



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

097.13 DPWH  
11-04-2010

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**DEPARTMENT ORDER** ) **SUBJECT: OPERATIONALIZATION OF THE SULTAN**  
No. 60 ) **KUDARAT 2<sup>nd</sup> DISTRICT ENGINEERING**  
Series of 2010 *WLB 11-04-10* ) **OFFICE, DPWH REGION XII**

Pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act No. 9691, dated 04 August 2009, establishing the Sultan Kudarat Second (2<sup>nd</sup>) District Engineering Office (DEO) in the Province of Sultan Kudarat, the said DEO is hereby operationalized under the DPWH Region XII. Its headquarters shall be located in the Municipality of Lebak.

The Sultan Kudarat 2<sup>nd</sup> DEO shall comprise the municipalities of Lebak, Kalamansig, Ninoy Aquino, Bagumbayan, Palimbang, and Esperanza. The municipalities of Columbio, Isulan, Lambayong (Mariano Marcos), Lutayan, Pres. Quirino, and the City of Tacurong shall remain under the jurisdiction of the existing DEO, which shall henceforth be known as the Sultan Kudarat 1<sup>st</sup> DEO.

Pending approval of the DPWH Rationalization Plan, the Sultan Kudarat 2<sup>nd</sup> DEO shall be constituted and manned by appropriate personnel from the Regional Office and/or other offices of the Department as may be identified by the Regional Director of DPWH Region XII, subject to approval by appropriate official of the Department, CS Law and Rules and pertinent provisions of the Omnibus Election Code. The DPWH Central Office may also provide technical and planning support to the Sultan Kudarat 2<sup>nd</sup> DEO as may be necessary.

The initial cost to operationalize the Sultan Kudarat 2<sup>nd</sup> DEO shall be charged against appropriate funds of the Department, subject to existing accounting and auditing rules and regulations. Succeeding funding requirements shall be included in the annual budget of the Department.

Supplementary directives may be issued by the Regional Director of DPWH - XII to implement this Order, furnishing the Office of the Secretary with copies thereof.

This Order supersedes previous issuances to the contrary and shall take effect immediately.

  
**ROGELIO L. SINGSON**  
Secretary



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Republic of the Philippines  
Congress of the Philippines  
Metro Manila  
Fourteenth Congress  
Second Regular Session

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Begun and held in Metro Manila, on Monday, the twenty-eighth day of July, two thousand eight.

[ REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9691 ]

AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE SULTAN KUDARAT SECOND DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE IN THE PROVINCE OF SULTAN KUDARAT AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:*

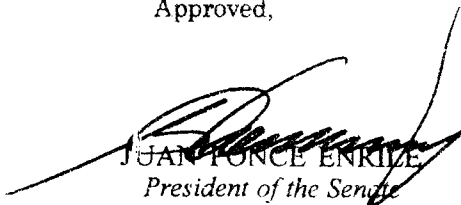
SECTION 1. There shall be established, under the supervision of the Department of Public Works and Highways, a second district engineering office in the Province of Sultan Kudarat to be located in the Municipality of Lebak, to be known as the Sultan Kudarat Second District Engineering Office.

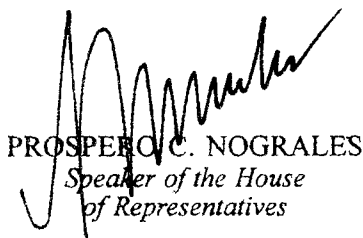
SEC. 2. The said district engineering office shall comprise the municipalities of Lebak, Kalamansig, Senator Ninoy Aquino, Bagumbayan, Palimbang and Esperanza.

SEC. 3. The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Sultan Kudarat Second District Engineering Office, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

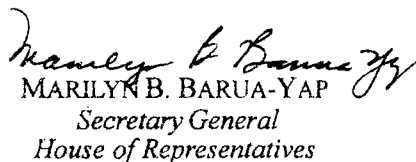
Approved,

  
**JUAN PONCE ENRILE**  
*President of the Senate*

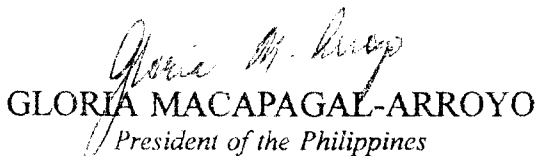
  
**PROSPERO C. NOGRALES**  
*Speaker of the House  
of Representatives*

This Act which originated in the House of Representatives was finally passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on March 10, 2008 and May 26, 2009, respectively.

  
**EMMA LIRIO-REYES**  
*Secretary of the Senate*

  
**MARILYN B. BARUA-YAP**  
*Secretary General  
House of Representatives*

Approved: AUG 04 2009

  
**GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO**  
*President of the Philippines*

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