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**DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS**  
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Manila

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NO. 163 )

Series of 2022 7/21/2022

**SUBJECT: Verification/Validation and Evaluation  
of All Bonds Submitted by Bidders for  
Civil Works, Goods and Services, and  
Consulting Services Contracts**

Pursuant to Section 6 (b) and (c) of Executive Order No. 124, Series of 1987, authorizing the Department to promulgate rules and regulations in order to effectively carry out its mandate, and consistent with the assigned functions of the Special Action Committee for centrally-procured civil works, goods and services, and consulting service projects, the verification of the genuineness of all bidders/performance/surety bonds, letters of credit, bank guarantees, and Contractor's All Risk Policies submitted by contractors is herein reverted to the Procurement Service (PrS).

The PrS, in undertaking the said function, is hereby directed to strictly follow the same procedure stated in Item 1 of Department Order 12, S. 2021 entitled: "Guidelines on the Assigned Functions of the Special Action Committee (SAC) and Verification of Bonds etc."

Meanwhile, the respective Procurement Units of the concerned Regional Offices (ROs) and District Engineering Offices (DEOs), shall undertake the above-mentioned functions and responsibilities.

This Order shall take effect immediately and shall amend DO 36, S. 2022 and any issuance inconsistent hereto.

  
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