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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
Manila

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DEPARTMENT ORDER) SUBJECT: **AMENDING THE AUTHORITIES AND AREAS**
No. **38**) **OF RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE DPWH KEY**
Series of 2007) **OFFICIALS**
(06-25-07)

In the interest of the service and in view of the retirement of Assistant Secretary JUANITO P. ABERGAS, the authorities and areas of responsibilities of DPWH Undersecretaries and Assistant Secretaries are hereby amended, as follows:

Undersecretary
FLORANTE SORIQUEZ

- Shall have overall supervision and control of all foreign-assisted projects. In addition, he shall act as Chairman of the Central Office Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) for Consultancy Services. The Planning Service shall continue to be under him and he shall continue to oversee all SEMP 2 projects.

Undersecretary
BASHIR D. RASUMAN

- Shall have overall supervision and control of all locally-funded projects. In addition, he shall act as Chairman of the Central Office Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) for Civil Works.

Assistant Secretary
RAUL C. ASIS

- Shall have overall supervision and control of the Planning Service, Administrative and Manpower Management Service, Comptrollership and Financial Management Service, Monitoring and Information Service, Bureau of Research and Standards and all PMOs performing planning related functions. He shall continue reporting directly to the Secretary, except on matters pertaining to the Planning Service.

Assistant Secretary
RAFAEL C. YABUT

- Shall serve as the Assistant Secretary for Operations for Visayas and Mindanao. In addition, he shall have overall supervision and control of the Bureau of Design and Bureau of Equipment. He shall also act as the Chairman of the Central Office Bids and Awards Committee for Goods. The Public Information Division shall continue to be under him.

Assistant Secretary
RAMON P. AQUINO

- Shall serve as the Assistant Secretary for Operations for Luzon. In addition, he shall have overall supervision and control of the Bureau of Construction and Bureau of Maintenance. He shall also act as the Chairman of the Disposal Committee. The Legislative Liaison Office shall be placed under him.

The Assistant Secretaries for Operations shall report to the concerned Undersecretaries pertaining to the implementation of either foreign-assisted or locally-funded projects in their respective areas of jurisdiction and shall report directly to the Secretary on matters pertaining to the operations of the Bureaus and other offices placed under their respective overall supervision and control.

In addition, the Assistant Secretaries for Operations shall separately act as the Vice-Chairmen of the Central Office BAC for Civil Works and BAC for Consultancy Services, insofar as projects under their respective areas of responsibilities are concerned.

The Legal Service and the Internal Audit Service shall be placed directly under the Office of the Secretary.

This Order supersedes D.O. No. 65, series of 2005, D.O. No. 62, series of 2006, and D.O. Nos. 5 and 8, series of 2007, and amends all other related previous issuances inconsistent herewith.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


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