September 16, 2008

HON. FELIX D. ABELLA Punong Barangay Labangon Barangay Hall Cebu City

Dear Punong Barangay Abella:

This has reference to your letter dated September 15, 2008, requesting enlightenment on the decision of Engr. Nicomedes Leonor, OIC-Office of the (Cebu) City Engineer, for his office to inhibit in the supervision of your barangay's infrastructure project citing the reason that the City Engineer's Office was not involved in the preparation of the POWE and other pre-construction activities of said project.

We regret we cannot provide you with the requested enlightenment especially with the reason cited by Engr. N. Leonor in deciding for his office to inhibit in the supervision of your infrastructure project. You attached in your letter-request a copy of the Memorandum dated July 02, 2008, issued by Cebu City ABC President Eugenio F. Faelnar addressed to all Punong Barangays stating that the POWE of all barangay funded projects will be prepared by the ABC Technical Office and that there is no need to pass through the Cebu City Engineer's Office. Likewise, the memorandum stated that there was an agreement reached with Engr. Nicomedes Leonor. Hence, the reason cited by Engr. N. Leonor for the City Engineer's Office to inhibit in the supervision of your barangay's infrastructure project is not in consonance with the memorandum issued by ABC President Eugenio Faelnar. It is therefore suggested that you take this up with ABC President Eugenio Faelnar together Engr. Nicomedes Leonor.

Truly yours,

PEDRO A. NOVAL, JR. Regional Director

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