

**OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY**  
Manila

**MAY 04 2023**  
**MEMORANDUM**

**FOR** 1 **MANUEL M. BONOAN**  
Secretary  
This Department

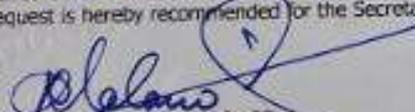
This has reference to the herein memorandum dated 3 April 2023 of DPWH Regional Director EDGAR B. TABACON, CESO IV, DPWH Region VIII, endorsing the request for the approval of the **Modification of Cesar V. Makabenta, D.M., District Engineer, Leyte 3<sup>rd</sup> District Engineering Office, Villaba, Leyte**, of the project under FY 2023 General Appropriation Act (GAA), to wit:

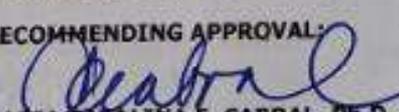
As per GAA/Original			As Modified		
Project Description					
<b>UACS No.: 310108101610000</b> <b>Project ID: P00706794VS</b>  OO1: Ensure Safe and Reliable National Road System  Asset Preservation - Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction of National Roads with Slips, Slope Collapse, and Landslide - Secondary Roads  Calubian Jct - San Isidro - Tabango - Villaba - Palompon Road, Brgy. Balite, Villaba, Leyte			OO1: Ensure Safe and Reliable National Road System  Asset Preservation - Rehabilitation/ Reconstruction of National Roads with Slips, Slope Collapse, and Landslide - Secondary Roads  Calubian Jct - San Isidro - Tabango - Villaba - Palompon Rd, K1047 + 536 - K1047 + 556, K1048 + 684 - K1048 + 700, K1048 + 708.5 - K1048 + 732.5, K1048 + 745.5 - K1048 + 760.5, K1048 + 905 - K1049 + 046		
Physical Target	Unit Cost	Allocation	Physical Target	Unit Cost	Estimated Cost
CW1-Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure: 2,777.780 Square meters	₱ 17,639.985888/ Square meter	₱ 49,000,000	CW1-Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure: 2,093.25 Square meters	₱ 23,408.5751821/ Square meter	₱ 49,000,000
EAO		₱ 1,000,000	EAO		₱ 1,000,000
		<b>Total: ₱ 50,000,000</b>			

**Justifications:**

- To correct the road name from "Calubian Jct - San Isidro - Tabango - Villaba - Palompon Road, Brgy. Balite, Villaba, Leyte" to "Calubian Jct - San Isidro - Tabango - Villaba - Palompon Rd, K1047 + 536 - K1047 + 556, K1048 + 684 - K1048 + 700, K1048 + 708.5 - K1048 + 732.5, K1048 + 745.5 - K1048 + 760.5, K1048 + 905 - K1049 + 046" based on the updated RBIA database, and to specify the exact location of the project that needs construction of slope protection structure in order to stabilize the slope and to prevent pavement failure for the safety of the travelling public.
- Based on actual site condition and as reflected on the plan, the project involves slope protection structure (concrete slope protection with steel sheet pile, stone masonry) and inclusion of paving of shoulder and in consideration on the effect of the increasing prices of construction materials, equipment rental rates and updated labor rates, which then increase the unit cost arriving at P 23,408.5751821 per Square meter, and consequently decrease the physical target from 2,777.780 Square meters to 2,093.25 Square meters. Attached is the Certificate of Reasonableness of Cost Estimate for reference and guidance.
- Attached are the following supporting documents: Form for Evaluation of Modification Request (2023, V1.0); BP 202; Certificate of Availability of Funds; Approved Program of Works; Plan; Geotagged Photos; Certificate of Reasonableness of Cost Estimate; and Location Map.

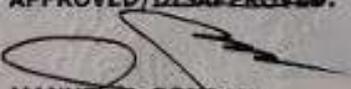
Based on our evaluation, the submitted request for modification of the said project is found in order. Hence, the said request is hereby recommended for the Secretary's consideration and approval.

  
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In NCR, Region III, IV-A, IV-B, V, VI, VII and VIII

**RECOMMENDING APPROVAL:**  
  
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**APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:**

  
**MANUEL M. BONOAN**  
Secretary

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