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Educational Development Projects Implementing
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Ministry of the Budget

- The EDPITAF, through the Textbook Board Secretariat, is allowed to import newsprint, through international bidding, for the benefit of the book publishers for the printing of educational materials, including those for use as basic school pads and notebooks, on a tax and duty-free basis.

- The Budget Ministry is to release the equivalent of taxes and duty to the EDPITAF on the required importation.

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Done in the City of Manila, this 10th day of December, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty-one.

(Sgd.) FERDINAND E. MARCOS
President of the Philippines

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