achievable potential, grounded in international experience and knowledge of existing levels of efficiency in the country.

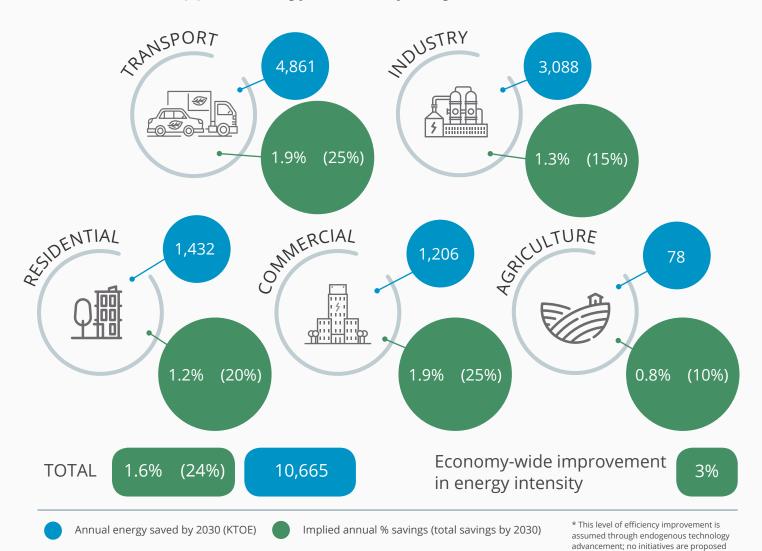
To eliminate exogenous causes of variation in energy demand, and to align with internation-ally accepted

energy efficiency benchmarks, it is proposed that economy-wide targets are consistently denoted in terms of percentage improvements in energy intensity (units of energy input per unit of GDP output).

This should be measured at a constant economic structure<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> Methodologies and justifications for the chosen sector target levels are provided in detail as part of the sister document to this Roadmap, Review of Philippines Energy Efficiency Policy and the National Energy Efficiency and Conservation Program: Progress, Targets, and Future Opportunities, December 2013, and beyond that evidence base target levels reflects the author's own considered judgment. 2 Further analytical work is required to determine a basis for measuring changes in energy use due to shifting economic composition separate from the impacts of energy efficiency programs (Refer Part 2.3).

**Table 2** Philippine Energy Efficiency Targets to 2030



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## Milestones

#### Short Term (2014-2015) -

#### **Transport Sector**

Closer support to manage identified risks in vehicle conversion and e-vehicle/e-trike programs – existing funded initiatives target key energy use sectors in transport such as tricycle and taxi fleets.

for the agricultural sector given its small percentage share of national energy use.

Fuel Efficiency Standards developed for light-duty vehicles, vans/jeepneys, tricycles and heavy vehicles (trucks) – a long-stated objective, this could be a very effective mechanism for increasing the efficiency of vehicles in a given category, though its impact through new vehicles could take time.

Re-formulated coordination mechanisms with other agencies – reinstating talks and coordination bodies with Department of Trade Industry Bureau of Product Standards (DTI-BPS), Department of Transportation and Communications (DOTC) and other agencies regarding road transport fuel efficiency will be important to implement and align with overall energy efficiency goals.

#### **Industrial Sector**



Link existing training projects with Energy Service Companies (ESCO) capacity building – at present the Philippine Industrial Energy Efficiency Project (PIEEP) and ASEAN Energy Management Scheme (AEMAS) training programmes are focused on training individual energy managers. DoE can play a role in coordinating training programs are coordinated and providing information on individuals with skills in ener-gy efficiency.

Develop sectoral focus programs to facilitate EE in energy intensive industries (ce-ment and construction, sugar) - specific programs for energy intensive industries need to be developed. Sugar processing and cement/construction are suggested as first priorities. This could include specific expertise and advice for industry on motors and drives, or on efficient cement production through dry kiln processes, and facilita-tion of industry-specific retrofit project development and financing in order to create showcase industry projects.

#### Commercial **Buildings Sector**



Reformulate group to oversee EE measures in Building Code - inclusion of EE measures in the national building code is a key policy measure for better performance of commercial buildings. In the short term, working group discussions need to be re-invigorated between departments especially DoE and Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) to achieve this aim, and the stated objective of benchmarking commercial building energy use information.

Retro-commissioning program for existing buildings - this would involve supplement-ing existing training workshops and seminars with stronger information and guidance on building management systems, to ensure that available energy savings are real-ized without the need to allocate budget to building retrofit.

Benchmarking and ratings for building information and reporting - while not saving energy directly, this benchmarking activity is essential to future efforts to measure and monitor energy efficiency activity, and to specify thresholds for building perfor-mance in the Philippine Building Code. It is also a key contributor to processes such as the development of Nationally Appropriate Mitigation Actions (NAMAs) by the Cli-mate Change Commission, which is considering the potential energy savings of the commercial building sector. A green building ratings system has been established through the Philippine Green Building Council in 2012-13.