

## Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

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SUBJECT: RECONSTITUTION OF THE DPWH CENTRAL OFFICE BIDS AND AWARDS COMMITTEE FOR CIVIL WORKS

Pursuant to the provisions of Section 11 of Republic Act No. 9184, otherwise known as the Government Procurement Reform Act, and its Implementing Rules and Regulations, the DPWH Bids and Awards Committee (BAC) for Civil Works (locally and foreign-assisted projects) in the Central Office is hereby reconstituted as follows:

Chairman : Assistant Secretary **EUGENIO R. PIPQJR.**Vice-Chairman : Assistant Secretary **ANTONIO V. MOLANO, JR.**Regular Member : Assistant Secretary **MEL JOHN I. VERZOSA**Regular Member : Director **ERNESTO S. GREGORIO, JR.** 

Alternate Member : Director ERIC A. AYAPANA

Provisional Member : **Head of Implementing Office** concerned

The committee members shall undertake the procurement process strictly in accordance with rules, regulations, and guidelines applicable thereto.

Regular members of the BAC, who shall be on a "jury duty" type of assignment until the Notice of Award is issued by the Head of Implementing Entity, shall have a fixed term of one (1) year reckoned from the date of appointment, renewable at the discretion of the Secretary. In case of resignation, retirement, separation, transfer, reassignment, removal, or death, the replacement shall serve only for the duration of the unexpired term.

The term "jury duty" shall be understood to mean a state by which the members give utmost priority to BAC assignment over all the other duties and responsibilities until the requirements for the said assignments at hand are completed.

The alternative member shall attend meetings of the BAC and receive the proportionate honoraria, whenever the original members are absent. The alternative member shall have the same term as the original members.

The Procurement Service, who shall serve as the BAC Secretariat, shall assist the BAC. The Technical Working Group (TWG), which shall be organized by the committee Chairman, shall perform functions as may be directed

This Order supersedes Department Order No. 97, Series of 2019 and other pertinent issuances, and shall take effect immediately.

For strict compliance

MARK A. VILLAR

Secretary

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