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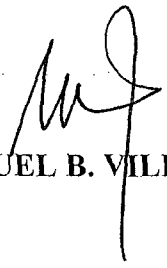
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EXPLANATORY NOTE

Public works and highways policy in the country serves the prevailing political dispensation. While this is only reflective of political reality, still it would do much in terms of continuity and stability if a master plan is envisioned and executed for the medium and long term.

This bill, crafted for long in the 11th Congress, sets out a 5-year master plan of infrastructure building in the country by considering the inputs of all concerned sectors and stakeholders. A product of long deliberation, this measure is one attempt to put continuity and stability of our public works spending by laying out the specific investment areas and targets.

Approval of this measure is recommended.


MANUEL B. VILLAR, JR.

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**AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A FIVE-YEAR PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS
INFRASTRUCTURE PROGRAM**

Be it enacted by the Senate and the House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:

SECTION 1. *Title.* – This Act shall be known as the “Public Works and Highways Infrastructure Program Act of 2004.”

SEC. 2. *Declaration of Policy.* – It is the declared policy of the State to promote a just and dynamic social order that will ensure the prosperity and independence of the nation and free the people from poverty through policies that provide adequate social services, promote full employment, a rising standard of living, an improved quality of life for all and promote comprehensive rural development. Towards these ends, infrastructure, as a catalyst for development, shall be given utmost priority.

SEC. 3. *Prioritization of Projects.* – For projects under the category of arterial roads under this Act, the development and economic usefulness and impact of the road shall be a major consideration, specifically the basic access to farms, sources of livelihood, market and social services, therefore, priority shall be given to the following: roads leading and traversing the principal agricultural production areas, roads leading to planned growth areas of significant economic development potentials, roads leading to planned agro-industrial centers, roads connecting regional and provincial capitals and other major urban areas, and other roads of strategic importance to provide immediate and direct access to population centers in case of national and regional emergencies.

SEC. 4. *Public Works and Highways Infrastructure Program.* – Consistent with the above declared policy, the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), except as otherwise provided in Section 5 of this Act, shall undertake the implementation of the nationwide National Arterial Roads and Flood Control Projects which shall be identified by the DPWH in consultation with the Members of Congress, while the priority infrastructure projects in each

congressional district shall be identified by the Members of Congress concerned, which projects shall include new construction, reconstruction, improvement and/or rehabilitation of, and feasibility studies, engineering, acquisition of sites, equipment, materials, supplies, labor, supervision and management services.

A. NATIONAL ARTERIAL ROADS (NAR) P 107,900,000,000.00

I. LUZON (NAR) 33,704,299,000.00

a. North-South Backbone (N-S) 5,303,987,000.00

1. Pan-Philippine Highway
(Allacapan-Aritao-Nueva Ecija-
Bulacan-Calauag-Matnog)
2. Manila North Road including
widening (Cagayan/Ilocos Norte
Bdry.-Ilocos Sur/La Union Bdry.,
Tarlac/Pangasinan-Bulacan/Manila
Bdry.)
3. Manila-Batangas Road
4. Mindoro East Coastal Road
5. Calapan-South Bulalacao-
San Jose Road

b. East-West Lateral (E-W) 4,900,800,000.00

1. Ilocos Sur-Abra-Kalinga-
Cagayan Road
2. La Union-Benguet-Nueva
Vizcaya-Quirino-Aurora Road
3. Jct. CVR-Aparri Road
4. North Cagayan East West Road
(Magpet-San Vicente Section)
5. Isabela East West Road
(Jct. Naguilian-Palanan Section)
6. Zambales-Tarlac-Nueva Ecija Road
7. Marikina-Infanta Road
(Rizal-Quezon East West Road)
8. Cavite-Batangas Road
(Aguinaldo Highway, Cavite)
9. Manila East Road
(Cainta-Taytay-Angono-

Binangonan-Morong-Cardona-
Famy-Victoria Road)

10. Batangas-Cavite-Laguna-Quezon
Road (Tagaytay-Calamba-Lucban
Section)
 11. Bongabon-Baler Road
 12. Mindoro East West Road
(Victoria-Sta. Cruz Section)
 13. Albay East-West Road
(Pio Duran-Ligao-Tabaco Section)
 14. Camarines Sur East West Road
(Pili-Tigaon-Caramoan Road)
- c. Other Roads of Strategic Importance
1. Tagudin-Cervantes-Sabangan Road
(Ilocos Sur-Mt. Province Road)
 2. Kennon Road
 3. Rosario-Pugo-Baguio Road Project
 4. Sta. Fe-San Nicolas-San Jose Road
 5. Jct. Abra-Pinukpuk-Tuao, Cagayan
Bdry. Road
 6. Pangasinan-Nueva Ecija Road
 7. Lingayen-Dagupan-Urdaneta Road
 8. Carmen-Bayambang-San Carlos-
Manat Road

9. Pangasinan-Zambales Inter
Provincial Road
10. Pangasinan-La Union Inter
Provincial Road
11. Pangasinan-Tarlac Road
(Mangatarem-Aguilar-
Bugallon Section)
12. Bulanao-Pinukpuk-Abbut-
Tuao Road (Mt. Province-
Apayao-Kalinga Road)
13. Narvacan-Bangued, Abra-Lubuagan,
Kalinga Road
Ilocos Sur, Abra and Kalinga
14. Baguio-Bontoc-Banaue Road
(La Trinidad-Mt. Data-Bontoc
Section, Mt. Province/Benguet)
15. Baguio-Aritao Road
16. Tabuk-Rizal Road
17. Angeles City-Porac-San Jose-
Dinalupihan Road
18. Gapan-San Fernando-Lubao Road
19. Gapan-Olongapo Road
20. Olongapo-Infanta-Bugallon Road
21. Batangas-Cavite-Laguna-
Quezon Road (Lucban-Sampaloc-
Mauban Section)
22. Gumaca-Mufanay-San Narciso Road
23. Regional Tourism, Nasugbu-
Ternate Rd.
24. Sto. Tomas-Batangas City Road
25. Zapote-Noveleta-Trece Martires-
Tagaytay Road
26. Cavite-Batangas Road
27. Manila South Road
28. Palico-Nasugbu-Batangas Road
29. Naic-Nagcarlan-Kaylabne Road
30. Dasmariñas-Carmona Road

31. Batangas-Tabango-Ilijan-Lobo-
Laiya-San Juan-Jct. Pan Philippine
Highway Road

32. Las Piñas-Tagaytay Road

33. Tablas Circumferential Road

34. Marinduque Circumferential Road

35. Puerto Princesa North Road

(Puerto Princesa-Roxas-El Nido)

36. Mindoro West Coastal Road

(San Jose-Mamburao-Abra de
Ilog Section)

37. Masbate-Cataingan-Placer Road

38. Masbate-Milagros-Mandaon Road

39. Catanduanes Circumferential Road

40. Calauag-Matnog Road

41. Pili Diversion Road

(Palestina-Pawili Section)

42. Masbate-Malinta-Mobo Road

43. Camarines Sur Albay Coastal Road

(Legaspi-Tabaco-Tiwi-Sagnay-
Tigaon Section)

