



Republic of the Philippines  
**PROVINCE OF ISABELA**  
 City of Ilagan

*Office of the Governor*

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 04**  
 Series of 2019

**DIRECTING ALL GOVERNMENT AGENCIES DOING INFRASTRUCTURE AND CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS WITHIN THE PROVINCE OF ISABELA TO ALLOW THE CONDUCT OF MATERIALS TESTING BY THE OFFICE OF THE PROVINCIAL ENGINEER ON ALL ON- GOING PROJECTS.**

**WHEREAS** , It is the policy of the State to ensure the safety of all infrastructure facilities and securing for all public works, infrastructures and highways the highest efficiency and the most appropriate quality in construction in accordance with national development objectives;

**WHEREAS**, Section 17 of RA 7160 mandates all local government units to continue to exercise powers and functions vested upon them, discharge functions and responsibilities of national agencies and offices devolved to them pursuant to this Code. Likewise to exercise such other powers and discharge such other functions and responsibilities that are necessary, appropriate, or incidental to efficient and effective provisions of the basic services and facilities;

**WHEREAS**, it is the policy of the Provincial Government of Isabela to uphold the principles of good financial housekeeping and transparency in the implementation of all government projects;

**WHEREAS**, various national agencies such as the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), National Irrigation Administration (NIA), Department of Health(DOH), Department of Education (DepEd), Department of Agriculture (DA), Department of Science and Technology (DOST) and other similar government offices are implementing infrastructure and construction projects within the Province of Isabela;

**WHEREAS**, to determine whether all infrastructure plans and project implementation are consistent with current standards and guidelines assessment relative to quality assurance is necessary;

**WHEREAS**, to ensure compliance with plans and specifications of both on-going and completed projects, quality assessment such as but not limited to materials testing is deemed compulsory;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, RODOLFO T. ALBANO III**, Governor of Isabela, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby direct all government agencies doing infrastructure and construction projects within the Province of Isabela to allow the conduct of materials testing by the Office of the Provincial Engineer on all on- going projects.

Let it be known that failure to comply with this order will result to discontinuance of the project and/or an endorsement from the undersigned for a recommendation of revocation of contract.

Let copies hereof be furnished to the office of the concerned Government Agencies for their guidance and compliance and the Sangguniang Panlalawigan for the Body's information and perusal and all actions they may deem proper under the circumstances.

This Executive Order shall take effect immediately.

Issued this 24th day of July, 2019 in the City of Ilagan, Isabela.

  
**HON. RODOLFO T. ALBANO III**  
 Governor



*Nagkaisa para sa Isabela*