

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

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

WHEREAS, Eid'ul 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 full opportunity to join their Muslim brothers and sisters in peace and harmony in the observance and celebration of Eid'ul Fitr, subject to community quarantine, social distancing, and other public health measures;

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

WHEREAS, in order to bring the religious and cultural significance of the Eid'ul 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 Republic 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'ul 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 10th day of May, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty One.

(SGD.) RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE

By the President:

(SGD.) SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA

Executive Secretary

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