

AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 183 REGARDING THE CREATION OF THE NATIONAL FOOD AND AGRICULTURE COUNCIL

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 596, May 22, 1980

Read online (full-text search, related cases, audio case brief): <https://batas.org/library/b57e96ba9026/>

WHEREAS, there is a need for a coordinating agency that shall oversee, unify and integrate the administration and implementation of the government's food self-sufficiency program;

WHEREAS, the farmer, being the main cog in the task of food production, should be represented in the council that coordinate our national food program;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby amend the composition of the National Food and Agriculture Council as follows:

1. Ministry of Agriculture

—

Minister Arturo R. Tanco, Jr.

Chairman-Coordinator

2. National Grains Authority

—

Jesus T. Tanchanco

Administrator

3. Bureau of Plan Industry

—

Domingo F. Panganiban

Director

4. Bureau of Agricultural Extension

—

Francisco G. Rentutar

Director

5. Bureau of Soils

—

Godofredo N. Alcasid

Director

6. University of the Philippines at Los Baños

—

Dr. Emil Q. Javier

Chancellor

7. Bureau of Animal Industry

—

Dr. Salvador H. Escudero, III

Director

8. Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources

—

Felix R. Gonzales

Director

9. Ministry of the Budget

—

Jaime C. Laya

Minister

10. Ministry of Agrarian Reform

—

Conrado F. Estrella

Minister

11. Agricultural Credit Administration

—

Teofilo T. Azada

Administrator

12. Ministry of Local Government and Community Development

—

Jose G. Roño

Minister

13. Central Bank – Dept. of Rural Banks and Savings and Loans Association

—

Consolacion V. Odra

Director

14. Philippine National Bank

—

Panfilo O. Domingo

President

15. Development Bank of the Philippines

—

Rafael A. Sison

Chairman

16. National Irrigation Administration

—

Dr. Fiorelio R. Estuar

Administrator

17. Bureau of Agricultural Economics

—

Jesus C. Alix

Director

18. National Economic Development Authority

—

Dr. Gerardo P. Sicat

Director-General

19. Agrarian Reform Beneficiaries Association

Maning B. Rotea, Sr.

President

20. Federation of Agrarian and Industrial Toiling Hands Inc./HUKBALAHAP Veterans Association,

—

Luis M. Taruc

President

21. Federation of Farmers Association of the Philippines

—

Ben V. Bautista, Sr.

President

22. Federation of Free Farmers

—

Jerry U. Montemayor

President

23. Federation of Land Reform Farmers

—

Ben Andraneda

President

24. Katipunan ng mga Magsasaka sa Pilipinas

—

Nellie V. Chavez

President

25. Pambansang Katipunan ng mga Samahang Nayon sa Pilipinas

—

Ambong Lumibao

President

Done in the City of Manila, this 22nd day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty.

(SGD.) FERDINAND E. MARCOS

President of the Philippines

By the President:

(SGD.) JUAN C. TUVERA

Senior Presidential Assistant

ABOUT BATAS.ORG

Study smarter at BATAS.org

The Philippine bar review and law-school companion built around how your brain actually remembers.

The complete Philippine law library - free for everyone.

More than 100,000 Supreme Court decisions, Republic Acts, and executive issuances - full-text searchable, browsable by category and year, and always free. No paywall, no login. This PDF came from it.

Audio case-brief lectures.

Any decision becomes a podcast-style lecture - facts, issues, ruling, and doctrine - with read-along highlighting and a hands-free presentation mode. Study while commuting, working out, or resting your eyes.

Bar review built on the science of memory.

Complete, sequenced courses for all eight bar subjects, narrated like podcasts and reinforced with retrieval practice and spaced review - the study techniques with the strongest evidence behind them.

The full law-school curriculum.

One subscription unlocks the entire J.D. curriculum - every subject, every lesson, with your progress tracked down to the paragraph so you can pick up exactly where you left off, on any device.

Mock exams that tell you where you stand.

Timed multiple-choice exams graded instantly, with per-subject score breakdowns and focus suggestions that point you at your weakest topics first.

A study planner that keeps you on pace.

Set your schedule and BATAS tells you every day whether you are on track for bar day - and exactly which lesson to take next.

Start free at <https://batas.org>

The law library is free forever - and your first lesson is one click away.

The text of this document is an official public record and remains in the public domain. Formatting, presentation, and compilation © 2026 batas.org.

Downloaded free from the batas.org Law Library. Share it freely - the library is free for every law student, bar reviewee, and practitioner.