

MALACAÑANG  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 51

DESIGNATING THE RIZAL DAY NATIONAL COMMITTEE

WHEREAS, the 91st Death Anniversary of Dr. Jose P. Rizal on December 30, 1987 falls in the year when our nation has established the strong democratic institutions for the attainment of peace and the promotion of the ideals and aspirations of our people;

WHEREAS, it is fitting that all officials and citizens of the Republic render tribute to the ideals and noble cause embodied in the life and martyrdom of our national hero and patriot.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Republic of the Philippines, call upon all our people to observe this anniversary with the most appropriate ceremonies and programs expressive of the nation's highest homage and gratitude.

I hereby designate the Rizal Day National Committee composed of the following:

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Hon. Lourdes R. Quisumbing, Secretary of Education, Culture & Sports .....	Chairperson
Hon. Guillermo N. Carague, Secretary of Budget and Management .....	Member
Hon. Teodoro Benigno, Press Secretary .....	Member
Hon. Fiorello R. Estuar, Undersecretary of Public Works & Highways .....	Member
Hon. Lito Monico Lorenzana, Undersecretary of Local Government .....	Member
Hon. Rosita L. Fondevilla, Undersecretary of Social Welfare and Development .....	Member
Hon. Miguel Perez Rubio, Chief Presidential Protocol Officer .....	Member
Hon. Elfren S. Cruz, Governor of Metro Manila ..	Member
Hon. Gregorio Ejercito, OIC-Mayor of Manila ....	Member
Justice Conrado Vasquez, Supreme Commander of the Knights of Rizal .....	Member

- Mrs. Trinidad Gomez, President of the Civic  
Assembly of Women of the Philippines ..... Member
- Mr. Serafin Quiason, Jr., Chairman of the  
National Historical Institute ..... Member
- Mr. Amado J. Lansangan, Chairman of the  
National Park Development Committee ..... Member
- Mr. Teodoro Locsin, Sr. .... Member

to organize and effect all arrangements necessary for the appropriate celebration of the day all over the Philippines and secure the cooperation of all government and private instrumentalities to ensure its success. The Committee may create such subcommittees as may be necessary.

The Chairman shall designate the Secretary of the Committee.

Done in the City of Manila, this 21st of December, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty-seven.

*Amador S. Aguirre*

By the President:

*Catalino Macaraig, Jr.*  
CATALINO MACARAIG, JR.  
Executive Secretary