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For information and guidance, attached is certified copy of Memorandum Circular No. 09 dated October 25, 2022, from the Office of the President, regarding "REVOKING ITEM 4 MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 3 (S. 2022), WHICH PROHIBITS CERTAIN GOVERNMENT AGENCIES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES FROM ENTERING INTO NEW CONTRACTS AND DISBURSING EXTRAORDINARY FUNDS."

A copy of the said Memorandum Circular may also be downloaded from the DPWH Website: http://dpwhweb. If an office cannot access the DPWH website, a hard copy may be obtained from the Records Management Division, HRAS, upon request.

For dissemination to all concerned.

MARICHU A. PALAFOX, CESO II
Assistant Secretary for Support Services

Encl: Memorandum Circular No. 09, dated October 25, 2022

cc: Office of the Secretary

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Office of the President of the Philippines Malacañang

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 09

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In order to ensure continuity in government operations and delivery of services to the public, and taking into account the assumption to duty of newly-appointed heads of government departments, agencies, and instrumentalities, as well as the policy direction provided by the Administration through, among others, the two 8-Point Socioeconomic Agenda and the Medium Term Fiscal Framework, Item 4 of Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 3 (s. 2022), is hereby **REVOKED**.

Accordingly, in the execution of contracts, whether new or renewal, and disbursement of funds, all government departments, agencies, bureaus, offices and instrumentalities, including government-owned or -controlled corporations, government instrumentalities with corporate powers, government corporate entities, government financial institutions, and free port and special economic zone authorities are hereby directed to:

- Strictly comply with Republic Act No. 9184 or the "Government Procurement Reform Act," and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, as amended, as well as applicable budgeting, accounting and auditing laws and issuances; and
- 2. Ensure judicious use of government resources and strict observance of the ethical norms of honesty, integrity, and efficiency.

Except as expressly modified by this Circular, all other provisions of MC No. 3 shall remain in full force and effect.

This Circular shall take effect immediately.

DONE, in the City of Manila, this 25th day of October in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty-Two.

By authority of the President:

UČAS P. BERSAMIN Executive Secretary

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