

## MALACAÑAN PALACE MANILA

## PROCLAMATION NO. 1142

DECLARING THURSDAY, 13 MAY 2021, A REGULAR HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY IN OBSERVANCE OF EID'L FITR (FEAST OF RAMADHAN)

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 9177 declared *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan) as a regular holiday throughout the country:

WHEREAS, Eid'l Fitr is celebrated by the Muslim world for three (3) days after the end of the month of fasting;

WHEREAS, the entire Filipino nation should have the full opportunity to join their Muslim brothers and sisters in peace and harmony in the observance and celebration of *Eid'l Fitr*, subject to community quarantine, social distancing, and other public health measures;

WHEREAS, the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos has recommended to declare Thursday, 13 May 2021, a national holiday in observance of *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan); and

WHEREAS, in order to bring the religious and cultural significance of the *Eid!* Fitr to the fore of national consciousness, it is necessary to declare Thursday, 13' May 2021, a regular holiday throughout the country;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare Thursday, 13 May 2021, a regular holiday throughout the country in observance of *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan).

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  $10 \, \mathrm{th}$  day of May , in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty One.

By the President: '.

SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA Executive Secretary

THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES



