

**QUARTERLY PHYSICAL REPORT OF OPERATION
1ST QUARTER 2025**

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE & INDUSTRY
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY AUTHORITY OF THE PHILIPPINES

Particulars	UACS Code						Total	1Q	Variance	Remarks
		1Q	2Q	3Q	4Q					
1	2	3	4	5	6		7	11	26	27
Part B. Operations										
Competitiveness of the construction industry increased										
CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY REGULATORY PROGRAM										
Outcome Indicator (s)										
% increase in the number of contractors with Philippine Contractors Accreditation Board license			28%			28%		-		Annual Target (accomplishment to be determined by the end of the year)
Outcome Indicator (s)										
% of licensing/registration/ processed within the prescribed time: - Domestic New & Renewal - 20 days - Additional Classification - 20 days - Change of AMO - 20 days - Change of Business Name - 7 days - Change of Business Name and Status - 20 days - Upgrading - 20 days - SP Joint Venture - 7 days - SP Consortium - 20 days - SP Foreign - 20 days - ARCC - 20 days - Pakyaw - 7 days			100%			100%		100%		Domestic - 100% New: (834 out of 834) or 100% Renewal: (3149 out of 3149) or 100% Special: (1458 out of 1458) or 100% Amendments & Upgrading: (1337 out of 1337) or 100% ARCC: (4572 out of 4572) or 100% Pakyaw: (174 out of 174) or 100%
% of Overseas licensing / registration/project authorization processed within the prescribed time: - New - 15 days; 2 hours & 55 mins - Renewal - 15 days; 2 hours & 25 mins - Project authorization - 7 days & 50 minutes								100%		Overseas - 100% New: (0 out of 0) or 0% Renewal: (5 out of 5) or 100% Project Authorization: (0 out of 0) or 0%

% of PCAB contractors administrative cases acted upon within the prescribed time		100%	100%	100%		100% or (560 out of 560 cases) For drafting of BRs: 130 cases Awaiting pleadings: 125 cases For 1st hearing: 140 cases Resetting/2nd/3rd hearing: 78 cases For sending our summons: 87 cases NA
% of arbitration cases resolved within the prescribed time		100%	100%	100%		Resolved - 100% (31 out of 31) with total sum in dispute (SID) of PHP 4,463,806,860.64 Settled - 100% (1 out of 1) with total sum in dispute (SID) of PHP 18,608,353.56 Dismissed - 0% (0 out of 0) with total sum in dispute (SID) of PHP 0.00 <i>Note: All of the cases awarded are from the previous year's docket.</i>

CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM

Outcome Indicator (s)

% increase on CPES Utilization for each of the top 5 infrastructure implementing agencies (DPWH, DOTR, NIA, NHA and PPA)		10%	10%	-		Annual Target (accomplishment to be determined by the end of the year)
% increase in construction services export		20%	20%	-		Annual Target (accomplishment to be determined by the end of the year)
% rate of construction industry roadmap completed/ implemented		20% (ave)	20% (ave)	-		Annual Target (accomplishment to be determined by the end of the year)

INDUSTRY POLICY DEVELOPMENT

Output Indicator (s)