44. Quirino Highway

II. VISAYAS (NAR) 17,018,321,000.00

a. North-South Backbone (N-S) 7,321,039,000.00

1. Pan-Philippine Highway, (Allen-
Calbayog-Catbalogan-Calbiga- San
Juanico Section incl. San Juanico
Bridge and Tacloban-Liloan Section)

2. Cebu South Road Project
(Natalio Bacalso-Talisay-Carcar-
Santander)

3. Bacolod-Kabankalan-Bais Road

4. Bacolod North Road
(via Victoria-Escalante)

5. Naga-Toledo Road

6. Kalibo Highway II
(Aklan-Capiz Road)

7. Dumaguete North Road
 8. Iloilo-Capiz Road
 9. Catarman-Calbayog via
Lope de Vega
 10. Toledo-Talisay Road
- b. East-West Lateral (E-W) 2,965,516,000.00
1. Tagbilaran East Road, Bohol
 2. Cebu-Balamban Transcentral Road
 3. ~~South Samar-Coastal Road~~
(Basey-Maslog-Buenavista Section)
 4. Barili-Carcar-Bato Road
 5. Bacolod City-San Carlos City Road
 6. Calinog-Passi- Concepcion Road
 7. Antique-Iloilo Road
(Valderrama-Bagasong Section)
 8. Vallehermoso-La Castellana-
Sibucan Road
 9. Sta. Catalina-Pamplona Road
 10. Samar-Leyte East West Road
(Jct. Pan Philippine Highway-
Carigara Section)
- c. Other Roads of Strategic Importance
1. Guimaras Circumferential Road
 2. West Leyte Roads
Palo-Ormoc-Baybay-Sogod Road
 3. Aklan-Antique-Iloilo Road
(Nabas-Patnoñgon-Hamtic-Iloilo City)
 4. San Isidro-Catarman-Pambujan-
Catubig-Jipapad-Arteche-Oras-
Can-avid-Taft-Buenavista Road
 5. Bohol Circumferential Road
(Calape-Jagna-Candijay Section)
 6. Kabankalan-Basay Road
(~~Sipalay-Basay Section~~)
 7. Toledo-Tabuelan-San Remigio Road
 8. Toledo-Barili-Santander Road
 9. Dumaguete South Road

10. Tagbilaran North Road
 11. Siquijor Circumferential Road
 12. Loay Interior Road
 13. Iloilo-Aslunan Road
 14. Samboan-Alegria Road
- III. MINDANAO (NAR) 20,672,672,000.00
- a. North-South Backbone (N-S) 10,694,303,000.00
 1. Pan-Philippine Highway (Phases I & II)
(Cabadbaran- Sto. Niño, Butuan City-
Tabon-tabon, San Francisco-
Langkilaan and Monkayo-Tagum
Sections)
 2. Zamboanga City-Pagadian City Road
 3. Cotabato City-Pagadian City Road
(Tukuran-Sultan Gumander-
Malabang-Matanog-Cotabato City)
 4. Misamis-Bukidnon-Davao Road
 5. Cotabato-Allah Valley-Marbel Road
(Maguindanao-Sultan Kudarat-
South Cotabato-Sarangani)
 6. Agusan-Misamis Oriental-Lanao
del Norte Road
 7. Davao-Calinan-Bukidnon Road
 8. Iligan-Aurora Road
 9. Marbel-Tupi-Makar Road
 10. Linamon-Zamboanga City Road
 11. Digos-Makar Road
 - b. East-West Lateral (E-W) 1,441,520,000.00
 1. Digos-Cotabato Road (Maguindanao-
North Cotabato-Davao del Sur)
 2. Lanao-Bukidnon-Agusan-Surigao
del Sur Road
 3. Aurora-Dipolog City Road
(Molave-Josefina-Dipolog Section)
 4. Bayugan-Tandag Road
(Jct. Gamut-San Miguel-
NRJ. Bayugan Section)

c. Other Roads of Strategic Importance

1. Molave-Ozamiz-Oroquieta Road
2. Aurora-Monte Alegre-Molave
Section & Monte Alegre-Labangan
Section, Aurora-Dipolog Road
3. Maguindanao-North Cotabato-Davao
City Road (Jct. Cotabato/Pagadian-
Pigkawayan-Bansalan Section)
4. Zamboanga del Norte West Coast
Road
5. Sulu Transcentral Road
6. Maramag-Kabacan-Kibawe Road
7. Oroquieta-Sindangan Road
8. Surigao-Davao Coastal Road
9. Malalag-Malita-Jose Abad Santos
Road (Sulop Jct.-Malalag-Malita
Section)
10. Basilan Circumferential Road
11. Camiguin Circumferential Road
12. Sarangani-Sultan Kudarat-
Maguindanao Coastal Road
13. Davao del Sur-Sarangani Coastal
Road (J.A. Santos, Tikang-Glan-
Gen. Santos Section)

IV. NATIONWIDE 36,504,708,000.00

(Other projects including construction/
rehabilitation of various roads and
bridges, structural overlay, right-of-way,
etc.)

B. NATIONAL SECONDARY ROADS (NSR) 36,983,390,000.00

REGION I 1,715,095,000.00

1. Jct. Agno-Jct. Mabini Road, Pangasinan
2. Jct. Agno-Agno Road, Pangasinan
3. Jct. Bolinao-Anda Town Road, Pangasinan
4. Santiago Island Road, Pangasinan
5. Lingayen-Labrador Road, Pangasinan
6. Manaoag-Jct. Pao Road
Sapang bridge, Pangasinan
7. Binalonan-Jct. Pao Road, Pangasinan
8. Cabusao-Lidlidda-
San Emilio Road, Ilocos Sur
9. Alaminos-Bolinao Road, Pangasinan
10. Abatan Cervantes-Quirino-
San Emilio Road, Ilocos Sur
11. Ilocos Norte-Abra Road, Ilocos Norte
12. Ilocos Norte-Kalinga Apayao Road
(San Nicolas-Solsona-Kabugao-
Abbut Road), Ilocos Norte
13. San Fernando-Bagulin Road, La Union
14. Bani-Agno Road, Pangasinan
15. Burgos-Agno Road, Pangasinan

16. San Fabian-Sison-Rosario Road
Pangasinan
17. San Nicolas-Natividad-San Quintin-
Umingan-Guimba (N. Ecija) Road,
Pangasinan
18. San Nicolas-Dalupirip-Benguet Bdry.
Road, Pangasinan
19. Sta. Lucia-Salcedo Road, Ilocos Sur
20. Paredes Air Station Road, Ilocos Norte
21. Batac-Banna Road, Ilocos Norte
22. Batac-Pinili Road
Via Maipalig, Ilocos Norte
23. Candon-Salcedo Road, Ilocos Sur
24. Various Roads
CAR 1,769,333,000.00
1. Abra-Ilocos Sur (Cervantes) Road,
(Jct. Abra-Kalinga Rd.-Manabo-
Quirino Section), Abra
2. Calanasan-Claveria Road, Apayao
3. Alfonso Lista Jct.-Mt. Prov. Bdry.
Road, Ifugao
4. Kalinga Bdry.-Mt. Province-Ifugao Rd.
(Calaccad-Paracelis-Butique-Kiling-
Ngilab Section)
5. Talubin-Barlig-Natonin-Paracelis
Road, Kalinga and Mt. Province
6. Mt. Province-Ilocos Sur Road
(Cervantes-Tadian-Cabunagan Sect.),
Mt. Province
7. Bulanao Jct.- Paracelis (Kalinga/Mt.
Province Bdry. Road), Kalinga and
Mt. Province
8. Calanan-Jct. Pinukpuk Road, Kalinga
9. Abra-Ilocos Norte Road, Abra
(Bangued-Mudeng-San Gregorio-
Tuday-Malango-Nagbatang Sect.), Abra
10. Kabugao-Pudtol-Luna-Cagayan

