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Key Activities - 2016 / 2017



The House of Representatives' Committee on Science and Technology officially created the Technical Working on 9 February 2017.



The House of Representatives' Committee on Science and Technology and authors of the Bill were formally briefed on 7 March 2017.



The initial draft of the substitute bill for House Bill Nos. 3578. 3717, 4059, 4320 and 4368 was prepared.



The first public hearing on the proposed Modernization of the National Measurement System was conducted on 4 May 2017 in Dauis, Bohol organized by ITDI with DOST Regional Office 7 and Committee on Science and Technology.



The National Metrology Division improved and finalized the substitute bill based on the comments and issues raised during the Public Hearing.

Future Focus - 2018 & beyond











2nd Half 2017

Draft substitute metrology bill submitted to DLLO by ITDI

Final draft of substitute bill submitted to House/Senate Committee on S&T

1st Half 2018

Bill scheduled for 2nd Reading

Plenary and Public Hearings conducted

Bill scheduled for 3rd Reading

2nd Half 2018

Bill scheduled for 3rd Reading

Plenary and Public Hearings conducted

1st Half 2019

Bill finalized and approved by the Conference Committee composed of House of Representatives and Senate

2nd Half 2019

Approved bill submitted to the Office of the President

Approved bill signed into law by the President

Law published in the general circulation publication and Official Gazette





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