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RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT
OF THE PHILIPPINES
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2

REVOKING UNNUMBERED EXECUTIVE ORDER,
DATED FEBRUARY 13, 1959, ENTITLED, "DESIG-
NATING THE RPS *LAPU-LAPU* AS THE FLAG-
SHIP OF THE PHILIPPINE NAVY," AND ORDER-
ING THE SALE OF SAID VESSEL AT PUBLIC
AUCTION

WHEREAS, in an unnumbered Executive Order, dated February 13, 1959, the RPS *LAPU-LAPU* was designated as the flagship of the Philippine Navy;

WHEREAS, the acquisition of the said vessel is not in consonance with the spirit and objectives of the Law on Reparations;

WHEREAS, retention of the said vessel is against the economic interest of the government and against the spirit of simple living;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Diosdado Macapagal, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the Philippines, do hereby revoke the aforesaid unnumbered Executive Order, dated February 13, 1959, and order the sale of the RPS *LAPU-LAPU* at public auction under the supervision of the General Auditing Office pursuant to the provisions of section 640 of the Revised Administrative Code.

The General Auditing Office is hereby authorized to call upon any department, bureau, office, agency, or instrumentality of the Government, including government-owned or controlled corporations, for such assistance or information as it may need in the sale of the RPS *LAPU-LAPU*.

Done in the City of Manila, this 31st day of December,
in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-one,
and of the Independence of the Philippines, the sixteenth.

DIOSDADO MACAPAGAL

President of the Philippines

By the President:

AMELITO R. MUTUC

Executive Secretary
