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 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
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DEPARTMENT ORDER)
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SUBJECT: Authority to Sign/Approve Memoranda of Agreements (MOA's) and Relocation Agreements with the National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) or Electric Cooperatives

In order to expedite the execution of Memoranda of Agreements (MOAs) and Relocation Agreements, contracts, and other similar agreements entered into between the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) and the National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP) or Electric Cooperatives, as the case may be, all Regional Directors, UPMO Cluster Heads, and District Engineers are hereby authorized to approve/sign MOA's, Relocation Agreements, contracts, and other similar agreements that are within the limits of their delegated procurement authorities, for and on behalf of the DPWH.

The MOA's, Relocation Agreements, contracts, and other similar agreements between the DPWH and NGCP or Electric Cooperatives, as the case may be, shall pertain to the facilitation/undertaking of the relocation of transmission facilities or obstructing facilities in areas needed for right-of-way, in line with Item 2.26 of the existing DPWH ROW Acquisition Manual (DRAM) for NGC Pole Relocation and DOE-DPWH Joint Circular Nos. 1 and 2, Series of 2019 for Electric Cooperatives.

Accordingly, the aforesaid MOA's, Relocation Agreements, contracts, and other similar agreements shall not longer be forwarded to the Central Office for approval/signature of the undersigned.

This supersedes all other DPWH issuance contrary or inconsistent to this Department Order. This Order shall take effect immediately.

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 Secretary

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