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Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Manila

DEPARTMENT ORDER)

**SUBJECT: AUTHORITIES AND AREAS OF
RESPONSIBILITIES OF DPWH KEY
OFFICIALS**

NO. 02)

Series of 2022 *01/07/2022*

In the interest of the service and pursuant to the provisions of Executive Order No. 124, series of 1987, and in view of the approval of the DPWH Rationalization Plan pursuant to Executive Order No. 366, s. 2004, the authorities and responsibilities of DPWH Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries are hereby amended, as follows:

Undersecretary
MARIA CATALINA E. CABRAL

Shall serve as Undersecretary for, Public-Private Partnership Service (PPPS).

Undersecretary
ARDELIZA R. MEDENILLA

Shall serve as Undersecretary for Support Services. As such, she shall have overall supervision over the Human Resource and Administrative Service (HRAS), and the Procurement Service (PrS).

Assistant Secretary
MARICHU A. PALAFOX

Shall serve as Assistant Secretary for Support Services. As such, she shall assist the Undersecretary for Support Services in the overall supervision of the HRAS and the PrS.

She shall also **assist** the **Secretary** in the overall supervision of Budget and Finance Service.

The Planning Service (PS), Budget and Finance Service, Information Management Service (IMS), Legislative Liaison Office (LLO), Internal Audit Service (IAS), Stakeholders Relations Service (SRS), and Legal Service (LS) shall be under the **direct** supervision and **control** of the Office of the Secretary.

All Assistant Secretaries and Undersecretaries for Bureaus, Services and Regional Offices shall report to the Secretary through the Senior Undersecretary.

All other provisions of DO 97 series of 2021 dated November 22, 2021 shall remain in force and in effect.

ROGER G. MERCADO
Secretary

