



## NATIONAL ICT ECOSYSTEM FRAMEWORK

### PROJECT PROFILE

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<b>Project Profile of</b>	Integrated Business Permits and Licensing System (iBPLS)

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<b>Partners (if any)</b>	Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), and Department of Trade and Industry (DTI), Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP), Landbank of the Philippines (LBP), I-Pay MyEG Philippines Inc.
<b>Beneficiaries</b>	LGUs, business/ establishment owners/ applicants

**Framework Elements Addressed** (place an “X” mark for the key framework element impacted by this project. Only one element can be assigned a score of “3”. An “X” mark under “2” or “1” indicates that there is some impact on this element, but to a lesser degree.)

FRAMEWORK ELEMENTS	1	2	3
Human Capital: Talents and Skills		X	
Accessibility and Affordability of Devices	X		
Platforms, Apps, Content, and Data			X
Infostructure/Infrastructure		X	
Standards, Regulation, and Policies		X	

**Strategic Trends/Enablers** (place an “X” mark beside the strategic trends/enablers below which have a major effect on this project; choose at least 1 and at most 5.)

Fourth Industrial Revolution	
Artificial Intelligence	
Big Data	
Cloud Computing	
Internet of Things	X
Blockchain	
5G Networks	
Smart Cities	X
Intelligent Transport	
Fintech	
Health Informatics	
Cyber Resilience	
Future Skills	
Capacity Building	

**Alignment with DICT Strategic Thrusts** (Addressed (place an “X” mark under “3” for strategic thrust most closely aligned with this project. Only one strategic thrust can be assigned a score of “3”. An “X” mark under “2” or “1” indicates that there is some alignment, but to a lesser degree.)

STRATEGIC THRUST	1	2	3
Participatory e-Governance			X
Industry and Countryside Development		X	
Resource-Sharing and Capacity Building Through ICT	X		
Improved Pubic Links and Connectivity	X		
ICT User Protection and Information Security	X		
Enabling and Sustainable ICT Environment	X		

<b>Accomplishments</b>	<p>In 2017, the project was able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Officially launch the eBPLS Cloud on 18 July 2017;</li> <li>• Assisted 113 LGUs in the computerization of their Business Permitting System;</li> <li>• 29 LGUs together with DICT launched the DICT eBPLS;</li> <li>• Conduct of 28 batches of User’s Training;</li> <li>• Organize a pool of BPLS Coaches composed of 155 coaches from DICT, DILG, BFP, ICT Councils, and SUCs;</li> <li>• Train 157 LGUs on how to computerize their Business Permitting process using DICT’s cloud-based eBPLS software; and</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Conduct of the 1<sup>st</sup> eBPLS Summit on July 18, 2017.</li> </ul> <p>In 2018, the following are some of its major accomplishments:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• System deployment to 61 LGUs;</li> <li>• Developed a prototype of module for the online application of building permit;</li> <li>• Conducted 18 batches of users training; 176 LGUS trained on using the system;</li> <li>• Integrated the online/electronic payment facility to four (4) LGUs (Baler Aurora, Taal Batangas, Paete Laguna, and Ilagan Isabela);</li> <li>• Official system launching of 10 LGUs; and</li> <li>• Organized 18 BPLS Roadshows nationwide.</li> </ul> <p>In 2019, the following milestones were achieved:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• New MOAs signed with LGUs who signified their intent to avail of DICT's eBPLS, now with a total of 60 existing MOAs</li> <li>• Conduct of the online eReadiness Survey with 769 LGUs as respondents;</li> <li>• Official system launching of 19 LGUs;</li> <li>• Conducted 15 on-premise trainings to 15 LGUs;</li> <li>• Organized 3 eBPLS Roadshows nationwide; and</li> <li>• Carried out project presentations/briefings to 28 LGUs</li> </ul>
<b>Expected Outcomes</b>	<p>The iBPLS Project aims to integrate the other frontline services/systems of the LGUs which are related to the issuance of business permits and licenses, to wit: processing of building permits, processing of occupancy permits, issuance of barangay clearance, and processing of sanitary permits.</p> <p>iBPLS aspires to achieve the following objectives:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 24/7 availability of the LGUs with respect to the acceptance of online applications for issuance of business permits;</li> <li>• Compliance to the EODB – EGSD Law with respect to the following provisions of the law: (1) zero contact policy; and (2) computerization of the business permitting process within 3 years;</li> <li>• Transparency in the operations of LGUs;</li> <li>• Reduced processing time – permits can be issued within 30 minutes;</li> <li>• Increased revenue collection by the LGUs; and</li> <li>• 24/7 access to frontline services of the LGUs and minimized face to face transactions thus resulting to the implementation of zero contract policy.</li> </ul>
<b>Timeframe</b>	January 1, 2019 to December 31, 2019
<b>Budget (Actual/Forecast)</b>	Php 54, 775,000 (for the year 2020)