



Safety & Environment Moment (S&E Moment)

Script 17 – Environmental Pollution/Damage

Good morning and welcome to the S&E Moment. We are continuing our episode on Terminologies used in Environmental Management, and today we are discussing Environmental Pollution/Damage. It should be easy to define or understand Environmental Pollution right now you know and understand the natural and the built environment together with environmental aspects.

Environmental Pollution is concerned with the resultant damage to the environment as a result of interaction between environmental aspects and the environment (i.e. land, water and air). Pollution can be caused to any or all the environmental media – air, land and water from our activities or operation. Know that whether you operate as a business, private business person or as an individual in your home your activities can cause pollution to the environment if you do not make efforts to manage or control your environmental aspects. It is also important to know that both your core activities or operations as well as ancillary activities can cause pollution to the environment.

The best practice is to map-up your activities by preparing a flow chart of operational activities and then identifying aspects and the resultant pollution that can result from the aspect which could be to either air, land and water or all 3 environmental media.

Take a moment to map-up your operations in the form of a flow chart, identify aspects associated with each stage of the process and then predict the resultant pollution that can results from the aspect.

Please visit the Ghana Health Service COVID-19 website for further information and updates on ways to prevent the spread of the disease.

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Have a lovely day, bye.