## BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

## MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 13

AMENDING MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 3 DATED 31 JULY 1998 TO RE-SET THE DEADLINE COMPLIANCE OF ALL GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS. AGENCIES. **GOVERNMENT-OWNED** AND/OR CONTROLLED CORPORATIONS, STATE COLLEGES UNIVERSITIES, AND OTHER INSTRUMENTALITIES TO MAKE ALL THEIR COMPUTER-BASED INFORMATION SYSTEMS YEAR 2000 (Y2K) COMPLIANT

WHEREAS, the Office of the President issued Memorandum Circular No. 3 on 31 July 1998 Directing all Government Departments, Agencies, Government—owned and/or Controlled Corporations, State Colleges and Universities, and Other Instrumentalities to Make All their Computer-Based Information Systems Year 2000 Compliant;

**WHEREAS**, the deadline for compliance prescribed in said Memorandum Circular was on or before 21 December 1998;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the President also issued Executive Order No. 14 on 19 August 1998 Establishing the Presidential Commission on Year 2000 Compliance;

**WHEREAS**, the deadline prescribed in said Executive Order for the Commission to complete the task of making computer-based systems of all government institutions Year 2000 compliant is by September 30, 1999;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to synchronize the deadlines under said issuances for consistency and to allow maximum compliance by all offices concerned;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

Section 1. The new deadline prescribed for all government departments, agencies, government-owned and/or controlled corporations, state colleges and universities, and other government instrumentalities to make all their computer-based



information systems Y2K compliant is <u>on or before 30 September 1999</u>. Section 1 of Memorandum Circular No. 3 is hereby amended accordingly.

Section 2. This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately.

**DONE** in the City of Manila this day of September, in the year of Our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Ninety Eight.

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By the President:

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RONALDO B. ZAMORA Executive Secretary

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