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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
MINISTRY OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
MANILA

17 May 1985

MINISTRY ORDER)
NO. **15**)
Series of 1985)

SUBJECT: Creation of a Special Action
Committee to undertake recoup-
ment of advance payments and
forfeiture of bonds and L/C's

A Special Action Committee is hereby created, to be composed of the following:

- Atty. DOMINGO G. ILO
Chief, Legal Service Chairman
- Engr. EDMUNDO V. MIR
Asst. Director, BOC Vice-Chairman
- Atty. CESAR D. MEJIA
Asst. Chief Legal Officer Member
- Atty. JOEL I. JACOB
Trial Attorney II Member

The Committee shall be responsible for the verification of the genuineness of all bidders/performance bonds and letters of credit/surety bonds submitted by contractors; compile all contract termination/rescission orders, performance/surety bonds and letters of credit submitted by contractors; and take immediate steps to require the contractors, thru the implementing office concerned, to renew their bonds or letters of credit which are due to expire before the completion of their projects or the full repayment of their advance payments.

The Committee, in coordination with the Assistant Minister for Legal Affairs, shall likewise be responsible for the collection of the money value of forfeited performance/surety bonds and the recoupment of unliquidated advance payments or partial payment of materials for all terminated or rescinded contracts.

The Committee shall submit to the Minister quarterly reports on its accomplishments.

This order shall take effect immediately.

JESUS S. HIPOLITO
Minister