

Republic of the Philippines  
**PHILSYS POLICY AND COORDINATION COUNCIL**

PSPCC RESOLUTION NO. 2  
Series of 2018

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROOF OF CONCEPT, THE  
CREATION OF AN INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE, AND  
ENGAGEMENT OF CONSULTANTS IN THE IMPLEMENTATION  
THEREOF**

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) is mandated to implement Republic Act (RA) No. 11055 otherwise known as "An Act Establishing the Philippine Identification System";

**WHEREAS**, prior to the Full-Scale Implementation of the PhilSys, the Workstreams on IT Processes and Technical Standards has developed an initial design for the PhilSys Registration that will be tested by Philippine Postal Corporation (PHLPost) in the Proof of Concept;

**WHEREAS**, PHLPost has represented itself and warranted that it is capable of providing Biometric Registration and other ID-related Services including but not limited to Data Capturing, Card Issuance and Personalization, leveraging its nationwide network of Postal Offices and resource capabilities specifically in the enrollment of the Social Security System (SSS) members for the past nine (9) years;

**WHEREAS**, PSA and PHLPost has agreed to carry out a Proof of Concept which shall serve as a small-scale test run for the full PhilSys Registration;

**WHEREAS**, PSA and PHLPost are willing to enter into an Agency-to-Agency (A2A) Engagement which is allowed under the Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9184 (*paragraph 53.5, Rule 53 – Negotiated Procurement, Rule XVI*);

**WHEREAS**, the creation of an Inter-Agency Committee (IAC) to be composed of the representatives from the Member-Agencies of the PSPCC, is vital which shall aid both the PSA and PHLPost address all the concerns raised by the Council during the 4<sup>th</sup> PSPCC Meeting held on 08 November 2018, such as the Complete Details for the POC including the Timelines and the Terms of Reference (TOR), Proper Standards for the System Requirements for the POC and the Technical and Functional Specifications of all Key Processes like Registration Process, Card Issuance, Authentication and Monitoring;

**WHEREAS**, Consultants alongside the IAC, is likewise necessary to provide inputs, suggestions, and recommendations prior to the conduct of the POC;

**WHEREAS**, Consultants will be provided by both the World Bank (WB) and Asian Development Bank (ADB) in the form of Technical Assistance (TA) at no cost to PSA. The Consultants will specifically assist in the finalization of the Terms of Reference and the development of the Standards for the POC as well as for the Philippine Identification System;

**WHEREAS**, the Council, in its meeting on 08 November 2018, approved the Agency-to-Agency Engagement with the PHLPost to undertake the Proof of Concept;

**NOW THEREFORE**, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Council approves the Proof of Concept (POC) for the Enrolment of One Million Filipino citizens under an Agency-to-Agency Engagement, the creation of an Inter-Agency Committee, and the engagement of the services of Consultants from World Bank and Asian Development Bank at no cost to Philippine Statistics Authority.

Adopted this 13<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2018 at Pasig City.



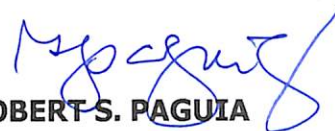
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National Statistician and Civil Registrar General  
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I hereby certify that this PSPCC Resolution No. 2, series of 2018 referring to the **"Approval of the Proof of Concept, Creation of an Inter-Agency Committee, and Engagement of Consultants in the Implementation Thereof"** was deliberated and approved during the 08 November 2018 PSPCC Meeting.



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