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DEPARTMENT ORDER)
NO. **114**)
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SUBJECT: **REVISED LIMITS OF DELEGATED
AUTHORITY TO APPROVE PROGRAM
OF WORK (POW) AND APPROVE
BUDGET FOR THE CONTRACT (ABC)
AND PROCURE PROJECTS**

In line with the decentralization of the Government in order to provide for more effective and expeditious implementation of projects and based on the result of the assessments conducted by the Bureau of Construction on the estimating capability of the District Offices with increased limits of authority to approve plans up to P50.00 Million, the limits of delegated authority of District Engineers to approve Program of Works (POW) and Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC) are hereby amended as follows:

Region/Dist. Offices	Limit of Delegated Authority to Approve	
	PLANS (P Million)	ABC/POW (P Million)
CAR		
1. Baguio City DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
2. Benguet 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
3. Apayao 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
4. Kalinga DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
NCR		
1. Malabon - Navotas Sub DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
REGION 1		
1. Ilocos Norte 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
REGION II		
1. Cagayan 3 rd DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
2. Cagayan 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
3. Nueva Vizcaya 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓
REGION III		
1. Bulacan 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
2. Tarlac 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
3. Zambales 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
4. Bulacan 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
5. Pampanga 1 st DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
6. Pampanga 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
7. Tarlac 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	20 M ✓
8. Zambales 2 nd DEO	50 M ✓	50 M ✓

9. Bataan 1 st DEO	50 M	*20 M
10. Bataan 2 nd DEO	50 M	20 M
11. Aurora DEO	50 M	50 M
12. Nueva Ecija 1 st DEO	50 M	20 M
REGION IV-A		
1. Quezon 3 rd DEO	50 M	50 M
REGION IV-B		
1. Romblon DEO	50 M	20 M
2. Southern Mindoro	50 M	20 M
3. Marinduque	50 M	50 M
REGION VI		
1. Iloilo 1 st DEO	50 M	*20 M
REGION VII		
1. Bohol 1 st DEO	50 M	50 M
REGION VIII		
1. Northern Samar 2 nd DEO	50 M	*20 M
REGION IX		
1. Zamboanga Del Sur 1 st DEO	50 M	20 M
2. Zamboanga Del Sur 2 nd DEO	50 M	*20 M
3. Zamboanga Del Norte 3 rd DEO	50 M	20 M
4. Zamboanga City DEO	50 M	20 M
REGION X		
1. Lanao Del Norte 2 nd DEO	50 M	20 M
2. Camiguin DEO	50 M	*20 M
3. Misamis Occidental 1 st DEO	50 M	*20 M
4. Misamis Oriental 2 nd DEO	50 M	20 M
5. Bukidnon 3 rd DEO	50 M	*20 M
6. Bukidnon 2 nd DEO	50 M	*20 M
7. Misamis Occidental 2 nd DEO	50 M	*20 M
REGION XI		
1. Compostela Valley DEO	50 M	50 M
2. Davao Oriental 1 st DEO	50 M	50 M
3. Davao Del Norte 1 st DEO	50 M	50 M
4. Davao City 2 nd DEO	50 M	50 M
5. Davao Oriental 2 nd DEO	50 M	20 M
6. Davao del Sur 1 st DEO	50 M	50 M
7. Davao del Sur 2 nd DEO	50 M	50 M

8. Davao City	50 M	50 M
REGION XII		
1. North Cotabato 2 nd DEO	50 M	20 M
2. South Cotabato 2 nd DEO	50 M	50 M
3. North Cotabato 1 st DEO	50 M	20 M

* No Data available as basis in the evaluation of the DEO's capability to prepare POW/ABC.


In addition, the limits of responsibilities and accountabilities of the DPWH offices/officials in the conduct of procurement and implementation activities shall be as follows:

Regional Offices : based on D.O. No. 140, series of 2014 (whichever is higher in cost between approval of plans and POW/ABC)

District Engineering Offices : based on the above matrix (whichever is higher in cost between approval of plans and POW/ABC)

This Order amends pertinent provision under D.O. # 54, series of 2011. All other provisions not included herein shall remain in force. These levels of authority shall continue to be in effect until the result of the new assessments on the design and estimating capabilities of the District Engineering Offices is obtained.

This Order shall take effect immediately.