						<p>100% (industry-related issues/guidelines/policies reviewed/formulated/published/issued)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Conducted 1st Suitable Living Accommodation TWG Meeting with DOLE – Bureau of Working Conditions on 28 January 2025. •Recommended Factor/Condition to ACEL for consideration in the 27th Edition of the ACEL Guidebook. •Submitted inputs to GPPB re: draft IRR of RA 12009. •Conducted 6th Meeting of the CPES Guidelines Subcommittee. •Convened the Subcommittee on the Review of CPES Checklist to discuss the proposals from National Irrigation Administration (NIA) and Department of Agriculture (DA) on 30 January 2025. •On-going development of the draft amended syllabus on Law, Ethics, and Contracts for engineering and architecture programs to include discussions on CIAP Document 102 as the industry practice or "usage of customs". •Conducted 2nd and 3rd TWG Meeting on Suitable Living Accommodation in collaboration with DOLE – Bureau of Working Conditions (BWC) on 5 and 11 February 2025, respectively. •Concluded the deliberations on the wording of the CPES Implementing Guidelines – 6th Edition during the 7th Meeting of the CPES Guidelines Subcommittee on 18 February 2025. •Conducted 7th and 8th Meeting of the Subcommittee on the Review of CPES Checklist on 17 and 28 February 2025, respectively. •Organized and convened the 3rd General Meeting of the Committee on CIAP Document 102 –
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% of critical industry issues & concerns addressed		100%	100%	100%	<p>26 February 2025 via Zoom</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Conducted 1st Public Consultation on Suitable Living Accommodation in collaboration with DOLE – Bureau of Working Conditions (BWC) on 10 March 2025. •Conducted 9th Subcommittee Meeting on the Review of CPES Checklist on 17 March 2025. <p>1st CIAP Regular Board Meeting, series of 2025 held on 27 January 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Approval of the Amendments to the Provisions of the Implementing Rules and Regulations of R.A. 4566 (The Contractor's License Law) and Subsequent Endorsement to the Office of the President of the Philippines •Delegation Of Authority to the Acting CIAP Executive Director for the Procurement of Interior Design Services for the Napolcom Building •Approval of the Internal Guidelines on Legislative Work Process of CIAP •Approval of the Mental Health Care and Promotion Policy of CIAP <p>2nd CIAP Regular Board Meeting, series of 2024 held on 21 February 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Approving the Proposed Revisions to the Joint Memorandum Circular (JMC) No. 1, Series of 2023 on the Utilization of Retained Funds of CIAP-PCAB and Endorsing the Same to the Department of Budget Management (DBM) Secretary, Amenah F. Pangandaman <p>3rd CIAP Regular Board Meeting, series of 2024 held on 21 March 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Approving the Re-Appointment of Engr. Antonio A. Abola as Member of the Construction Industry Arbitration Commission (CIAC)
Number of promotional activities conducted		50	50	25	<p>Domestic and Overseas Promotional Activities</p> <p>(11 out of 11)</p> <p>1.Hosted the JAO No. 01, Series of 2022 – IACTF Orientation on RA 4566/11711 on 22 January 2025.</p> <p>2Exploratory Meeting and Orientation Briefing for the Proposed Collaboration with the Philippine Architecture Schools Association (PHILASA) on the Incorporation of CIAP Document 102 in the Engineering/Architecture Syllabus – 12 February 2025 via Zoom</p> <p>3Conducted an online meeting with the Aklan State University (ASU) to discuss the proposed collaboration for the incorporation of CIAP Document 102 in the engineering/architecture syllabus – 13 February 2025</p> <p>4Initial meeting with Blue Hat Inc. for the collaboration on the conduct of the Know Your Contracts Information Session – 20 February 2025 via Zoom</p>

Domestic				11	<p>5CPES briefing for the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH) on 25 February 2025</p> <p>6Preparatory Meeting with Blue Hat, Inc. on 19 March 2025 for the collaboration on the conduct of the 2025 CPES Trainer Certification Program.</p> <p>7Conducted meetings with the Association of Accredited CPES Evaluators of the Philippines (AACEP), Inc. on 5 and 25 March 2025, to discuss the preparations, agenda, and collaborative efforts with PDCB for the 7th National Convention of Accredited CPES Evaluators of the Philippines.</p> <p>8Ceremonial Signing of the Memorandum of Understanding between Philippines Architecture Schools Association Inc. (PHILASA) and Alignment Meeting held on 20 March 2025 at the CIAP Main Office.</p> <p>9Exploratory Meeting and Orientation Briefing for the Proposed Collaboration with the University of the East (UE) – March 2025; Polytechnic University of the Philippines (PUP) – 24 March 2025; and the Philippine Association of Engineering Schools (PAES) – 28 March 2025 via Zoom</p> <p>10Preparatory Meeting with the CIAP Document 102 Trainers/Lecturers for the Training Course on Understanding Construction Contracts and CIAP Document 102 – 31 March 2025 via Zoom.</p> <p>11Preparatory meeting with Blue Hat Inc. for the collaboration on the conduct of the Know Your Contracts Information Session – 31 March 2025 via Zoom</p>
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Overseas				14	<p>(14 out of 14)</p> <p>12nd POGB General Membership Meeting (GMM) and the Architectural, Engineering Services Outsourcing (AESO) Profiling and Industry Mapping on 18 March 2025.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Prepared Terms of Reference for the event. <p>217th Reverse Buyer-Seller Meet (RBSM) at the 6th Edition of ELECRAMA 2025.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •On-going coordination for with delegates from SPECS, PHILRECA, and Davao Light and Aboitiz Power. <p>3Primers on Doing Business for the PH Construction and Engineering Sector</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Memo request for the Primers were sent to DTI PTICs in Australia, Israel, KSA, Lao PDR, Qatar, Singapore, Syria, and the UAE. <p>42nd PH Construction Business Mission to Australia at the Sidelines of Sydney Build 2025 in May</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •On-going preparation of marketing / delegate campaign materials. <p>5Partnership Opportunity with a Qatari District Cooling Company.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Submitted to the Qatari District Cooling company through PTIC Riyadh a shortlist of Quad A and Triple A Category Philippine contractors with expertise in Mechanical, Electrical, and Plumbing (MEP) and HVAC expertise. <p>642nd China (Foshan) International Ceramic and Bathroom Fair.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Disseminated invitation to POGB stakeholders to participate in the said event.
					<p>7Preparatory meeting for the signing of the of the MOU. The MOU aims at formalizing and strengthening the partnership between the POGB and DMW to support and protect the Filipino Construction Workers and Professionals, streamline the regulatory processes, and promote global competitiveness.</p> <p>8Preparatory meeting for the signing of the Tripartite MOU with the United Architects of the Philippines (UAP) and the Professional Regulatory Board of Architects (PRBarch). The MOU aims at formalizing and strengthening a collaborative tripartite partnership among POGB, the PRBarch, and the UAP to enhance the competitiveness and global presence of Filipino architectural outsourcing services. It aims at supporting and protecting Filipino professionals in the construction industry and promoting and developing the global competitiveness of Filipino Professionals in the construction industry.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •MOU was approved by POGB and UAP and has been forwarded to PRBarch for comments/approval. <p>9Alignment meeting for the signing of MOU with Russia Builders Union (RBU). The MOU aims at formalizing the partnership between POGB and RBU to promote trade and investment growth in construction, architecture, and engineering (CAE). The collaboration aims to expand markets, create new business opportunities and strengthen global stakeholders' networks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •The MOU has been approved by POGB and RBU and preparations are in progress for its signing in 2025. <p>10.PH-Cambodia Business Forum 2025 and Networking Breakfast with Cambodia's Prime</p>

