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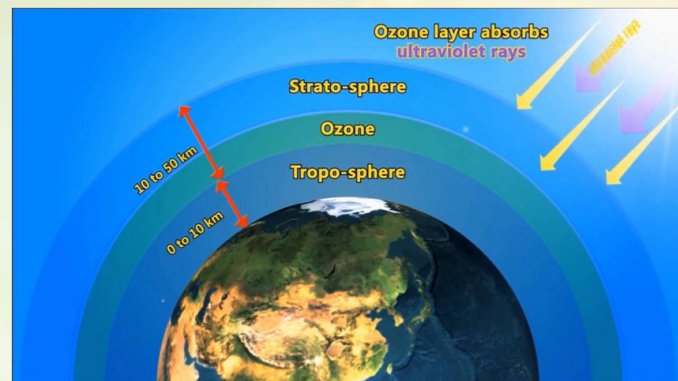


OZONE AND CLIMATE : RESTORED BY A WORLD UNITED

In 1994, the UN General Assembly declared 16th of September as the International Day for Preservation of the Ozone Layer to commemorate the signing of the Montreal Protocol in 1987. The Montreal Protocol seeks to protect and restore the ozone layer by implementing programs to reduce production and use and to eventually phase-out Ozone Depleting Substances.

The theme for this year's International Day for the Preservation of the Ozone Layer is entitled "Ozone and Climate: Restored by a World United." The said event aims to spread awareness of the depletion of the ozone layer and encourage everyone to take part in its preservation.

The EMB CLABARZON, headed by EEI Section, celebrated the said event by giving a short discussion on ozone layer during the "Capacity Building Training and Water Education for Teachers" on September 13, 2016 at the Bayview Park Hotel, Roxas Boulevard, Ermita, Manila. The seminar was a fitting time to remind the teachers of the



importance of educating the young ones with regard the impact of ozone depletion and how to contribute in the restoration and protection of the ozone layer.

The ozone layer is a thin veil of molecules in the atmosphere which prevents the Ultraviolet B rays from reaching the earth's surface. Ultraviolet B rays cause harmful effects not only on plants and aquatic organisms but likewise endanger the wellbeing of humans. Without the ozone layer, every living organism on earth would cease to exist.