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Regional Office/District Engineering Office	Average Variance of ABC as submitted versus as corrected by R.O		Average Variance of POW as submitted versus as corrected by BOC		Average Variance
	No. of Project	Variance	No. of Project	Variance	%
CAR					
1. Apayao 2 nd	2	0.00%	*		0.00%
2. Baguio City	5	0.06%	*		0.01%
3. Benguet 1 st	6	0.00%	5	62.24%	5.66%
4. Kalinga	8	0.00%	1	10.56%	1.17%
NCR					
1. Malabon-Navotas	*	*	7	21.72%	3.10%
REGION I					
1. Ilocos Norte 2 nd	2	1.87%	1	7.05%	2.97%
REGION II					
1. Cagayan 3 rd	4	0.00%	1	13.20%	2.64%
2. Cagayan 1 st	11	0.00%	3	60.12%	4.29%
3. Nueva Vizcaya 1 st	4	1.87%	1	8.43%	2.06%
REGION III					
1. Bulacan 2 nd	*	*	5	38.27%	7.65%
2. Tarlac 1 st	*	*	2	13.27%	6.63%
3. Zambales 1 st	*	*	32	219.03%	6.84%
4. Bulacan 1 st	*	*	14	93.22%	6.66%
5. Pampanga 1 st	*	*	18	192.54%	10.70%
6. Pampanga 2 nd	*	*	11	106.13%	9.65%
7. Tarlac 2 nd	*	*	19	186.07%	9.79%
8. Zambales 2 nd	*	*	7	16.53%	2.36%
9. Bataan 1 st	*	*	*	*	*
10. Bataan 2 nd	*	*	10	89.46	8.95%
11. Aurora	*	*	1	1.64%	1.64%
12. Nueva Ecija 1 st	*	*	16	198.32%	12.39%
REGION IV-A					
1. Quezon 3 rd	9	0.00%	*	*	0.00%
REGION IV-B					
1. Romblon	6	3.06%	25	329.31%	10.72%
2. Marinduque	1	0.00%	*	*	0.00%
3. Southern Mindoro	*	*	4	152.86%	38.22%
REGION VI					
1. Iloilo 1 st	*	*	*	*	*
REGION VII					
1. Bohol 1 st	7	0.00%	4	16.67%	1.52%
REGION VIII					
1. Northern Samar 2 nd	*	*	*	*	*
REGION IX					
1. Zamb. del Sur 1 st	*	*	1	9.52%	9.52%
2. Zamb. Del Sur 2 nd	*	*	*	*	*
3. Zamb. Del Norte 3 rd	*	*	5	52.78%	10.56%
4. Zamboanga City	*	*	2	10.10%	5.05%

REGION X					
1. Lanao del Norte 2 nd	*	*	2	29.07%	14.54%
2. Camiguin	*	*	*	*	*
3. Misamis Occidental 1 st	*	*	*	*	*
4. Misamis Oriental 2 nd	*	*	1	7.17%	7.17%
5. Bukidnon 3 rd	*	*	*	*	*
6. Bukidnon 2 nd	*	*	*	*	*
7. Misamis Occidental 2 nd	*	*	*	*	*
REGION XI					
1. Compostela Valley	8	4.54%	4	27.27%	2.65%
2. Davao Oriental 1 st	3	6.41%	13	67.82%	4.64%
3. Davao del Norte 1 st	15	15.76%	4	21.00%	1.95%
4. Davao City 2 nd	15	0.00%	*	*	0.00%
5. Davao Oriental 2 nd	4	0.00%	4	66.85%	8.36%
6. Davao del Sur 1 st	3	0.00%	3	13.48%	2.25%
7. Davao del Sur 2 nd	14	3.21%	8	21.59%	1.13%
8. Davao City	13	0.83%	4	10.05%	0.64%
REGION XII					
1. North Cotabato 2 nd	4	9.83%	20	169.01	7.45%
2. South Cotabato 2 nd	12	2.09	4	39.09%	2.58%
3. North Cotabato 1 st	3	11.19%	2	19.46	6.13%

* No Data available as basis in the evaluation of the DEO's capability to prepare POW/ABC

Limit of Authority to Approve POW/ABC

Difference between submitted and corrected estimates

Up to 5% - - - - - P50.00 Million

More than 5% - - - - - P20.00 Million