- Bdry. Road, Apayao
11. ~~Abbut-Conner-Kabugao-Calanasan-~~
Cagayan Bdry. Road, Apayao
 12. Kabugao-Solsona Road (Ilocos
Norte Bdry.), Apayao
 13. Nueva Vizcaya-Ifugao-Mt. Province Rd.
(Jct. Camut-Payawan-Halog-Balog-
Balambac-Punong-oong-Banaue-
Patliong-Iguod-Mt. Province Bdry.
Section), Ifugao, Mt. Province
 14. Banaue-Mayoyao-Alfonso
Lista (Potia) Isabela Bdry. Rd., Ifugao
 15. Banaue-Hungduan-Tinoc, Benguet
Bdry. Road, Ifugao
 16. Kennon Road-Pack Road,
Session-Trinidad Road, Baguio City
 17. Various roads in Baguio City
(PMA Access Road, Magsaysay Ave.,
Major Mane Road, Sto. Tomas Road)
 18. Gurel-Bokod-Kabayan-Buguias-Abatan-
Mankayan-Cervantes Rd., Benguet
 19. Acop-Kapangan-Kibungan Road, Benguet
 20. Baguio-Bua-Itogon Road,
(Baguio-Tuding-Bua-Godfield-
Itogon Central Section), Benguet
 21. Nambaran-Agbannawag-Isabela
Bdry. Road
 22. City Limit-Sto. Tomas Road, Baguio City
 23. Bua-Itogon-Dalupirip-San Manuel
Bdry. Road (Twin River-Mambolo-
Gureng-Salapcap-Dalupirip-San
Manuel Bdry. Section), Benguet
 24. Tabuk-Banaue Road via Tanudan-
Barlig, Kalinga
 25. Various Roads

REGION II

1,401,512,000.00

1. Gamu- Roxas Road, Isabela

2. Jct. Gattaran-Cumao-Capissayan-
Road, Cagayan
3. Ilagan-Bigao-Palanan Road, Isabela
4. Jct. Logac-Lasam Road, Cagayan
5. A. Castañeda-Cadaclan Road,
Nueva Vizcaya
6. Capissayan-Margarita-Bolos Road,
Cagayan
7. Jct. Ipil-Panang-Quirino Bdry. Road,
Isabela
8. Santiago-Maddela via Saguday
Road, Isabela

9. Jct. Abbag Nagtipunan-Gingin-Nueva
Vizcaya Bdry. Road, Nueva Vizcaya
 10. Basco-Mahatao-Ivana-Uyugan-Imnaibu
Road, Batanes
 11. San Vicente-Sadivug-Chavayan-
Sumnanga-Nakamuan-San Vicente
Road, Batanes
 12. Bambang-Kasibu-Quezon-Solano Road,
(Kasibu-Quezon-Solano Section),
Nueva Vizcaya
 13. Maya-Mauyen Port Road, Batanes
 14. Echague-Poblacion Road, Isabela
 15. Claveria-Dibalio-Luzon-Cagayan
Bdry. Road, Cagayan
 16. Cadcadir-Cadungdungan, Claveria,
Cagayan
 17. Various Roads
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| REGION III | 1,927,196,000.00 |
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1. Zaragosa-Jaen Road, Nueva Ecija
 2. Jct. Tablang-Gabaldon
Road, Nueva Ecija
 3. San Isidro-Jct. Sta. Rosa
Road, Nueva Ecija
 4. Pinagpanaan-Rizal-Pantabangan
Road, Nueva Ecija
 5. Pantabangan-Cadaclan Road,
Nueva Ecija
 6. Cabanatuan City-Carmen Road,
Nueva Ecija
 7. Sta. Rita-Biak na Bato Road, via
Pulong Bayabas Road, Bulacan
 8. Iba-Camalig Road,
Bulacan
 9. Muñoz-Lupao Road,
Nueva Ecija
 10. Bongabon-Rizal Road,
Nueva Ecija

11. Cabanatuan City Diversion Road,
Nueva Ecija
12. Mabatang Vicinal Road, Bataan
13. CAMP Clark Area Municipalities
Project, San Felipe Br. and Mabiga Br.
widening along McArthur Highway,
Pampanga
14. Various Roads

REGION IV-A	2,541,356,000.00
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 1. Tanay-Sampaloc Road, Rizal
 2. Amang Rodriguez-Wawa Road, Rizal
 3. Tayabas-Mauban Jct.-Lucban Road,
Quezon
 4. Infanta-Gen. Nakar Road, Quezon
 5. San Luis-Ma. Aurora-Basal Road, Aurora
 6. Mulanay-San Francisco-P. Burgos-
(Malicboy)-Agdangan Road, Quezon
 7. Quezon-Alabat-Perez Road, Quezon
 8. Calamba-Los Baños-Bay Diversion
Road, Laguna
 9. Baler-Dinadiawan Road, Aurora
 10. Dinadiawan-Madella Road, Aurora
 11. Bauan-Mabini Circumferential Road,
Batangas
 12. Famy-Puerto Real Road, Laguna
 13. Marcos Highway, Laguna
 14. Talisay-Laurel-Agoncillo Road, Batangas
 15. Batangas-Lobo Road, Batangas
 16. Puerto Real Jct.-Infanta-Dinahican Road,
(Real-Infanta Bdry.-Dinahican Port Road)
Quezon
 17. Lopez-Buenavista Road, Quezon
 18. Lopez-Catanauan Road, Quezon
 19. Nasugbu (Lumbuangan)-Lian-Calatagan,
Batangas
 20. Dinadiawan-Casiguran Road, Aurora
 21. Antipolo-Kambal-Maarat Road

22. Taytay Diversion Road
 23. Angono Diversion Road
 24. Binangonan Diversion Road
 25. Daang Cainta (Imelda Avenue)
 26. Cabrera-Kaytikling-Antipolo Road
 27. Sumulong Highway
 28. Marikina-Victoria Valley Antipolo Road
 29. Cainta-Kaytikling-Antipolo Road
(Antipolo-Teresa-Morong Section)
 30. Various Roads
- REGION IV-B 1,814,212,000.00
1. Buenavista-Lipata-Dampulan-Tigwi Road, Marinduque
 2. Boac-Torrijos Interior Road
(Boac Section), Marinduque
 3. Dr. Damian Reyes Memorial Road,
Marinduque
 4. Romblon-Cogon-Sabluyan Road,
Romblon
 5. Aramaywan-Abo-abo-Quezon Road,
Palawan
 6. Lubang Island Roads, Mindoro Occ.
 7. Silum-Magdiwang-San Fernando
Road, Romblon
 8. San Fernando-Cajidiocan Road, Romblon
 9. San Agustin-Sta. Maria Road, Romblon
 10. Coron-Busuanga Road, Palawan
 11. RTE Jct.-Paglaum-Bato Road, Palawan
 12. Quezon-Punta Baja Road, Palawan
 13. Quezon-Jct. Aramaywan Road, Palawan
 14. Abo-abo-Jct. Quezon Road, Palawan
 15. Palawan Tourism Devt. Project
Phase I - Coron-Busuanga Rd., Palawan
 16. Palawan Circumferential Road
(Sumbiling-Buliliyan-Wangli-Batarasa-
Panaligan-Rizal-Quezon Road), Palawan
 17. Boac-Torrijos Int. Road (Torrijos Side),

Marinduque

18. Looc (Balatucan)-Buenvista (Ferrol)

Road, Mindoro Occ.

