



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

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MEMORANDUM

TO ALL : Acting Building Officials
Officers-in-Charge, Office of the Building Official
City/Municipal Engineers
Other Concerned Officials

SUBJECT : PROCESSING AND ISSUANCE OF PERMITS/CERTIFICATES
TAKING INTO CONSIDERATION THE PROVISIONS OF
SECTIONS 302 (3) AND (4) OF THE IMPLEMENTING RULES
AND REGULATIONS (IRR) OF THE NATIONAL BUILDING
CODE (NBC) OF THE PHILIPPINES (PD 1096)

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This is to reiterate the September 26, 2005 Memorandum of then Acting Secretary Hermogenes E. Ebdane, Jr. to all Building Officials, City/District Engineers, and all others concerned, advising them "to discontinue implementing and carrying out the questioned provisions of the IRR of the NBC on October 29, 2004 until further Order is issued."

Inasmuch as the case is still pending with the Court and no further Order has been issued regarding Sections 302 (3) and (4) of the IRR of the National Building Code of the Philippines (PD 1096), you are hereby directed to continue observing the writ of preliminary injunction issued by the Court on May 25, 2005.

As such, you are to process and issue the necessary permits and certificates to all applicants/owners notwithstanding whether the design plans and/or other pertinent documents submitted were prepared, signed and/or sealed by either a registered architect and/or a civil engineer.

For the information and compliance of all concerned.

MANUEL M. BONOAN
Officer-in-Charge



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