

MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1220

**DECLARING THURSDAY, 18 FEBRUARY 2016, AS A SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAY IN THE CITY OF BAYAWAN, NEGROS ORIENTAL**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Bayawan will be celebrating the Tawo-Tawo Festival Week on the second week of February;

**WHEREAS**, the Tawo-Tawo Festival reflects the culture of the City of Bayawan being a rice granary of the southern part of the Province of Negros Oriental;

**WHEREAS**, to enable the people of the City of Bayawan to celebrate and participate in the occasion, the Sangguniang Panlungsod requested that 18 February 2016 be declared as a special non-working day, in celebration of the Tawo-Tawo Festival.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAQUITO N. OCHOA, JR.**, Executive Secretary, by authority of His Excellency, **BENIGNO S. AQUINO III**, do hereby declare Thursday, 18 February 2016, as a special (non-working) day in the City of Bayawan.

**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 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

By authority of the President:

  
**PAQUITO N. OCHOA, JR.**  
Executive Secretary

**CERTIFIED COPY:**

  
**MARIANITO M. DIMAANDAL**  
DIRECTOR IV  
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