

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 287

DECLARING NOVEMBER 5, 1993 AS A NON-WORKING DAY OF MOURNING
IN ORMOC CITY TO COMMEMORATE THE DEATH ANNIVERSARY OF
THOSE WHO PERISHED AS A RESULT OF THE DESTRUCTION WROUGHT
BY TYPHOON URING

WHEREAS, Ormoc City will be commemorating on November 5, 1993 the
second death anniversary of those who perished as a result of the destruc-
tion wrought by Typhoon Uring on November 5, 1991;

WHEREAS, in his letter dated 29 October 1993, City Mayor Eufrocino
M. Codilla of Ormoc City has requested for the issuance of Presidential
Proclamation declaring November 5, 1993 as a special non-working day
of mourning in Ormoc City;

WHEREAS, it is but proper that the people of Ormoc City be given
the opportunity to commemorate this tragic day with solemn ceremonies.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FIDEL V. RAMOS, President of the Republic
of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested upon me by law, do
hereby proclaim November 5, 1993 as a non-working day of mourning in
Ormoc City. Furthermore, let this day be a reminder that this tragic
event would not have happened if our forest have been accorded due pro-
tection.

DONE in the City of Manila, this ^{4th} day of November, in the year of
Our Lord, nineteen hundred and ninety three.



By the President:



TEOFISTO T. TINOGONA, JR.
Executive Secretary


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