

**MALACAÑANG  
MANILA**

**BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES**

**MEMORANDUM ORDER NO. 188**

**EXPRESSING CONCURRENCE IN THE DEPUTIZATION OF LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE SEPTEMBER 10, 2005 PLEBISCITE IN BARANGAYS LUMBAC-DIMARAO AND PINDOLONAN, MUNICIPALITY OF MAGUING, LANAOS DEL SUR**

Pursuant to Article IX ©, Section 2(4) of the 1987 Constitution, **I, GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO**, President of the Philippines, do hereby concur with Resolution No. 7591 dated 23 August 2005 of the Commission on Elections (COMELEC), deputizing for the exclusive purpose of ensuring free, orderly, honest, peaceful and credible conduct of the September 10, 2005 plebiscite for the ratification of the creation of Barangays Lumbac-Dimarao and Dipolonan, Municipality of Maguing, Lanao del Sur, the Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP), the Philippine National Police (PNP) and the National Police Commission (NAPOLCOM).

Local officials and employees, law enforcement agencies and other instrumentalities of Government, including the AFP, PNP and the NAPOLCOM, are hereby directed to coordinate and cooperate with the COMELEC in the performance of their duties and functions.

This Memorandum Order shall take effect immediately.

**DONE** IN THE City of Manila, this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Five.



By the President:



**EDUARDO R. ERMITA**  
Executive Secretary

