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

FOR

Secretary MANUEL M. BONOAN

This Department

This refers to the Memorandum dated March 20, 2023, of **Regional Director VIRGILIO C. EDUARTE, DPWH, Region V,** for the approval of **Modification** of the project under the FY 2023 General Appropriations Act (GAA), to wit:

	As per GAA/Origin	al		As Modified	
Project Descript	ion				
UACS No.	300218100098	000			
Project ID:	P00740267LZ				
Convergence and Special Support Program			Convergence and Special Support Program		
Sustainable Infrastructure Projects Alleviating Gaps (SIPAG) - Coastal Roads/Causeway for environmental protection/conservation			Sustainable Infrastructure Projects Alleviating Gaps (SIPAG) - Coastal Roads/Causeway for environmental protection/conservation		
Construction of Poblacion Norte-Central and Sur Coastal Road, Barcelona, Sorsogon			Construction of Poblacion Norte-Central and Sur Coastal Road, Barcelona, Sorsogon		
Physical Target	Unit Cost (₱'000)	Allocation (₱'000)	Physical Target	Unit Cost (₽'000)	Allocation (P'000)
CW1 -	15,032.453		CW1 -	44,601.814	40,855.262
Construction of Concrete Road	/ Lane Km	173,700.00	Construction of Concrete Road	/ Lane Km	
- 11.555 Lane Km			– 0.916 Lane Km	\$ 88 M	/k.
			CW2 –	33.610	132844.738
			Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure	/ Square meters	
			– 3952.54 Square meters		
EAO -		6,300.00	EAO -		6,300.00
Total: 180,000.00				Total:	

Justification:

Decrease in CW1 physical target from 11.555 Lane km to 0.916 Lane km is due to the adjustment in construction
materials cost and pay item rates considering the Construction Materials Price Data (CMPD) 4th Quarter update
of CY 2022 used in the preparation of Program of Work, thus an increase in the unit cost. Earthwork activities
of the project includes the large volume of common soil structure excavation, boulder fill and structural backfill
allocating 11.55% of the total construction cost. Also, provision of 458 lineal meters of concrete lined canal to
drain surface water away from the roadway especially during heavy rains to keep the road safe for motorists
and pedestrians.

- Decrease in CW1 physical target is also attributed to the addition of CW2 Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure
- Addition of CW2 Construction of Road Slope Protection Structure due to the actual design as to the height and slope of structure since the project location is along the coast prioritizing the construction of seawall structure for slope protection to prevent further erosion of adjacent sections and to suit actual site condition conducted during engineering survey. Slope Protection Works (Seawall with Steel Sheet piles, Class D Riprap and Stone Masonry, allocating 22.33%, 35.29%, and 6.94% of the total construction cost) to prevent collapse of road shoulder, settlement of the road surface, and erosion of the road embankment triggered mainly by wave impact.

Attached are the following supporting documents:

• Certificate of Reasonableness of Cost Estimate, Certificate of Availability of Funds, Program of Works, Geotagged Photos and Detailed Engineering Plan.

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

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APPROVED/DISAPPROVED:

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