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SUBJECT: Delegation of Authority for
Bidding, Contract Approval,
and Related Matters in the
National Capital Region

In line with the Government policy of decentralization, and considering the unique profile of the infrastructure program in the National Capital Region where the percentage of small community types of projects (e.g. water wells, barangay multi-purpose pavements, etc.) is relatively much lower than in other regions of the country, the limits of delegated authority for the District Engineers in the said region are hereby increased as follows:

1. Approval of plans, programs of work, estimates and PERT/CPM schedules for projects with estimated cost not exceeding P2,000,000 each.
2. Conduct of public bidding, approval of agency estimates and resolutions of award, and entering into contract for infrastructure projects costing not more than P2,000,000 each.
3. Approval of contracts awarded after public bidding, issuance of notice to proceed, suspension of work, extension of contract time, change orders/extra work orders not exceeding 25% of original contract cost, and termination/rescission of such contracts for infrastructure projects costing not more than P1,000,000 each.

This Order amends previous Department Orders and other issuances or portions thereof inconsistent herewith, and takes effect immediately.


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