

Republic of the Philippines DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Manila

16 May 2017

MEMORANDUM

FOR

: MARK A. VILLAR Secretary This Department

Respectfully submitted is the letter dated 04 May 2017 of **OIC Regional Director POL M. DELOS SANTOS**, favorably indorsing the Modification of Project of the **Surigao del Norte 2nd District Engineering Office** under the FY 2017 GAA in the prescribed form (2017, version 2.1), to wit:

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| MFO 1 – National Road Network Services: | MFO 1 — National Road Network Services: |
| Network Development – Construction of | Network Development — Construction of |
| By-Passes/Diversion Roads, including | By-Passes/Diversion Roads, including |
| ROW | ROW |
| Construction of Concrete Road - Maasin- | Construction of Maasin-Tuburan Diversion |
| Tuburan Diversion Road, Del Carmen, Surigao | Road, Del Carmen, Surigao del Norte, |
| del Norte | K0000+000 – K0001+271.80 |
| Allocation: P 30.767 Million | Allocation: P 30.767 Million |
| Physical Target: 3.20 lane km | Physical Target: 2.5436 lane km |
| Unit Cost: P9,614,687.50/ lane km | Unit Cost: P12,095,848.40/ lane km |

JUSTIFICATION:

Modification is requested due to the decrease in the physical target resulting from the increase in unit cost for Item 201: Aggregate Base Course which was caused by triple handling of the aggregates. The quarry source as determined during the planning stage was in Siargao Island of the said District, however, the test result did not meet the standard specifications for Highways, Bridges and Airports, thus, the change of the quarry source from Siargao Island to Anao-aon quarry which entails triple handling with a total hauling distance of 84 km (i.e. from Anao-aon quarry source to Surigao City Port = 10 km, Surigao City to Dapa Port = 62 km, and Dapa Port to Project Site = 12 km). Henceforth, the reduction in the physical target by 0.6564 lane km (from 3.20 lane km to 2.5436 lane km). Further, to indicate the station limits of the project since it was not provided in the FY 2017 GAA.

Attached are the required documents, such as Evaluation Form (2017 version 2.1), BP202, Program of Work, Location Map, Certificate of Availability of Funds (CAF) and Geotagged Photos.

In view of the above, the request for Modification of the Project is respectfully recommended for consideration and approval.

DIMAS S. SOGULON, CESO II Assistant Secretary for Mindanao Operations

APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:

MARK A. VILLAR Secretary

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