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Republic of the Philippines  
DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS  
**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**  
Manila

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**DEPARTMENT ORDER**

No. **116**  
Series of 2017

) **SUBJECT: AUTHORIZING THE DISTRICT ENGINEERS**  
) **TO PROCURE THE GEOTECHNICAL WORKS**  
) **FOR SCHOOL BUILDINGS PROJECTS ABOVE**  
) **TEN MILLION (PhP 10M)**

In the interest of the service and consistent with the commitment of the Department to fast track the implementation and completion of all school buildings projects, all District Engineers are hereby authorized to procure the Geotechnical Investigation/Soil Test above Ten Million (PhP 10.0M) including the approval of the Plans, Programs of Work, Approved Budget for the Contract (ABC), Resolution of Award, Notice of Award, Enter into Contract, Notice to Proceed, PERT/CPM and Variation Order.

This order is an exemption to Department Order No. 45 series of 2017 and shall take effect immediately.

**MARK A. VILLAR**  
Secretary

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