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For: Regional Directors

Schools Division Superintendents

Regional/Division Engineers

All others concerned

Subject: **DEFERMENT PROCUREMENT ACTIVITIES FOR BEFF AND**

GABALDON PROJECTS WITH AUTHORITY TO PROCURE

This is in view of the issuance of the Department of Budget and Management of National Budget Circular No. 580 s. 2020 entitled "Adoption of Economy Measures in the Government Due to the Emergency Health Situation" specifically section 3.1 stating the possible measure for the discontinuance of appropriated P/A/Ps...to fund the operations and response measures related to COVID-19 emergency situation.

The Office of Secretary has already issued an Authority to Procure (ATP) to the different Implementing Units (IUs) for various Basic Education Facilities Funds (BEFF) projects like Repair and Rehabilitation of Schools, Electrification Program, Gabaldon Heritage School Building Program and Quick Response Funds for CY 2020 and some other remaining projects from CY 2019.

Relative to the issuance of NBC 580 s. 2020, the different IUs are hereby advised to defer the procurement of the abovementioned projects until further advise from the Central Office. The deferment does not include projects with issued Sub-SAROs specifically the Quick Response Funds CY 2020 and other projects from CY 2019.

The Office of the Undersecretary for Finance and Undersecretary for Administration are exerting efforts to ensure that these affected projects will be continued since these are priority projects the department's COVID-19 Response Plan and Learning Continuity Plan.

For information and guidance

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