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DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION AND  
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**LEOPOLDO J. VEGA**  
Medical Center Chief II  
Southern Philippines Medical Center  
Davao City

Dear **Dr. Vega**:

Greetings from the DICT!

This has reference to the letter from your good office received by the DICT dated 05 March 2019 requesting DICT to provide connectivity to Southern Philippines Medical Center (SPMC) in Davao City for a TeleMedicine Project.

In consideration of the provisions set forth in the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between SPMC and Tier1 Communications, based on Section C, Item 1, the delivery of broadband services to every hospital regardless of location shall be provided by the latter at their own cost.

With the foregoing, the Department requests to be apprised of the proposed utility of the requested additional 250 Mbps connectivity. As part of the Government Network (GovNet) project of the DICT, each of the identified agencies in Davao City including SPMC shall only be allocated 25 Mbps for the time being, subject to upgrading based on prevailing network utilization.

It may be observed that there is excess bandwidth until the completion of the GovNet Fiber Optic Cable (FOC) layout. In addition, while the FOC component is yet to be delivered, backhaul equipment such as IP Radios shall be on the account of the requisitioning party while DICT provides bandwidth capacity.

Attached herewith is a copy of the draft Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) as a requirement for collocation of said equipment.

For correspondence, you may reach the undersigned at alan.silor@dict.gov.ph or at 920 0101 loc 1801. Thank you.

Sincerely yours,

**ALAN A. SILOR**  
Assistant Secretary

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