19. Binoog-Lubi Road, Romblon

20. Parpagoha-Marigondon-Binoog Road,
Romblon
21. Looc (Cogon)-Odiongan-Tulay Road,
Romblon
22. Jct. MSBR-San Jose Central-Rizal
Road, Mindoro Occ.
23. Sablayan-Penal Colony Road,
Mindoro Occ.
24. Calapan South Jct. Minas Road,
Oriental Mindoro
25. Socorro-Pola Road,
Oriental Mindoro
26. Various Roads
REGION V 2,240,188,000.00
1. Tigaon-Mayong Road,
Camarines Sur
2. Sipocot-Barcelonita-Cabusao Road,
Camarines Sur
3. Jct. Panganiban-Sablayan Road,
Catanduanes
4. San Fernando North Road, Masbate
5. Jct. Tawad-Balud Road, Masbate
6. Jct. Milagros-Aroroy-Baleno-Lagta
Road, Masbate
7. Buenavista-Cawayan Road, Masbate
8. Libon-Marocmoc-Pantao Road, Albay
9. Albay West Coast Road, Albay
10. Lagonoy-Presentacion-Caramoan
Road, Camarines Sur
11. San Isidro-Tubigan-Sagrada-San Ramon
Hanawan Road, Camarines Sur
12. San Pascual-Claveria Road, Masbate
13. Ariman-Casiguran Road, Sorsogon
14. Irosin-Bulusan Lake Road, Sorsogon
15. Banquerohan-Bariis-Sogoy-Sorsogon
Bdry. Road, Sorsogon
16. Talobatib-Jose Panganiban Road,

Camarines Norte

17. Ariman-Jct. Bulusan Lake Road, Sorsogon
18. Camalig-Comun-Inarado-Gapo-
Peñafrancia Road, Albay
19. Goa-Digdigon-San Isidro Road,
Camarines Sur
20. Jct. Bato-Baras Road, Catanduanes
21. San Fernando-Talisay Road, Masbate
22. Various Roads

REGION VI

2,387,400,000.00

1. Tigbauan-Cordova-Leon Road, Iloilo
2. Miagao-Igbaras, Iloilo
3. Barotac Viejo-San Rafael Road, Iloilo
4. Jct. Nat'l Road, Mianay-Duyok-
Calaan-Panitan Road, Capiz
5. Jct. Nat'l Road, Dumarao-
San Rafael Road, Iloilo
6. Guimbal-Igbaras-Tubungan-Leon
Road, Iloilo
7. Dancalan-Candoni-Damutan Valley
Road, Negros Occ.
8. Pototan-Mina-Lambunao Road, Iloilo
9. Cabatuan-New Lucena-Bangabante
Road, Iloilo
10. Anini-y-T. Fournier-Hamtic Road, Antique
11. Pandan-Libertad-Aklan Bdry. Road,
Antique
12. Odiong-Sibalom-San Remegio
Road, Antique
13. San Remegio-Bugo-Gen. Fullon Road,
Antique
14. San Miguel-Constancia-Cabano-
Igcawayan Road
15. Jct. Pontevedra-Antipolo-La
Castellana Road, Negros Occ.
16. Jct. Bancal-Leon-Bucari
Road, Iloilo

17. Jct. Don Salvador Benedicto-Spur-
Calatrava Road, Negros Occ.
18. Jct. Pontevedra-Antipolo-La
Castellana Road, Negros Occ.
19. Isabela-Tinongan-Libas-Negros
Oriental Bdry. Road, Negros Occ.
20. Jct. Bearin-Salong Tapi-Bantay Road
21. Aklan West Road (Malay-Buruanga
Road), Aklan
22. Jct. Nat'l Road, Cuartero-Maindang-
Tapulong-Maayon Road, Capiz

23. Jct. Nat'l Road, Sagay-Bato
Bug-ang-Minapasok-Marcelo-Balea-
Jct. Nat'l Road, Negros Occ.
 24. Candoni-Sipalay Road, Negros Occ.
 25. Bacolod-Granada Road, Negros Occ.
 26. San Remegio-Leon, Antique-
Iloilo Road, Iloilo
 27. Baje-Ngi-ngi-an-Bingawan Road, Capiz
 28. Badiangan-Janiuay Road, Iloilo
 29. Passi-San Enrique-Garrita Road, Iloilo
 30. Concepcion-San Dionisio Road, Iloilo
 31. Tiolas-Sinugbahan Road, Iloilo
 32. Oton-Buray-Sta. Monica-Sta. Clara-
San Miguel Jct. Road, Iloilo
 33. Miag-ao-Valencia-Igbaras-Amorogtong-
Tubungan Road, Iloilo
 34. Bago-Maao-Mailum-Canlaon Road,
Negros Occ.
 35. Lag-asam-Napoli-Malingin Road,
Bago City
 36. Prosperidad-Quezon-Cabaron Road
 37. Vito Port Road, Negros Occ.
 38. Nueva Valencia-Salvacion-Alegria Road
 39. Various Roads
- REGION VII 2,046,400,000.00
1. Bayawan-Kabankalan Road,
Negros Oriental
 2. Bogo (Curva)-Medellin-Daan
Bantayan-Maya Road, Cebu
 3. Jetafe-Danao Road, Cebu
 4. Jct. LIR-Alicia-Sierra Bullones Road,
Bohol
 5. Argao-Moalboal Road, Cebu
 6. Dauis-Tinago-Panglao Road, Bohol
 7. Tagbitaran City-Corella-Sikatuna-
Loboc Road, Bohol
 8. Jct. (TNR)-Cortes-Balilihan-Catigbian-

- Macaas-Tubigon Road, Bohol
9. Maribojoc-Antiquera-Catagbacan Road, Bohol
 10. Jct. (LIR) Carmen-Sagbayan-Bacane (Clarin) Road, Bohol
 11. Jct. Naga-Toledo (Talisay Road), Cebu
 12. Sibonga-Papan, Dumanjug Road, Cebu
 13. Carcar-Valencia-Aloguinsan Road, Cebu
 14. Sogod-Tabuelan Road, Cebu
 15. Mactan Circumferential Road, Cebu
 16. Dalaguete-Mantalongon-Badian Road, Cebu
 17. Various Roads
- REGION VIII 2,604,509,000.00
1. Isabel-Palompon Road, Leyte
 2. Palompon-Abijao Road, Leyte
 3. Bato-Bontoc Road, Leyte
 4. Himayangan-Silago-Abuyog Road
Liloan-San Ricardo Road, Southern Leyte
 5. Naval-Caibiran Cross Country Road, Biliran
 6. Jaro-Dagami-Burauen-La Paz Road, Leyte
 7. Tabango-Catmon-La Fortuna-Manlawa-an-Guimarco Road, Leyte
 8. Burauen-Mahagnao-Nat'l Park Road, Leyte
 9. Calaguise-Calubian Jct. Road, Leyte
 10. Libungao-Matag-ob-Palompon Road, Leyte
 11. Ormoc-Donghol-Lake Imelda Road, Ormoc City
 12. Merida-Lundag-Puting Bato-Consolacion-Isabel Road, Leyte
 13. Kananga-Tungonan-Hot Spring Road, Leyte
 14. Hinunagan-Silago Bdry. Road,

