

Republic of the Philippines
Ministry of Public Highways
OFFICE OF THE MINISTER
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SUBJECT: Clarification of the functions and responsibilities of the Project Execution Service, this Ministry, pursuant to PD 548 dated September 5, 1974 and PD 963 as implemented by LOI 442 dated August 6, 1976 in relation to Executive Order No. 516 dated January 9, 1979.

The Project Execution Service, which was created under Presidential Decree No. 548 dated September 5, 1974, shall undertake the evaluation of the performance of the different Offices and Units under this Ministry; check the progress of work on projects; undertake fiscal analysis of the expenditures of public works funds; prepare policies and procedures for adoption of subordinate offices relevant to project implementation; equipment fleet procurement; maximization of equipment utilization and bulk procurement of spare parts to support present equipment holding; undertake the supervision of specific projects either by administration or by contracts as directed by the Minister and monitor and update necessary and relevant data on construction work in order to keep the Minister well posted on the current status of on-going projects.

In addition, the functions and responsibilities on construction, improvement, and maintenance of airport runways and related horizontal facilities have been assigned to the Project Execution Service in accordance with the Memorandum of Agreement between the MPH and the CAA and to Presidential Decree No. 963 as implemented by LOI 442 dated August 6, 1976 in view of the Airport Section created in the said Service. This Airport Section is handled by qualified personnel who were transferred from CAA to MPH and who possess the necessary expertise on the construction, improvement and maintenance of airports.

Relative to the provisions of Executive Order No. 516 dated January 9, 1979, it is informed and made clear that the construction, improvement, and maintenance of runways and other airport movement areas as well as the preparation of maintenance programs and project estimates are the current functions and responsibilities of the Project Execution Service. As such, it is directed that all offices and units concerned shall submit all papers and related documents pertaining to the construction, improvement, and maintenance of airport runways and related horizontal facilities to this Ministry, attention Project Execution Service, for approval and/or appropriate action.

This order takes effect immediately.

BALTAZAR AQUINO
Minister