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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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DEPARTMENT ORDER)

NO. 12)

Series of 2024)

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SUBJECT: Revocation of Department Order No. 35, Series of 2021 and Strengthening Compliance with Republic Act (RA) No. 11058 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR)

In light of the issuance of Proclamation No. 297, "Lifting of the State of Public Health Emergency Throughout the Philippines Due to COVID-19", which effectively lifted the nationwide declaration of the public health emergency due to this pandemic, D.O. No. 35, Series of 2021, "Amending D.O. No. 129, Series of 2014, on the Submission of Construction Safety and Health Program (CSHP), Approved by DPWH and Duly Concurred to by DOLE", is hereby revoked and no longer in effect.

It is emphasized that the DPWH-approved CSHP, duly received by the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), shall form part of the requirements for the processing and approval of contract. Likewise, no claims for payment, including Advance Payment or First Progress Payment, requested by the Contractor, will undergo processing without the submission of the DPWH-approved CSHP, duly concurred by the DOLE.

Regardless of the implications of this proclamation, it is imperative that the Department invariably puts a premium on the safety and health of all stakeholders. Hence, compliance with construction safety and health requirements should be in accordance to the provisions of Republic Act (RA) No. 11058 and its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR), as circularized through the Department Memorandum Circular No. 45, Series of 2018.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


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