Religious and Ethical Worldviews on Engineering Standards

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3.1 Introduction

As part of the universal arrangement to create harmonious coexistence between man and other creatures the environment was made submissive to man by the Almighty. Man subsequently manages, uses and manipulates the environment for good or bad motives according to his conscious. Obviously when man develops this bounty he directly or indirectly opts to maltreatment on the natural conservation by being profligate and rapacious.

To counter these natural tendencies of man the international conscious community developed ecotourism. As a concept it signifies ecological tourism with both cultural and environmental undertone. It focuses on the tourist’s treatment on the environment, the local