

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

MEMORANDUM ORDER NO. 369

**CREATING SPORTS CLUSTERS AND DESIGNATING CLUSTER MANAGERS
TO MOBILIZE AND OPTIMIZE PRIVATE SECTOR INVOLVEMENT IN
THE DEVELOPMENT OF PHILIPPINE SPORTS**

WHEREAS, Article XIV, Section 19 (1), of the Constitution mandates the State to promote physical education and encourage sports programs, league competitions and amateur sports, including training for international competitions, to foster self-discipline, teamwork and excellence for the development of a healthy and alert citizenry;

WHEREAS, the task of national sports development is best pursued with the active participation and involvement of the private sector, in coordination with the Government;

WHEREAS, creating sports and special sports concerns clusters, each championed by a cluster manager, is an effective and focused approach to optimize efforts to mobilize the private sector and allocate resources for the development of Philippine sports;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FIDEL V. RAMOS, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

Section 1. - There is hereby constituted, as priority sports and special sports concerns, sports clusters headed by cluster managers composed of heads of government agencies/departments, as follows:

SPORTS CLUSTER

CLUSTER MANAGERS

A. SPEED AND DISTANCE SPORTS

Secretary Francisco L. Viray

Department of Energy

1. Athletics
2. Swimming
3. Cycling
4. Rowing
5. Triathlon
6. Boardsailing
7. Yachting
8. Traditional Boat Race

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B. TEAM SPORTS

1. Softball
2. Basketball
3. Volleyball
4. Football
5. Baseball
6. Little League
7. Sepak Takraw
8. Water Polo

Governor Gabriel C. Singson

Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas

- and -

Secretary Carmencita N. Reodica

Department of Health

C. COMBATIVE SPORTS

1. Taekwondo
2. Boxing
3. Karate-do
4. Judo
5. Wushu
6. Arnis
7. Wrestling
8. Silat Ohlaraga
9. Muay Thai

Secretary Roberto F. de Ocampo

Department of Finance

- and -

Secretary Robert Z. Barbers

Department of Interior & Local Government

D. TARGET SPORTS

1. Billiards and Snooker
2. Bowling (Tenpin)
3. Bowling (Duckpin)
4. Shooting
5. Golf
6. Fencing
7. Archery
8. Darts

Secretary Gregorio R. Vigilar

Department of Public Works & Highways

E. FORM AND POWER SPORTS

1. Powerlifting
2. Gymnastics
3. Weightlifting
4. Diving
5. Equestrian
6. Aerobics
7. Bodybuilding

Secretary Amado S. Lagdameo, Jr.

Department of Transportation and
Communications

F. RACQUET SPORTS

1. Lawn Tennis
2. Badminton
3. Table Tennis
4. Squash
5. Soft Tennis

Secretary Renato S. de Villa
Department of National Defense

G. RECREATIONAL SPORTS

1. Chess
2. Bridge
3. Scrabble

Secretary Miua T. Gabor
Department of Tourism

H. SPECIAL CONCERNS

1. Philippine National Games
2. Level Playing Fields
3. National Youth Sports Talent Reserve (NYSTR)

Secretary Rizalino S. Navarro
Department of Trade and Industry

- and -

Secretary Robert Z. Barbers
Department of Interior & Local Government

Sec. 2. - The cluster managers shall serve as champions for the cause of their respective sports and related concerns, particularly in the mobilization of financial and other resources to support the development of the sports/activities in their respective clusters for 1996 and the medium term. In the performance of their tasks, the cluster managers shall coordinate with the Philippine Sports Commission in determining their clusters' resource requirements and priority sports and programs.

Sec. 3. - This Memorandum Order shall take effect immediately.

DONE in the City of Manila, this *14th* day of *May*, in the year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Six.

By the President:


RUBEN D. TORRES
Executive Secretary



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