

MALACANANG  
RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE PHILIPPINES  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 24

CREATING AN INTERIM WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT  
AUTHORITY.

WHEREAS, there is an urgent need for a stepped-up water resources development, utilization and conservation program; and

WHEREAS, pending the enactment of necessary legislation for the purpose, an interim committee to coordinate all activities pertaining to water resources throughout the country with a view to alleviating the present water shortage, to prepare a plan for a short-range and long-range development of water resources, and to prevent wastage of funds through duplication of functions and inefficiency is advisable;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby create an Interim Committee to coordinate all activities pertaining to water resources development and to carry out a crash water production program, composed the following:

The Chairman, National Waterworks and Sewerage Authority . . . . .	Chairman
The General Manager, National Power Corporation . . . . .	Member
The Administrator, National Irrigation Administration . . . . .	Member
The Director of Public Works . . . . .	Member
The General Manager, National Waterworks and Sewerage Authority . . . . .	Member

In case labor rights are affected in the execution of the tasks of the Committee, consultation shall

be made with the authorized representatives of the labor unions concerned.

The Committee is hereby empowered to call upon any department, bureau, office, agency or instrumentality of the government, including government-owned or controlled corporations, for such assistance as it may need in the discharge of its functions.

Done in the City of Manila, this 1st day of May, in year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-six.

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

By the President:

(SGD.) RAFAEL M. SALAS  
Executive Secretary