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## GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTION NO. $0 \beta$ Series of 2019

WHEREAS, the National Labor Relations Commission (NLRC), an agency attached to the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE), is the primary quasijudicial office tasked to promote and maintain industrial peace by resolving labor and management disputes involving both local and overseas workers;

**WHEREAS**, the building currently occupied by the NLRC has been declared unsafe, for which reason its request for the construction of its own building for all its officials and employees at the Central Office and the NCR Regional Arbitration Branch had been approved by the Department of Budget and Management (DBM);

WHEREAS, the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA) owns a parcel of land located at North Avenue corner Agham Road, Quezon City (Quezon City property referred hereinafter) where the office of the Occupational Safety and Health Center (OSHC) is located;

WHEREAS, the NLRC requested the Chairman of the POEA Governing Board and concurrent Secretary of Labor and Employment, Secretary Silvestre H. Bello III, to allow the former to use a portion of the POEA property for the construction of its proposed office building;

**WHEREAS**, the proposed NLRC building can also house the various offices of the DOLE, POEA, and other attached agencies, free of rent;

NOW, THEREFORE, the POEA Governing Board, in a meeting duly convened, RESOLVES AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to grant POEA Administrator Bernard P. Olalia, the authority to negotiate with NLRC Chairman Gerardo C. Nograles regarding the NLRC's request for the construction of its building at POEA Quezon City property, subject to the existing laws and regulations.

For immediate compliance.

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this <u>30 th</u> day of July 2019.

Secretary of Labor and Employment and Chairperson of the POEA Governing Board

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