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DEPARTMENT ORDER SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO DEPARTMENT ORDER NO. 168, SERIES OF 2016 EXEMPTION ON THE USE OF SLIP-FORM PAVER IN **CONCRETE PAVEMENT CONSTRUCTION** Series of 2018

Manila

To facilitate prompt implementation and expedite completion of concrete pavement construction, the following are conditions for the exemption on the use of slip-form paver with built-in or separate mechanical texture surface finisher (broom finisher) as provided for in Department Order No. 2, Series of 2013 for projects whose cost of Item 311 - Portland Cement Concrete Pavement is Php 50.00 Million and above:

- 1. Widening or shoulder sealing where there is not enough working space for the track pad and sensor;
- 2. Re-blocking projects that are usually done at intermittent section:
- 3. Projects located in island municipalities wherein the cost of mobilization of Slip Form Paver is more expensive and not practical; and
- 4. Farm to Market Roads based on DO 11, Series of 2014 with roadway width of 4.00 meters where closure to traffic during construction is not allowed, since the paving machine will occupy the roadway width.

The granting of exemptions based on the above conditions shall be in accordance to DO 168, Series of 2016.

This Order shall take effect immediately.

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