Southern Leyte

15. Malitbog-Tomas Oppus Road,
Southern Leyte

16. Palapag-Mapanas Road, Northern Samar

17. Gamay-Lapinig Road,
Northern Samar

18. San Juanico-Basey-Sohoton Road, Samar

19. Biliran Circumferential Road, Biliran

20. Calubian-San Isidro-Tabango-Villaba-
Palompon Road, Leyte

21. Tabing-Kawayan-Sta. Rosa-Tugas-
Buho-Lawis Road, Leyte

22. San Francisco-Pintuyan Road,
Southern Leyte
23. Tigbao-Sta. Fe Road, Leyte
24. Sta. Fe-Pastrana-Dagami Road, Leyte
25. San Isidro-Daja Road, Leyte
26. Villaba-Cabungoan-Tabunok-
Consuegra-Belen Road, Leyte
27. Various Roads

REGION IX 1,353,576,000.00

1. Jct. Aurora-Monte Alegre-Jct. Labangan
Road, Zamboanga del Sur
2. Jct. Dumalinao-Margosatubig Road,
Zamboanga del Sur
3. Dapitan Circumferential Road,
Dapitan City
4. Dipolog-Polanco-Pinan-Jct. Oroquieta
Road, Zamboanga del Norte I
5. Dipolog City Bypass Road,
Dipolog City
6. Jct. Diplahan-Malangas Road,
Zamboanga del Sur I
7. Curuan-Lunday-Sibuco
Road, Zamboanga City
8. Zamboanga City Bypass Road,
Zamboanga City
9. Various Roads

REGION X 1,498,875,000.00

1. Lumbia-Uguiaban-Basak Road,
Misamis Oriental
2. Misamis Oriental-Bukidnon-Agusan
Road, Province-wide
3. Cagayan de Oro City-Dominatorog
Road, Misamis Oriental
4. Kalilangan-Lampanosan Road,
Bukidnon
5. Jct. Maradugao-Kamp Kibaritan-
Dominatorog Road, Bukidnon

6. Jct. S. H. M. Fortich-Libonao
Cagayan de Oro City, Bukidnon
7. Barandias-Dominorog Road, Bukidnon
8. Kibawe-Kadingilan-Kalilangan Road,
Bukidnon
9. Jct. Ticalaan-Taganaan Road, Bukidnon
10. Jct. S. H., Aglayan-Zamboanguita
Road, Bukidnon
11. Jct. S. H. (Aglayan) Alanib-Kinabangan-
Basak Road, Bukidnon
12. Kibawe-Kadingilan-Kalilangan Road,
Bukidnon
13. Oroquieta-Plaridel-Calamba-
Mt. Road, Misamis Occidental
14. Villanueva-Claveria-Gingoog Road,
Misamis Oriental
15. Calamba-Baliangao Road,
Misamis Occidental
16. Dologan-Busco-Quezon, Bukidnon
17. Various Roads

REGION XI

2,751,978,000.00

1. New Bataan-Liboton Road,
Davao del Norte
2. Compostela-New Bataan Road,
Davao del Norte
3. Bansalan-Mt. Apo Nat'l Park Rd.,
Davao del Sur
4. Tubalan-Pinalpalan-Alabel Road,
Davao del Sur
5. Surallah-Lake Sebu-Maitum Road,
Sarangani
6. Montevista-DNAS Road,
Davao del Norte
7. Inawayan - Barakatan Road, Davao City
8. Pangyan-Pinalpalan-Demolok-
Alabel Road, Davao del Sur
9. Mati-Maragusan Road, Davao Oriental
10. Jct. Manikling-Gov. Generoso Road,
Davao Oriental
11. General Santos Circumferential Road,
Sarangani
12. Montevista-Compostela-New Bataan
Maragusan-Mati Bdry. Road,
Davao del Norte
13. Ticulon-Lagumit-Little Baguio Road,
Davao del Sur
14. Tagum-Asuncion-Kapalong-
Sto. Tomas-Panabo
Circumferential Road, Davao del Norte
15. Maguindanao-North Cotabato Road
(Mabuhay-Bansalan Section)
16. North Diversion Road,
Davao City
17. Circumferential Road (C1)
Brgy. Langub-Libby Rd.-Bago Gallera
Extension, Davao City
18. Calinan-Baguio-Cadalian Road,

Davao City

19. Fatima-Malabog Road,

Davao City

20. Toril-Bayabas (Eden) Road, Davao City

21. Mabuhay-Panalum-Paguibato Road,

Davao City

22. Various Roads

REGION XII

869,217,000.00

1. Kidapawan-Ilomavis-Tourist Road,

North Cotabato

2. Matalam-Lampayan-New Alimodian-

Linao-Antipas Rd., North Cotabato

3. Kidapawan-Calunasan-M'lang Road,

North Cotabato

4. Magpet Pob.- Binay-Nowa-Basak-

Temporan-Badiangon-Malibutan-

Greenfield-Doroluman Road,

North Cotabato

5. Dualing-New Panay-Midsayap Road,

North Cotabato

6. Libungan-Alamada-Guiling-Banisilan-
Wao-Maramag Road, North Cotabato
7. Midsayap-Makar Road, North Cotabato
8. Tubod-Gannasi Road,
Lanao del Norte
9. Dulawan-Marbel Road, Sultan Kudarat
10. Dualing-Baliki-Silik Road,
North Cotabato
11. Paco-Roxas-Arakan Valley Road,
North Cotabato
12. Kidapawan-Magpet-Pangao Rd.,
North Cotabato
13. Marawi-Kapai-Cagayan De Oro Road,
Marawi City
14. Cotabato Diversion Highway,
Cotabato City
15. Isulan-Lebak Road, Sultan Kudarat
16. Various Roads

REGION XIII

1,727,939,000.00

1. Dapa-Sayak-Cancohoy Road,
Surigao del Norte
2. Cancohoy-San Isidro-Caridad Road,
Surigao del Norte
3. Magsaysay-Sta. Monica-Burgos-
Baybay Road, Surigao del Norte
4. Jct. Osmeña-San Roque Road,
Surigao del Norte
5. Agusan-Malaybalay Road,
Agusan del Norte and Agusan del Sur
6. Tag-abaca-Garcia-Bolodbolod Road,
Surigao del Norte
7. Del Carmen-San Benito-
Magsaysay Road, Surigao del Norte
8. Quezon-Mapawa-Capalayan-Espina-
Navarro Road; Surigao City
9. Buenavista-Bunaguit Road,
Agusan del Norte

