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**FOR / TO** : Undersecretaries  
Assistant Secretaries  
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Regional Directors  
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District Engineers  
BAC Chairpersons and Members  
This Department

For information and guidance, attached is a copy of **GPPB RESOLUTION No. 04-2020, re: "APPROVING THE EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF 2019 AGENCY PROCUREMENT COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE INDICATOR (APCPI) RESULTS OF THE PROCURING ENTITIES."**

A copy of said Resolution 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.

  
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Encl: GPPB Resolution No. 04-2020

Cc: Office of the Secretary

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**APPROVING THE EXTENSION OF DEADLINE FOR THE SUBMISSION OF 2019  
AGENCY PROCUREMENT COMPLIANCE AND PERFORMANCE INDICATOR (APCPI)  
RESULTS OF THE PROCURING ENTITIES**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act (RA) No. 9184, otherwise known as the “Government Procurement Reform Act” and the 2016 revised Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) took effect on 26 January 2003 and 28 October 2016, respectively;

**WHEREAS**, Section 63 of RA No. 9184 and its 2016 revised IRR authorizes the Government Procurement Policy Board (GPPB) to formulate public procurement policies, rules and regulations, and amend its IRR, whenever necessary;

**WHEREAS**, the GPPB through its Resolution, as amended by Resolution No. 39-2017 dated 17 December 2017, approved to adopt the use of the Agency Procurement Compliance Performance Indicators (APCPI) as a standard procurement monitoring and assessment tool of the Philippine Government, as well as the guidelines and procedures in the conduct of evaluation provided for in the APCPI User’s Guide;

**WHEREAS**, Section 3 of the APCPI User’s Guide requires that the assessment shall be conducted annually within the first quarter of the year covering the procurement activities of the previous year, and the Procuring Entities shall submit the results to the GPPB-Technical Support Office (TSO). Thus, the deadline for submission of the APCPI Results is set every 31<sup>st</sup> of March;

**WHEREAS**, the President declared a State of Public Health Emergency due to the coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) under Proclamation No. 922 dated 8 March 2020;

**WHEREAS**, a Memorandum Circular from the Office of the Executive Secretary was issued which directs the imposition of Stringent Social Distancing Measures and Further Guidelines for the Management of the COVID-19 Situation which includes, among others, alternative work arrangements;

**WHEREAS**, another Memorandum Circular dated 16 March 2020 from the Office of Executive Secretary was issued which provides guidance on Community Quarantine over the Entire Luzon and further Guidelines for the Management of the COVID-19 Situation which imposes a work from home arrangement for the Executive Branch, among others;

**WHEREAS**, the President declared a State of Calamity throughout the Philippines due to COVID-19 under Proclamation No. 929 dated 16 March 2020;

**WHEREAS**, the Procuring Entities should be given consideration in the preparation of the APCPI results since most information and documents to be consolidated are in their respective offices which require validation by other units therein. Likewise, Procuring Entities need to focus more on equally important procurement activities to address the emergency situation;

**WHEREAS**, considering the foregoing, the GPPB-TSO recommends for the GPPB’s approval to move the deadline for the submission of 2019 APCPI Results to 30 June 2020. The extended period will give the Procuring Entities additional time to consolidate their procurement data when the government agencies have normalized their operations;

**WHEREAS**, after careful review and due deliberations, the Board approved the recommendation of the GPPB-TSO;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, for and in view of all the foregoing, **WE**, the Members of the **GOVERNMENT PROCUREMENT POLICY BOARD**, by virtue of the powers vested on **US** by law and other executive issuances, hereby **RESOLVE** to confirm, adopt, and approve, as **WE** hereby confirm, adopt, and approve the extension of deadline for the submission of 2019 APCPI from 31 March 2020 to 30 June 2020, with a caveat that this is a “one-time extension” only in recognition of the attending circumstances, and to direct the GPPB-TSO to inform all the Procuring Entities of such extension.

**APPROVED** this 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020 at Manila, Philippines.



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