	GENERAL INFORMATION			
Name of formality Permit For Releasing Polluted and Wastewater				
Type of formality	Other			
Date of last modification	22.07.2020			
Responsible Authority	Pollution Control Department			
Who should apply for this formality?	Any individual, legal entity, or organization intending to release polluted and wastewater into water sources that exceed the discharge standard must ensure the wastewater treatment before releasing or emitting. Moreover, they must request a permit for releasing it from the Pollution Control Department of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.The phrase "discharge standard" refers to permitted levelsof pollutants and waste.			
Qualifications needed by the business to get the formality Any individual, legal entity, and organization holding a busines operating license. In order to comply with the laws and regula Lao PDR on the use of water and treatment of wastewater to the environmental standard before releasing it, it is required such permission.				

LEGAL FRAMEWORK					
Name Number Date Comment					
National Environmental Standards	0832/MONRE	07.02.2017	Article 14		
Law on Environmental Protection (Amended version)	29/NA	18.12.2012	Article 32 and 42		
Law on Water and Water Resources (Amended version)	23/NA	11.05.2017	Article 31		
No name	4392	25.08.2022			

REQUIRED DOCUMENTS FORMALITIES				
Name	Name Type Comment			

\${SUPPORT_NAME}	\${SUPPORT_TYPE}	\${SUPPORT_COMMENT}	
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LIST OF ATTACHED DOCUMENTS FOR FIRST TIME APPLICATION				
Name of document Type of document File of document				
\${ATTACHMENT_NAME} \${ATTACHMENT_TYPE} \${ATTACHMENT_FILE}				

LIST OF ATTACHED DOCUMENTS FOR RENEW APPLICATION				
Name of document Type of document File of document				
\${ATTACHMENT_NAME_RENEW}	\${ATTACHMENT_TYPE_RENEW}	\${ATTACHMENT_FILE_RENEW}		

MEAN OF PRESENTATION				
Means of presentation	At the Authority Offices			
Address of authority				
Time it takes to the authorities to process the formality	Pollution Control Department, Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment 1. Review the request form and relevant documents, the que of the released water monitoring report, the report on the to amount of used water together with the map, and the technology on water recycling documents (a desk review she be done within 10 working days).2. Liaise with the related agencies and the project owner to inspect the area as well a holding a consultancy meeting before the consideration (it is be done within 20 working days).3. Review all the document once again and request comments from high ranking author about the implementation before issuing the permit. (this she done to the implementation before issuing the permit.			

RENEWAL INFORMATION			
Does the formality have a validity or an expiration date?How long will the formality be valid for? (in months)			
YES	24		

What is the process and conditions to get the formality?	
What is the process and conditions to renew the formality?	3 months prior to the expiry date of the permit, they shall submit all relevant documents, particularly the application, protection plan, the quality of the released water monitoring report, and the summary of the implementation since the permit is granted. The pollution control authorities together with other related agencies and the owner shall conduct the inspection before the consideration of the renewal.

	ISSUING FEES					
Has application fees?	Service fees businesses need to disburse	Certificate fees businesses need to disburse	Application fees businesses need to disburse	Total fees businesses need to disburse		
YES	3000000.00	500000.00	0.00	3500000.00		
Comments There is no legal act on the fee of releasing polluted and wastewater, no the fee, and service charge for the permit either. However, the act 4 on the fee and service charge on environmental service in the Ordinance, No. 03/PO, therefore this shall be considered to include it in the amended version.						
Additional fee names						
NO	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Additional fee c omments						

RENEWAL FEES					
Has renewal fees?Service fees businesses need to disburseCertificate fees businesses need to disburseRenewal fees businesses need to disburseTotal renew fees businesses need to disburse					
NO	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

Comments				
	ADD	ITIONAL RENEWA	L FEES	
Additional renewal fees names				
NO	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Additional renewal fees c omments				