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RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

Proclamation No. 323

ENJOINING THE HOLDING OF A CORN PRODUC-TION CONTEST DURING THE PERIOD FROM JULY 1, 1956, TO JUNE 30, 1957

WHEREAS, in order to encourage the production of corn which is one of the principal staples in the Philippines, and thereby bring about a more abundant supply of food, increase our source of animal food for greater livestock production, and foster the growth of industry with corn as the basic material;

Now, THEREFORE, I, Ramon Magsaysay, President of the Philippines, do hereby enjoin the National Corn Production Contest Committee created under Department Special Order No. 665-1 of the Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources, to undertake the holding of a corn production contest during the period from July 1, 1956 to June 30, 1957, and urge all government officials and employees to lend full support to this project in the interest of our national well-being by sponsoring one farmer at least to participate in the contest, and call upon all provincial, city, municipal, and barrio officials, especially the barrio lieutenants and school teachers to cooperate actively with the personnel of the Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources in pushing this project to a successful ending on June 30, 1957.

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 1st day of August, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-six, and of the Independence of the Philippines, the eleventh.

[SEAL] RAMON MAGSAYSAY
President of the Philippines

By the President:

FORTUNATO DE LEON

Executive Secretary