10. Talacogon-La Paz-Loreto-Veruela
Circumferential Road, Agusan del Norte
11. Dapa-General Luna Road,
Surigao del Norte
12. Del Carmen-San Benito-Magsaysay Road,
Surigao del Norte
13. Butuan City-Pianing-Tandag Road,
Agusan del Sur, Surigao del Sur
14. Butuan City-Masao Port Road,
Butuan City
15. Butuan City Bypass Road
and Bridge, Butuan City
16. Navarro-Mabini-Loreto Road,
Surigao del Norte
17. Navarro-Bolodbolod Road,
Surigao del Norte
18. Dinagat-Magsaysay Road,
Surigao del Norte
19. Jct. Magsaysay-Cagdiano Road,
Surigao del Norte

20. Lake Mainit Circumferential Road, Surigao del Norte	
21. Various Roads	
NATIONWIDE	8,334,604,000.00
1. Rural Roads Development Project, Phase III	
2. JICA (Phase VI) Bridge, Western Mindanao	
3. Various Roads/Bridges	
C. URBAN ROAD PROJECTS	21,007,796,000.00
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I. <u>NCR</u>	<u>14,625,945,000.00</u>
A) NATIONAL ARTERIAL ROADS	
1. OECF-assisted Metro Manila Int. Construction Proj. III, 20th Yen (EDSA/Quezon Ave., Ortigas/C5 A. Rodriguez, EDSA/Kalayaan Ave. and Magallanes Interchange, EDSA/ Pasay Road-Ayala Ave. Int.)	
2. Smart Traffic Signal System	
3. Metro Manila Interchange Construction Project IV, OECF, 22 nd Yen Credit Package	
- EDSA/Quezon Avenue Interchange	
- Detailed Engineering Design of EDSA/Roosevelt Avenue, EDSA/ North Avenue-West Avenue, C-5/ R-4 Kalayaan Avenue & C-5/Lanuza	
4. ADB-Assisted Vehicle Emission Control Project	
- EDSA (North Avenue to Roxas Boulevard)	
- Rizal Avenue Extension (Monumento-Caloocan- Manila Boundary)/Samson Road (Railroad to Monumento)	

5. Metro Manila Interchange

Construction Project, Phase V

- EDSA/North Avenue-West Avenue Interchange (Civil Works)
- Roxas Blvd./P. Burgos Interchange (Detailed Design)
- Roxas Blvd./Quirino Avenue Interchange (Detailed Design)
- Roxas Blvd./MIA Road Interchange (Detailed Design)

6. Metro Manila Urban Transport

Integration Project (MMURTRIP)

a. EDSA

- North Avenue – Pasig River
- Pasig River – Roxas Boulevard

b. SLEX (Southern Corridor)

- Nichols Interchange
- Bicutan Interchange
- Sucat Interchange
- Alabang Interchange

7. Metro Manila Urban Transportation
Integration Study (MMUTIS)
 - a. PRIMARY (Grade Separation
Project)
 - Roxas Blvd./Pres. Quirino Avenue
 - Roxas Blvd./MIA Road
8. Improvement of Access Road
to NAIA (Domestic Road and
Andrews Avenue), Pasay City
9. North Laguna Road
Dike to Coastal Road
Taytay, Rizal
10. Taytay-Angono-Binangonan
Coastal Road including Bridges
and other Structures

B) NATIONAL SECONDARY ROADS

1. Metro Manila Interchange
Construction Project IV,
OECE, 22nd Yen Credit Package
 - C-5/E. Rodriguez Avenue/Boni
Serrano/Katipunan Road
Interchange
 - C-5/Ortigas Avenue Extension
Interchange
2. ADB-Assisted Vehicle
Emission Control Project
 - Taft Avenue (P. Burgos to
Quirino Avenue)

- A. Mabini (Estero de Maypajo-
Gen. San Miguel)/Juan Luna
(M. dela Industria to Caloocan-
Manila Boundary)
 - Gov. Forbes (Plaza Avelina to
Tayuman)
España (Rotonda to Lerma)
M. Earnshaw (Bustillos to
España)
 - Pres. Quirino Avenue
(UN Avenue. - Roxas Boulevard)
Pres. Quirino Avenue
(Plaza Dilao to Nagtahan
Bridge)
 - South Superhighway (Pres.
Quirino Ave. - Nichols
Interchange)
 - Vito Cruz (Donada-South
Avenue)
3. Metro Manila Interchange
Construction Project, Phase V
- EDSA/Roosevelt Ave.
Interchange (Civil Works)
 - C-5/Kalayaan Avenue (R-4)
Interchange (Civil Works)
 - C-5/Lanuza St. - Julia Vargas
Avenue Interchange (Civil Works)
 - C-3/Quezon Avenue Interchange
(Detailed Design)
 - C-3/E. Rodriguez Avenue
Interchange (Detailed Design)
4. Metro Manila Urban Transport
Integration Project (MMURTRIP)
- a. LRT Line 2
 - Marcos Bridge - Cubao
 - Cubao - Recto

b.

MARIPAS

- Marcos Highway (Marcos Bridge Masinag)
- Marcos Highway (Masinag-C-6)
- Ortigas Avenue Extension
- Radial Road III
- Radial Road II

c. SECONDARY ROADS

- SSH West/East Service Road
- Quirino Highway
- M. dela Fuente (Trabajo)
- Banaue Avenue
- Quezon Boulevard
- 10th Avenue
- Pedro Gil/New Panaderos
- D. Romualdez, Sr.
- Sen. Gil Puyat Avenue
- Pasong Tamo
- Antonio Arnaiz Avenue
- Tayuman
- Legarda
- Jacobo Fajardo
- Don Mariano Marcos Avenue Extension
- North Avenue
- Aurora Boulevard
- Moriones

5. Metro Manila Urban Transportation

Integration Study (MMUTIS)

a. PRIMARY (Grade Separation Project)

- C-3/A. Bonifacio Avenue
- C-3/Quezon Avenue
- C-3/Aurora Boulevard
- España/Pres. Quirino Avenue
- Marcos Highway/Imelda Avenue
- Ortigas Avenue/Imelda Avenue

b. SECONDARY ROADS

- Sampaguita Avenue

West Avenue Ext. (WLE-C5)

-Visayas Avenue

North Ext. (Tandang Sora-C5)

- Quirino Highway

Novaliches Bypass

- Kalayaan Avenue Ext.

to 20th Avenue

- New Marikina Road

(C-5 - J.P. Rizal)

~~Col. B. Serrano Ave. Ext. to~~

Marcos Highway

(C-5 - Marcos Highway)

- Jerusalem Extension to
Doña Soledad Avenue
 - Naga Road Extension to
A. Aguirre Avenue
 - Dr. J. Laurel Extension
(BB R. Tirona – Alabang
Zapote Road)
 - Imus - Filinvest Road
(New Las Piñas Road
to Acacia Avenue)
6. Marikina Bridge & Access Road
 7. Radial Road 10 (R-10) Widening
 8. Circumferential Road 3 (C-3)
Missing Link, Northern Segment
 9. Circumferential Road 3 (C-3)
Southern Package
 10. Widening of Mindanao Avenue
STAGE II-C
 11. Mindanao Avenue Extension
STAGE II-C, SEGMENT C
Republic Ave. - Gen. Luis
Kalookan City & Valenzuela
 12. Alabang-Zapote Road Widening
 13. Visayas Avenue Extension
 14. Shaw Boulevard Extension
 15. C-5/Lower Bicutan Access Road
 16. C-5/Commando Link Road
 17. West Bank Road
Cainta-Taytay Section
 18. East Bank Road
Cainta-Taytay Section
 19. Binangonan-Antipolo Road
 20. Angono-Antipolo Road
 21. Taytay-Pasig Road including
Bridges and other Structures
 22. Taytay-Angono Road
 23. Olalia Road

24. Antipolo-Kambal-Maarat Road

25. Marikina Diversion Road

(Cainta-Antipolo Section)

II. REGION VII 930,051,000.00

Second Mandaue-Mactan

Bridge Project

OECE, 21st Yen Credit Package

III. NATIONWIDE 5,451,800,000.00

(Other projects including construction/
improvement/rehabilitation of various
roads and bridges in highly urbanized
cities including right-of-way acquisition.)