					<p>Minister Hun Manet and his Cambodian delegation on 10 February 2025 at Shangri-la Manila Hotel.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Collaborated with PTIC Ho Chi Minh with jurisdiction on Cambodia •Commercial Attaché Enrico Mariano on the participation of POCB •Registered companies to a networking breakfast and the PH-Cambodia •Business Forum 2025 with Cambodia's Prime Minister Hun Manet and the Cambodian delegation, as organized by the Philippine Chamber of Commerce and Industry (PCCI). •POCB disseminated the invitation to POCB registered companies and the PCA to be cascaded to its members. Two (2) POCB-registered companies, EEI Corporation and R.D. Interior Junior Construction along with PCA Members J.E. Manalo, Inc. and Megawide Construction Corp. participated in the PH-Cambodia Business Forum 2025. <p>12nd PH Construction Business Mission to Australia at the sidelines of Sydney Build 2025 in May 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Launched the Save the Date campaign and Pre-Mission survey for the 2nd PH Construction Business Mission to Australia at the sidelines of Sydney Build 2025 sent to target participants and partners among POCB registered contractors and construction, architecture, and engineering organizations and firms to assess their interest and help. A total of 60 Philippine companies were invited to participate as respondents in the survey. •10 PH CAE (construction, architecture, and engineering) companies expressed interest in joining the Mission. A preliminary meeting with •Aguila Group Companies was organized to get to know more about the companies, its operations and services in the Philippines and their plans in Australia. •Coordination with PTIC Sydney has begun for preparatory activities and preliminary meetings with prospective Australian partners, including the Australian Construction Industry Forum (ACIF) and the Australian Industry Group (AIG). •Secured a complimentary PH booth and three (3) speaking/pitching slots for POCB and PH delegation at the Sydney Build 2025 expo, Australia's largest construction and design show <p>12nd Philippine Construction Business Mission to Australia at the sidelines of Sydney Build 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Number of Confirmed Business Delegates: 15 companies and organizations on construction, architecture, and engineering (CAE) services. <p>13Proposed Program includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •PH Booth in Sydney Build 2025 •Proposed Memorandum of Understanding with ACIF and AIG •Networking Activity with the Export Council of Australia (ECA) •Three Pitching/Speaking Opportunities / Country and Industry <p>14Presentations in Sydney Build:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Do Business with the World - Explore Alternative Markets & Partners (May 7) •Building Together: Unlocking Innovation through International Collaboration (May 8) •Building Beyond Borders: The Philippines - Your Preferred Global Partner in Construction, Architecture, and Engineering (CAE) (May 8)
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Amount of construction services exports generated		\$ 89 Million	\$ 89 Million	-		Cummulative Figure (annual accomplishment to be computed by the end of the year)
Number of advocacy, capacity building & stakeholder engagement activities with strategic partners		50	50	20		
Domestic				10		<p>(10 out of 10)</p> <p>1.Initial meeting with the Philippine Information Agency for PODCB's 2025 Publicity Campaign.</p> <p>2Initial meeting with Blue Hat Inc. for the development of information session modules for;</p> <p>3CIAP Document 102 and potential partnership for the 3.) CPES Trainer Certification Training (TCP)</p> <p>4Organized and convened the Technical Working Group (TWG) to discuss the proposed guidelines and standard design and specifications for temporary welfare facilities for construction workers - 5 and 11 February 2025</p> <p>5.Acted as resource persons during the orientation on Constructors' Performance Evaluation System (CPES) at the Department of Science and Technology's (DOST) on 8 February 2025.</p> <p>6.CPES Accreditation Training for National Irrigation Administration – Upper Pampanga Integrated Irrigation Systems (NIA-UPRIIS) on 19-21 February 2025</p> <p>CPES briefing for the following on 24 March 2025:</p> <p>7Commission on Audit (COA); and</p> <p>8Polytechnic University of the Philippines (PUP).</p> <p>CPES Accreditation Training for the following:</p>

