



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

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#### DEPARTMENT ORDER ) SUBJECT: OPERATIONALIZATION OF THE ILOCOS NORTE THIRD DISTRICT ENGINEERING **OFFICE, DPWH REGION I**

Pursuant to the provisions of Republic Act No. 9699, dated 06 August 2009, establishing the Ilocos Norte Third (3rd) District Engineering Office (DEO) in the Province of Ilocos Norte, the said DEO is hereby operationalized under the DPWH Region I to be located in the First Congressional District of Ilocos Norte.

The Ilocos Norte 3<sup>rd</sup> DEO shall comprise the municipalities of Solsona, Dingras, Banna, Piddig, Carasi, Marcos and Nueva Era.

Pending approval of the DPWH Rationalization Plan, the Ilocos Norte 3<sup>rd</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 I, 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 said DEO as may be necessary.

The initial cost to operationalize the Ilocos Norte 3<sup>rd</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 Region I 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.

**RÓGELIO L. SINGSON** Secretarv



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## Republic of the Philippines Congress of the Philippines Metro Manila

Fourteenth Congress

Second Regular Session

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

### [REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9699]

#### AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE ILOCOS NORTE THIRD DISTRICT ENGINEERING OFFICE IN THE PROVINCE OF ILOCOS NORTE 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 third district engineering office in the Province of Ilocos Norte to be known as the Ilocos Norte Third District Engineering Office.

SEC. 2. The said district engineering office shall be located in the First Congressional District of Ilocos Norte and shall comprise the municipalities of Solsona, Dingras, Banna, Piddig, Carasi, Marcos and Nueva Era. SEC. 3. The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall include in the Department's program the operationalization of the Ilocos Norte Third District Engineering Office, the funding of which shall be included in the annual General Appropriations Act.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Approved, PRC NOGRALES President of the Ser er of the House Representatives

This Act which originated in the House of Representatives was finally passed by the House of Representatives and the Senate on October 7, 2008 and May 26, 2009, respectively.

EMMA LIRIOREYES Secretary of the Senate

MARILAN B. BARUA-YA

Secretary General House of Representatives

Approved:

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

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Lapsed into law on without the signature of the President, in accordance with Article VI Section 27 (1) of the Constitution