D. FLOOD CONTROL 35,521,000,000.00

NCR 4,485,397,000.00

1. Metro Manila Flood Control
Project (West Manggahan Flood-
Way) North Laguna Lakeshore
Urgent Flood Control & Drainage
Project (Civil Works), OECE, 21st
Yen Credit Package
2. The Project for Rehabilitation of
The Flood Control Operation and
Warning System in Metro Manila
3. Kalookan-Malabon-Navotas-
Valenzuela (Kamanava) Flood
Control Project
4. Pasig-Marikina River Channel and
Environmental Improvement Project
5. Flood Control and Sabo Engineering
Center
6. Pasig-San Juan River Dredging
Improvement Project
7. Metro Manila Drainage System
Rehabilitation Project, Phase II
8. Various Projects

REGION I

1. Agno & Allied Rivers Urgent
Rehabilitation Project
(Agno, Pangasinan) Phases I, II & II-B
2. San Roque Multipurpose Project
(Flood Control Component),
Pangasinan
3. Sabo and Flood Control Project
in the Laoag River Basin
(Engineering Services)
4. Amburayan River Control,
Ilocos Sur & La Union
5. Various Projects

<u>CAR</u>	1,168,203,000.00
Various Projects	
<u>REGION II</u>	1,230,860,000.00
1. Cagayan River Basin Water Resources Development, Tuguegarao, Cagayan (Civil Works)	
2. Abulug/Cagayan Valley River Basin Flood Control Project, Region II	
3. Various Projects	
<u>REGION III</u>	2,989,298,000.00
1. Pampanga Delta Development Project Flood Control & Related Projects	
2. Mt. Pinatubo Hazard Urgent Mitigation Project (Flood Control Component), Tarlac & Pampanga	
3. Mt. Pinatubo Hazard Urgent Mitigation Project	
4. Pampanga Delta Development Project, Phase II, Flood Control & Related Projects	
5. Various Projects	
<u>REGION IV-A</u>	2,253,687,000.00
Various Projects	
<u>REGION IV-B</u>	1,624,437,000.00
1. Amnay-Patrick River Basin Flood Control Project located in the Central Part of Mindoro	
2. Various Projects	
<u>REGION V</u>	2,014,196,000.00
1. Bicol River Basin Flood Control II	
2. Mayon Volcano Sabo Works and Other Flood Control Components	
3. Various Projects	
<u>REGION VI</u>	2,225,235,000.00
1. Engineering Services for Iloilo City Flood Control Project, Detailed	

2. Panay River Flood Control Project (1st Stage), Aklan, Capiz and Iloilo	
3. Ilog-Hilabangan Flood Control Project (Kabankalan, Negros Occ.)	
4. Jalaur River Flood Control Project, Iloilo	
5. Various Projects	
<u>REGION VII</u>	1,493,028,000.00
Various Projects	
<u>REGION VIII</u>	2,339,329,000.00
1. Flood Mitigation Project in Ormoc City, Phase II	
2. Help for Catubig Agricultural Advancement Project Stage I (HCAAP I), Northern Samar	
3. Various Projects	
<u>REGION IX</u>	902,980,000.00
Various Projects	
<u>REGION X</u>	1,338,369,000.00
1. Tagoloan River Basin Development Project	
2. Various Projects	
<u>REGION XI</u>	2,568,329,000.00
1. Upper Agusan Flood Control Project (Davao del Norte)	
2. Tagum/Libuganon River Basin Flood Control Project, Southern Mindanao	
3. Davao River Basin Flood Control Project, Southern Mindanao	
4. Buayan-Malungon River Basin Flood Control Project, Southeastern Mindanao	
5. Various Projects	
<u>REGION XII</u>	720,493,000.00
1. Lower Cotabato River Basin Flood Control Project, Maguindanao, North Cotabato & Sultan Kudarat	

Provinces		
2. Agus River Basin Flood Control Project		
3. Various Projects		
<u>REGION XIII</u>	1,944,039,000.00	
1. Lower Agusan Development Project, Butuan City (Stage I, Phase II)		
2. Various Projects		
<u>NATIONWIDE</u>	1,955,296,000.00	
Various Projects		
E. RURAL WATER SUPPLY	599,058,000.00	
(Devolved to local government units under the LGEF)	=====	
F. OTHER DPWH PROJECTS	4,938,756,000.00	
(Urban community infrastructure under the Municipal Development Fund)		=====
G. LOCAL INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS		33,300,000,000.00
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REGION I		1,800,000,000.00
CORDILLERA ADMINISTRATIVE		
REGION (CAR)	1,050,000,000.00	
REGION II	1,500,000,000.00	
REGION III	2,850,000,000.00	
REGION IV	3,900,000,000.00	
REGION V	2,100,000,000.00	
REGION VI	2,700,000,000.00	
REGION VII	2,250,000,000.00	
REGION VIII	1,800,000,000.00	
REGION IX	1,200,000,000.00	
REGION X	1,350,000,000.00	
REGION XI	2,100,000,000.00	
REGION XII	750,000,000.00	
REGION XIII (CARAGA)	1,050,000,000.00	
AUTONOMOUS REGION IN		
MUSLIM MINDANAO (ARMM)		1,050,000,000.00
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION (NCR)		3,750,000,000.00
PARTY LIST	2,100,000,000.00	

H. NATIONWIDE

12,750,000,000.00

GRAND TOTAL

P 253,000,000,000.00

SEC. 5. *Participation of Local Government Units.* – The Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) shall, upon the written request of the Member(s) of Congress concerned, authorize provinces, cities, municipalities or barangays to implement projects under the categories of local roads and other public works in this Act: *Provided*, That these local government units have the capability to implement such projects.

SEC. 6. *Congressional Oversight Committee.* – There shall be a Congressional Oversight Committee (COC) tasked to oversee, monitor and review the implementation of the provisions of this law, particularly the priority projects identified, in order to see to it that funds allocated for these purposes are utilized in accordance with the policies and provisions of this law.

