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**SUBJECT : CREATION OF DPWH SPECIAL TASK
FORCE TO END LOCAL COMMUNIST
ARMED CONFLICT (DSTF-ELCAC)**

To ensure effective and efficient implementation and alignment of the DPWH plans and programs with the Whole-of-Nation approach-driven National Peace Framework as a government policy for the attainment of inclusive and sustainable peace as defined under Executive Order (EO) No. 70 dated December 4, 2018, entitled "INSTITUTIONALIZING THE WHOLE-OF-NATION APPROACH IN ATTAINING INCLUSIVE AND SUSTAINABLE PEACE, CREATING A NATIONAL TASK FORCE TO END LOCAL COMMUNIST ARMED CONFLICT, AND DIRECTING THE ADOPTION OF A NATIONAL PEACE FRAMEWORK", a DPWH Special Task Force to End Local Communist Armed Conflict (DSTF-ELCAC) is hereby created with the following composition:

Task Force Head

1. **MARK A. VILLAR**, Secretary

Alternate Task Force Heads

2. **MAXIMO L. CARVAJAL**, Undersecretary for Technical Services
3. **GEN. JOHN DOMINIC PULIDO (Ret.)**, Project Manager III/Head of Security, Office of the Secretary

Co-Heads

4. **RAFAEL C. YABUT**, Senior Undersecretary, Regional Operations in Luzon except NCR and IV-B
5. **ROBERTO R. BERNARDO**, Undersecretary, Regional Operations in Visayas, NCR and IV-B
6. **EUGENIO R. PIPO, JR.**, Undersecretary, Regional Operations in Mindanao

Alternate Co-Heads

7. **WILFREDO S. MALLARI**, Assistant Secretary for Regional Operations in Luzon except NCR and IV-B
8. **ANTONIO V. MOLANO, JR.**, Assistant Secretary for Regional Operations in Visayas, NCR and IV-B
9. **ADOR G. CANLAS**, Assistant Secretary for Regional Operations in Mindanao

Members

10. **CONSTANTE A. LLANES, JR., CESO III**, Director IV, Planning Service
11. **ARISTARCO M. DORAY**, OIC-Director, Bureau of Construction
12. **ERNESTO S. GREGORIO, JR.**, Director IV, Bureau of Maintenance
13. **ERIC A. AYAPANA**, OIC-Regional Director, NCR
14. **KHADAFFY D. TANGGOL**, OIC-Regional Director, CAR
15. **RONNEL M. TAN**, Regional Director, Region I
16. **LORETA M. MALALUAN**, Regional Director, Region II
17. **ROSELLER A. TOLENTINO**, Regional Director, Region III
18. **JOVEL G. MENDOZA**, Regional Director, Region IV-A

19. **VIRGILIO C. EDUARTE**, Regional Director, Region V
20. **LEA N. DELFINADO**, Regional Director, Region VI
21. **EDGAR B. TABACON**, Regional Director, Region VII
22. **NERIE D. BUENO**, Regional Director, Region VIII
23. **CAYAMOMBAO D. DIA**, Regional Director, Region IX
24. **ZENAIDA T. TAN**, Regional Director, Region X
25. **REY PETER B. GILLE**, OIC-Regional Director, Region XI
26. **BASIR M. IBRAHIM**, Regional Director, Region XII
27. **POL M. DELOS SANTOS**, Regional Director, Region XIII
28. **RAMON A. ARRIOLA III**, Project Director, FCMC, UPMO
29. **VIRGILIO C. CASTILLO**, Project Director, RMC I, UPMO
30. **SHARIF MADSMO H. HASIM**, Project Director, RMC II, UPMO
31. **RODRIGO I. DELOS REYES**, OIC-Project Director, BMC, UPMO
32. **JOHNSON V. DOMINGO**, Project Director, BSPMC, UPMO
33. **ANDRO V. SANTIAGO**, OIC-Director, Stakeholders Relations Service
34. **REPRESENTATIVE/S** from the Private Sector

The Task Force shall have the following functions:

- a. Formulate a DPWH Framework in coordination with relevant national government agencies and other stakeholders
- b. Ensure inter-agency convergence in the implementation of the Framework in conflict-affected and vulnerable communities
- c. Evaluate, define, modify or integrate policies, programs and activities of DPWH, as needed, contained in the Framework
- d. Organize ad hoc inter-agency and multi-sectoral committees in the regional and district levels
- e. Develop strategic communication and advocacy plans and information thereon fully disseminated to the public
- f. Develop a strategy that will end extortion activities or payment of revolutionary taxes to Communist Terrorist Groups (CTGs)
- g. Formulate a provision on the exemption of projects with national significance in the publication requirements of PHILGEPS
- h. Perform such other functions as the Secretary may direct/assign

To assist the Task Force in the performance of its functions, a Technical Working Group (TWG) is hereby created to be composed of the following:

Head

1. **EMMANUEL M. SUPE**, Project Manager III, RMC II, UPMO

Co-Head

2. **CRISTINO G. AGTANG**, Project Manager II, RMC II, UPMO

Members

3. **JUBY B. CORDON**, Assistant Regional Director, NCR
4. **REYNALDO C. ALCONCEL**, Assistant Regional Director, CAR
5. **EMMANUEL W. DIAZ**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region I
6. **ALEXANDER D. NOLA**, Assistant Regional Director, Region II
7. **DENISE MARIA M. AYAG**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region III
8. **ISIDRO O. ENCARNACION**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region IV-A
9. **ARTHUR D. PASCUAL**, Assistant Regional Director, Region IV-B
10. **GERALD A. PACANAN**, Assistant Regional Director, Region V
11. **JOSE AL V. FRUTO**, Assistant Regional Director, Region VI

12. **MARIO M. MONTEJO**, Assistant Regional Director, Region VII
13. **NAJIB D. DILANGALEN**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region VIII
14. **HONORATO B. SALDUA, JR.**, Assistant Regional Director, Region IX
15. **LILIBETH N. APARECIO**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region X
16. **ARTURO P. LONGYAPON**, Assistant Regional Director, Region XI
17. **ROSIE C. JAVATE**, Assistant Regional Director, Region XII
18. **NOMER ABEL P. CANLAS**, OIC-Assistant Regional Director, Region X
19. **EDGARDO C. GARCES**, OIC-Assistant Director, Bureau of Construction
20. **CINDY M. ARGOTE**, Caretaker-Office of the Assistant Director, Bureau of Maintenance
21. **ROSEMARIE B. DEL ROSARIO**, Chief, ESSD, Planning Service
22. **RANDY R. DEL ROSARIO**, Chief, Public Information Division, SRS

The TWG shall have the following functions:

- a. Provide technical and administrative support to the Task Force in the performance of its functions
- b. Coordinate with relevant agencies on the status of their plans and programs and update the Task Force on the implementation of the Framework
- c. Perform such other functions as may be directed by the Task Force

This Order shall take effect immediately.



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Secretary

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