

MALACAÑANG
RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT
OF THE PHILIPPINES
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION No. 366

DECLARING THE PERIOD FROM FEBRUARY 14 TO
MARCH 31, 1957, AS THE TIME FOR THE TENTH
ANNUAL FUND CAMPAIGN OF THE PHILIPPINE
NATIONAL RED CROSS

WHEREAS, the Philippine National Red Cross, the body corporate and politic duly created and officially designated by Republic Act No. 95 to assist the Republic of the Philippines in discharging its obligations set forth in the Geneva Red Cross Convention and to perform other duties inherent in a national Red Cross society, has no regular

source of funds to carry out its duties and responsibilities, except voluntary public contributions; and

WHEREAS, the Philippine National Red Cross has, through unstinted labor, proven itself an indispensable institution in the promotion of public welfare, especially in times of emergency, symbolizing our national spirit of compassion and our universal aspiration for peace and understanding;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Ramon Magsaysay, President of the Philippines, do hereby declare the period from February 14 to March 31, 1957, as the time for the Tenth Annual Fund Campaign of the Philippine National Red Cross. I call upon all citizens and residents of this country, as well as all associations and organizations, to help actively in this fund campaign by giving all their means, time, and effort to realize the aims and purposes of the Philippine National Red Cross.

I authorize all national, provincial, city, and municipal government officials and school authorities to accept, for the Philippine National Red Cross, fund-raising responsibilities, and urge them to take the initiative and active leadership in their respective communities.

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 6th day of November, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty-six, and of the Independence of the Philippines, the eleventh.

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RAMON MAGSAYSAY
President of the Philippines

By the President:

FORTUNATO DE LEON
Executive Secretary