

MALACAÑANG  
Manila

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BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1287

DECLARING SATURDAY, MAY 19, 2007 AS SPECIAL (NON-WORKING)  
DAY IN BUTUAN CITY

**WHEREAS**, Saturday, May 19, 2007, the City of Butuan celebrates Balangay Festival honoring the feast day of its patron saint, St. Joseph;

**WHEREAS**, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the City of Butuan be given full opportunity to celebrate the occasion with appropriate ceremonies.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, EDUARDO R. ERMITA**, Executive Secretary, by authority of Her Excellency, **GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO**, do hereby declare Saturday, May 19, 2007, as special (non-working) day in Butuan City.

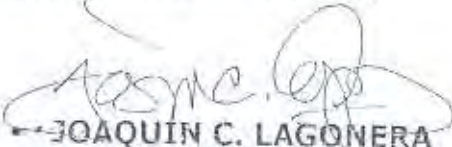
**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seven.

By authority of the President:

  
**EDUARDO R. ERMITA**  
Executive Secretary

By the Executive Secretary:

  
**JOAQUIN C. LAGONERA**  
Senior Deputy Executive Secretary