					<p>9University of Southeastern Philippines (USEP); and</p> <p>10National Food Authority of the Philippines (NFA).</p>
Overseas				10	<p>(10 out of 10)</p> <p>1Introductory Meeting of POCB with Modulex & New Evolution Dubai for potential business partnership with PH contractors and government organizations including Board of Investments (BOI).</p> <p>2Meeting No. 1 on 10 January 2025 of the Philippine Working Group on Services (PH-WGS) in preparation for the ASEAN-Canada FTA negotiations on 13 January 2025.</p> <p>3Meeting on 22-24 January 2025 of the Technical Working Group on Trade in Services (TWG-TIS) for the Philippine-European Union Free Trade Agreement (PH-EU FTA). POCB submitted on 31 January 2025 its inputs / comments on the Constitutional Limitations under the Construction and Related Engineering Services Sector which will affect the implementation of the PH-EU FTA.</p> <p>4Philippine Construction Industry Roadmap 2020-2030 update in the Action plan on Construction Export Services Outsourcing submitted on 23 January 2025.</p> <p>52nd POCB General Membership Meeting (GMM) and the Architectural, Engineering Services Outsourcing (AESO) Sectoral Mapping and Scanning on 18 March 2025.</p> <p>617th Reverse Buyer-Seller Meet (RBSM) at the 6th Edition of ELECRAMA 2025</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •POCB delegates joined B2B meetings with over 25 Indian companies from the electrical sector. •Aboitiz Power and PHILRECA held initial talks with Indian suppliers for substation and transmission line equipment. IEEMA. •Alignment meeting with Commercial Counselor Eugenio Elevado, Jr. of the PTIC - New Delhi which discussed arranging a meeting between DOTr and DOF on G2G financing arrangement on PH infrastructure projects between PH DOF and India Exim Bank. •PODCB Executive Director Doris Gacho participated in ELECRAMA 2025's •Women in Power Conclave, joining women government executives, industry captains, and thought leaders from India and various parts of the globe. <p>7Philippine-European Union Free Trade Agreement (PH-EU FTA) 2nd Round of Negotiations on 10-14 February 2024 at Sheraton Manila Hotel. Participated virtually on the 2nd and 4th days of negotiations on 11 and 13 February 2025.</p> <p>8.Philippine Council for Regional Cooperation – Committee for the ASEAN Economic Community (PCRC-CAEC) on 17 February 2025. Participated virtually in the 29th Meeting of the PCRC-CAEC which discussed the priority economic deliverables of Malaysia as the ASEAN host country for 2025</p> <p>9.PRC Initiated Stakeholders' Consultation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Participated in the consultation which discussed on PRC's areas of concern and engagement

					<p>in the PH-EU FTA negotiations specifically on the recognition, national treatment and mobility for PH professionals and workers in EU. (21 March 2025)</p> <p>10World Bank Workshop on Navigating Trade Agreements: Insights and Strategies for the PH, particularly the Module on Services</p> <p>•Participated in the Workshop Module on Cross Border Trade in Services (25 March 2025)</p>
Number of Training/ Certification programs conducted		161 runs	161 runs	34	<p>Programs Implemented</p> <p>Managerial & Supervisory Programs - 3</p> <p>Safety Programs - 9</p> <p>Assessment and Certification Programs - 18</p> <p>Industry-Supported Programs - 3</p> <p>Technology Programs - 1</p> <p>Academe Linkage Programs - 0</p> <p>Trained/Certified Individuals</p> <p>Managerial & Supervisory Programs - 189</p> <p>Safety Programs - 221</p> <p>Assessment and Certification Programs - 1122</p> <p>Industry-Supported Programs - 163</p> <p>Technology Programs - 44</p> <p>Academe Linkage Program - 0</p>

Legend:

** Runs - refers to the implementation of a Training or Certification program.

Training program – a human resource development (HRD) intervention or activity that aims to equip an individual with a particular competency, i.e.,

Certification - a human resource development (HRD) intervention or activity that aims to establish and ensure that an individual is capable of

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