

I.3. SMALL BUSINESS CORPORATION

For subsidy requirements in accordance with the program, as indicated hereunder P 1,000,000,000

New Appropriations, by Programs/Projects

	Current Operating Expenditures			
	Personnel Services	Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses	Capital Outlays	
A. REGULAR PROGRAMS				
Operations	P	1,000,000,000		P <u>1,000,000,000</u>
PONDO SA PAGBABAGO AT PAG-ASENSO PROGRAM		1,000,000,000		1,000,000,000
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS	P	1,000,000,000		P <u>1,000,000,000</u>

Special Provision(s)

1. **Pondo sa Pagbabago at Pag-Asenso.** The amount of One Billion Pesos (P1,000,000,000) appropriated herein as subsidy to the Small Business Corporation (SBC) shall be used for the implementation of the Pondo sa Pagbabago at Pag-Asenso Program, which is a microfinancing program for Micro, Small and Medium Scale Enterprises (MSMEs). The amount shall be set-up as a separate fund and the transactions thereon shall be recorded and maintained in a separate book by the SBC.

The Secretary of Trade and Industry shall approve the program mechanics and components including the selection criteria for beneficiaries and such other factors in the implementation of the program, which shall be in accordance with R.A. No. 6977, as amended. The DTI shall prioritize the provinces where the absolute number of indigents and the incidence of poverty are high as identified in the latest official poverty statistics of the PSA, MSMEs of indigenous people, and sustainable rural livelihood.

2. **Special Provisions Applicable to All Government Corporations.** In addition to the foregoing special provision, the special provisions applicable to all government corporations enumerated under the Budgetary Support to Government Corporations-Others shall be observed by the SBC.

New Appropriations, by Programs/Activities/Projects

	Current Operating Expenditures			
	Personnel Services	Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses	Capital Outlays	
REGULAR PROGRAMS				
Operations				

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT, FY 2026

PONDO SA PAGBABAGO AT PAG-ASENSO PROGRAM	P	<u>1,000,000,000</u>	P	<u>1,000,000,000</u>
Sub-total, Operations		<u>1,000,000,000</u>		<u>1,000,000,000</u>
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS	P	<u><u>1,000,000,000</u></u>	P	<u><u>1,000,000,000</u></u>
 <u>New Appropriations, by Object of Expenditures</u> (In Thousand Pesos)				
Current Operating Expenditures				
Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses				
Financial Assistance/Subsidy				<u>1,000,000</u>
Total Maintenance and Other Operating Expenses				<u>1,000,000</u>
Total Current Operating Expenditures				<u>1,000,000</u>
TOTAL NEW APPROPRIATIONS				<u><u>1,000,000</u></u>