

## Republika ng Pilipinas

## KAGAWARAN NG PAGAWAIN AT LANSANGANG PAMBAYAN TANGGAPAN NG KALIHIM

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**DEPARTMENT ORDER** 

Series of 2005

SUBJECT:

**OFFICIALS PROHIBITING** DPWH EMPLOYEES FROM GOING TO GAMBLING

PLACES AND FIRST CLASS HOTELS AND

RESTAURANTS

It has been observed that there are some officials and employees who are still going to gambling places such as casinos, cockpit arena, racing clubs, and the like including first class hotels and restaurants. This lifestyle is not appropriate for people in the public service and inconsistent with the existing civil service rules and regulations. Although there are some who can afford to go to said places once in a while, the practice has always been perceived by the public to be otherwise.

In order to avoid such public perception, all DPWH officials and employees are hereby directed to refrain from going to those places, effective immediately. All officials and employees are therefore enjoined to maintain simple living and exercise frugality while still in the government service.

Any officials and employees who violate this Order will be dealt with accordingly.

For strict compliance.

FLORANTE SORIOUEZ

Acting Secretary