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**CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR  
NO. 153-2020**

To: The Assistant Commissioner  
All Deputy Commissioners  
All Directors and Division Chiefs  
All District/Port Collectors  
And Others Concerned

**SUBJECT: Extension of Periods under AO No. 23 s.2020**

Attached is a copy of Memorandum dated 02 June 2020 from Mr. Salvador C. Medialdea, Executive Secretary, Malacañan Palace, Manila entitled:

***"Extension of Periods of Submission under Sections 2 and 4 of Administrative Order (AO) No. 23 (S.2020)"***

For your information and guidance.

For record purposes, please confirm the dissemination of this circular throughout your offices within fifteen (15) days from receipt hereof.

  
**REY LEONARDO B. GUERRERO**

Commissioner  
JUN 16 2020



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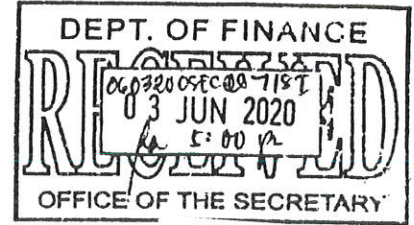
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MEMORANDUM FROM THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY



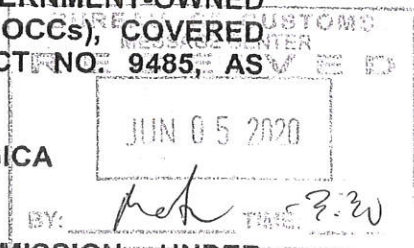
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FOR : HEADS OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS, AGENCIES AND INSTRUMENTALITIES, INCLUDING GOVERNMENT-OWNED OR -CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS (GOCCs), COVERED UNDER SECTION 3 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9485, AS AMENDED

CC : DIRECTOR GENERAL JEREMIAH B. BELGICA  
Anti-Red Tape Authority (ARTA)

SUBJECT : EXTENSION OF PERIODS OF SUBMISSION UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 4 OF ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER (AO) NO. 23 (S. 2020)

DATE : JUN 02 2020



Upon evaluation of the recommendation of the ARTA, in view of the continuing implementation of an Enhanced Community Quarantine (ECQ) and the imposition of a Modified ECQ from 16 to 31 May 2020 in the National Capital Region (NCR) and other high-risk geographical areas in the country due to the COVID-19 situation, please be informed that the periods of submission under AO No. 23 are hereby **EXTENDED** as follows:

- i. Compliance Reports of national government agencies, including GOCCs, required under Section 2 shall be submitted to the ARTA, copy furnished the Office of the President (OP), within 60 calendar days from 26 May 2020 or until 25 July 2020; and
- ii. The ARTA Report required under Section 4 shall be submitted to the OP, through the Office of the Executive Secretary, within six (6) months from the extended deadline of submission of the above Compliance Reports or until 25 January 2021.

For compliance.

By order of the President:

