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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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DEPARTMENT ORDER
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**SUBJECT: EXEMPTION OF ALL PPP PROJECTS
OF THE DEPARTMENT FROM THE
RULE PRESCRIBING ITS
PUBLICATION IN THE OFFICIAL
NEWSPAPER/S OF THE DPWH FOR
ADVERTISEMENT**


Pursuant to the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act 6957, as amended by Republic Act 7718, otherwise known as the "BOT Law", and consistent with the Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of Republic Act 9184 otherwise known as the "Government Procurement Reform Act" (GPRA), the PPP Service is hereby exempted to the rule prescribing its publication in the official newspaper of the DPWH for advertisement as Section 5.2 of the Revised IRRs of BOT Law provides:

"The Head of the Agency/LGU concerned shall, after obtaining approval for the project, forthwith cause to be published, once every week for three (3) consecutive weeks, in at least two (2) newspapers of general circulation and in at least one (1) local newspaper of general circulation in the region, province, city or municipality in which the projects are to be implemented, a notice inviting all prospective infrastructure or development Project Proponents to pre-qualify and bid for the projects so approved. Said invitation should also be posted continuously in the website of the Agency/LGU concerned, if available, and the PPP Center during the period stated above. If the total project cost amounts to at least PhP 500 million, the invitation may also be published in at least one (1) international publication. Likewise, the Agency/LGU concerned shall issue official notification of the same to Project Proponents registered with them."

In addition, the size and form of the advertisement shall be recommended by the Special Bids and Awards Committee (SBAC) for PPP, subject to the approval of the Secretary.

All issuances of this Department inconsistent with the provision of this Department Order are hereby superseded accordingly.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


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