The COC shall be composed of the following:

(1) The Chairmen of the Senate and House Committees on Public Works and Highways shall be chairman and co-chairman respectively;

(2) The Chairmen of the Senate Finance Committee and the House Committee on Appropriations shall be the vice-chairman and co-vice-chairman respectively;

(3) Two (2) members who shall come from the Senate Public Works and Highways Committee as designated by the Senate Public Works and Highways Committee Chairman;

(4) Two (2) members who shall come from the House Public Works and Highways Committee as designated by the House Public Works and Highways Committee Chairman;

(5) Two (2) members who shall come from the Senate Finance Committee as designated by the Senate Finance Committee Chairman; and

(6) Two (2) members who shall come from the House Committee on Appropriations as designated by the House Committee on Appropriations Chairman.

There shall be a COC technical support staff which shall provide technical support services corollary to the oversight functions of the COC.

SEC. 7. *Programming of Projects.* – Annually within the approved expenditure ceiling, the projects herein provided shall be programmed by the Department of Public Works and Highways, in consultation and coordination with the respective oversight committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives, always taking into consideration the policies and priorities in Sections 2 and 3 of this Act: *Provided*, That during the annual programming of projects under category G on Local Infrastructure Projects, a member of Congress may submit a substitute priority project listing for his district if a member of the House of Representatives or, in any congressional district if a member of the Senate, whenever any particular project originally submitted by him/her is already being implemented through other sources or a more urgent project is identified: *Provided, further*, That in the case of a project originally submitted by an

incumbent senator, no substitution or realignment thereof may be done without the written conformity of said incumbent senator: *Provided, finally,* That the substitute project listing falls under the same category as the original project and has the same probable socioeconomic impact on the community as originally intended.

SEC. 8. *Engineering and Administrative Overhead Expenses.* – Appropriations for projects authorized in this Act shall be used solely for project implementation which shall include direct engineering and administrative overhead expenditures incidental thereto, including but not limited to salaries of employees who may be hired for the duration of the project, office supplies, and similar operational costs. These engineering and administrative overhead expenditures shall be reflected in the program of work for the project concerned and shall not exceed four *per centum* (4%) of the amount actually released for the project: *Provided,* That the said percentage shall be reduced as the total project cost increases.

SEC. 9. *Program of Work.* – Projects authorized under this Act shall not be implemented without the prior approval of the corresponding program of work by the Secretary of the Department of Public Works and Highways or his duly authorized official.

SEC. 10. *Public Bidding.* – Unless otherwise provided in Sections 11 and 12 hereof, all projects covered under this Act shall be implemented by contract awarded after competitive public bidding open to all qualified bidders and shall be awarded to the bidder who submits the lowest evaluated bid that is most advantageous to the government based on existing laws and regulations.

SEC. 11. *Work by Administration.* – Except as may be expressly authorized by the President of the Philippines, any project in this Act with a cost of Twenty million pesos (P20,000,000.00) or less, based on the approved program of work under Section 9 hereof, may be done by administration or force account by the agency concerned without prior public bidding.

A project costing over Twenty million pesos (P20,000,000.00) may be prosecuted by administration by the agency concerned only in case of:

- (a) emergency arising from natural calamities or where immediate action is necessary to prevent imminent loss of life and/or property or to comply with government commitments;
- (b) failure to award a contract after competitive public bidding for a valid cause;
- (c) termination or rescission of contract;
- (d) areas with critical peace and order problems as certified by the Local Peace and Order Council:

Provided, That prior authority shall be obtained from the Secretary of Public Works and Highways if the project cost is One hundred million pesos (P100,000,000.00) or less, or from the President of the Philippines, upon recommendation of the Secretary of Public Works and Highways, if the project cost is more than One hundred million pesos (P100,000,000.00).

SEC. 12. *Negotiated Contracts.* – No project in this Act shall be implemented by negotiated contract except in any of the following cases:

- (a) when there is an emergency arising from natural calamities or where immediate action is necessary to prevent imminent loss of life and/or property or to comply with government commitments;
- (b) when there is a failure to award a contract after competitive public bidding for a valid cause;
- (c) upon the termination or rescission of contract;
- (d) when the projects are contiguous or adjacent to an ongoing project with no negative slippage and with satisfactory progress which may be economically implemented by the same contractor at no additional mobilization cost, using the same set of equipment, organization and other sources, based on the same unit prices, subject to escalation in accordance with existing laws and regulations;
- (e) when the project is to be implemented in areas with critical peace and order problems as certified by the Local Peace and Order Council; or
- (f) as expressly authorized by the President of the Philippines when national interest so requires.

For projects to be implemented by the Department of Public Works and Highways, the authority to negotiate and approve contracts shall be obtained from the Secretary of Public Works and Highways if the project cost is One hundred million pesos (P100,000,000.00) or less, or from the President, upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Public Works and Highways, if the project cost is more than One hundred million pesos (P100,000,000.00).

For projects to be implemented by the local government units, the authority to negotiate and approve contracts shall be obtained by them from the Secretary of the Department of the Interior and Local Government if the cost is more than One hundred million pesos (P100,000,000.00).

SEC. 13. *Implementation of Electrification Projects.* – The implementation of electrification projects authorized in this Act shall be undertaken by the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH). The National Electrification Administration (NEA) shall provide technical assistance to the DPWH to ensure that the implementation of the said electrification projects shall be in accordance with the specifications of the NEA.

SEC. 14. *Publication and Posting of Public Works Contracts.* – All contracts for public works projects amounting to Ten million pesos (P10,000,000.00) and above entered into pursuant to this Act shall be published in a newspaper of general circulation. Such publication shall contain the subject matter of the contract, including the persons authorized by the government to give consent in its behalf; the type of materials to be used; the contract time; the bidders, if public bidding is undertaken before granting the contract; and other terms of the contract. In addition thereto, a copy thereof shall be posted in a public place in the province, city or municipality where the project will be implemented.

For purposes of this Act, the government agency or the government-owned or -controlled corporations concerned shall allow interested parties, to inquire into the particular contract. Such inquiry shall be made in writing during regular office hours and the same shall be for a legitimate purpose stated therein.

The copies of documents, papers and records pertinent to the public works contract subject of inquiry shall be made available at the expense of the interested parties.

SEC. 15. *Sources of Funding.* – The amount necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act shall be charged against the appropriations for infrastructure projects of the Department of Public Works and Highways under the annual General Appropriations Acts and in other relevant appropriation measures. Said appropriations shall include proceeds from loans and counterpart funds and shall be augmented by any and all foreign grants as may become available for specific infrastructure projects.

For multi-year projects, a forward obligational authority shall be issued for contracting purposes to cover the estimated total project cost under this Act.

SEC. 16. *Reports.* – The Secretary of Public Works and Highways shall submit to the President of the Philippines, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, an annual accomplishment report on projects covered by this Act, which shall include the appropriations released as of the end of the calendar year, the extent of the works accomplished, further works to be done, and any recommendations for additional appropriations or charge thereof. For congressional districts, the district engineers shall submit a quarterly accomplishment report to their respective congressmen, copy furnished the Senate and the House Committees on Public Works and Highways.

SEC. 17. *Separability Clause.* – If any provision of this Act is declared unconstitutional or invalid, other parts or provisions hereof not affected thereby shall continue to be in full force and effect.

SEC. 18. *Repealing Clause.* – All laws, decrees, orders, rules, and regulations or parts thereof inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed or amended accordingly.

SEC. 19. *Effectivity Clause.* – This Act shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its complete publication in at least two (2) national newspapers of general circulation.

Approved.