



MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 985

DECLARING FRIDAY, 31 JULY 2020, A REGULAR HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY, IN OBSERVANCE OF *EID'L ADHA* (FEAST OF SACRIFICE)

**WHEREAS**, *Eid'l Adha* or Feast of Sacrifice is one of the two greatest feasts of Islam;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9849 provides that *Eid'l Adha* shall be observed as a regular holiday;

**WHEREAS**, the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos has recommended that 31 July 2020, Friday, be declared a national holiday, in observance of *Eid'l Adha*; and

**WHEREAS**, the observance of *Eid'l Adha* shall be subject to existing community quarantine and social distancing measures;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare Friday, 31 July 2020, a regular holiday throughout the country, in observance of *Eid'l Adha*.

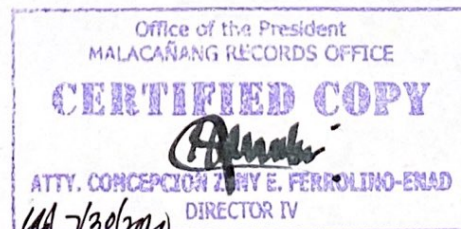
**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.

By the President:



SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA  
Executive Secretary



THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES