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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY
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SUBJECT: ESTABLISHING THE SALAM 'PEACE'
BRIDGES SPECIAL PROGRAM
MANAGEMENT UNIT/DPWH-ARMM
UNDER THE PRESIDENT'S BRIDGE
PROGRAM AND APPOINTMENT OF
PROJECT DIRECTOR KAGIM JAJURIE.

Pursuant to the President's objective to fast track the implementation of the President's Bridge Program and in and in the exercise of my oversight functions under Office of the President Memorandum Order No. 53 s. 2002 in connection with the said Program, I hereby approve the continuance of the Special Program Management Office for the SALAM 'PEACE' Bridges Project established under Office of the President Memorandum Order No. 72 issued September 6, 1999 as a Special Project Management Unit (SPMU) of the President's Bridge Program Office (PBPO), this Department.

The SPMU shall undertake the overall implementation of the SALAM 'PEACE' Bridges project. Specifically, it shall:

1. Continue to undertake the sub-structure design and construction and superstructure erection of 163 modular steel bridges covered by the project;
2. Continue to accept the supply of goods and services for the project; provided that those supplied under the foreign Supply Contract shall be subject to prior clearance of the PBPO Special Inspectorate Team;
3. Continue to maintain separate books of accounts of the project funds, disbursements of which should be in compliance with standard government accounting and auditing rules and regulations;
4. Continue to hire and designate project personnel necessary for the successful implementation & completion of the project provided that remuneration are part of the project budget;
5. Submit regular progress, accomplishment and financial reports in the prescribed form (whenever applicable) to the Program Director, PBP;
6. Undertake the foregoing functions under the direct supervision of the Program Director, PBP through his Assistant Program Directors and in conformance with PBPO directives, rules and regulations; and
7. Undertake other functions as may be directed by the DPWH Secretary in the exercise of his PBP oversight functions and the PBP Program Director.

In this regard, **ENGR KAGIM JAJURIE** is hereby designated as **Project Director of the SPMU for SALAM 'PEACE' Bridges** project in continuance of his appointment as Executive Director under M.O. No. 72.

The SPMU shall draw its operating funds from the Salam Peace Bridges Project. It shall cease to exist ninety (90) days upon the commissioning of the final SALAM bridge unless it is necessary that its services be continued.

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


SIMEON A. DATUMANONG
Secretary