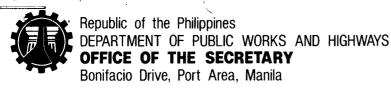
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Subject : Designating PMO-Feasibility Studies to Supervise, Coordinate and Monitor the Alignment Study Component of the Cebu North Coastal Road Project

The minutes of discussion (MOD) for JBIC Loan PH-P227 signed between DPWH and JBIC on November 27, 2001 stipulates among others that the PMO-Feasibility Studies shall be the implementing unit of the Alignment Study Component of the Cebu North Coastal Road Project to ensure effective execution.

Consistent with the MOD and in view of its extensive experience in the conduct of route selection and alignment studies and preparation of feasibility studies and environmental impact statements, the PMO-Feasibility Studies is hereby designated to supervise, coordinate and monitor the execution of said Alignment Study Component.

This order supercedes previous issuance to the contrary and shall take effect immediately.

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