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		September 17, 1996		

SUBJECT: PERMIT FOR EXTRACTION OF <u>SAND AND GRAVEL</u>

Whereas, the Sangguniang Panlalawigan, Province of Southern Leyte, had passed Resolution No. 406, Series of 1993, requesting all national government departments and agencies funding and/or implementing infrastructure projects to require the presentation of Governor's permit for the extraction of sand and gravel and the Provincial Treasurer's clearance as pre-condition for the issuance of the Resolution of Award to the winning bidder;

DEPARTMENT ORDER)

NO. **156** SERIES OF 1996

Whereas, the Provincial Mining Regulatory Board, Provincial Evergreen Task Force and the Provincial Appraisal Committee, Province of Southern Leyte, in a joint meeting had likewise passed **Resolution No. 5**, Series of 1996, requesting the DPWH not to award a contract to any winning bidder to any project which will utilize sand and gravel without said bidder first obtaining a Governor's permit and a clearance from the Provincial Treasurer before undertaking the extraction of sand and gravel;

Inasmuch as the instant request is reasonable, valid and lawful, it is hereby directed that henceforth all contractors undertaking construction and other infrastructure projects with the DPWH and its line agencies shall be required to present and submit, as one of the requirements for the processing and payment of its first progress billing and other subsequent billings, a permit from the Provincial Governor and clearance from the Provincial Treasurer of the Province where the contractor shall extract and obtain his sand and gravel requirements for the project.

All concerned officials of the DPWH and its line agencies are strictly enjoined to comply with this order.

RECORIO R. VIGILAR Secretary