

MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 40

CREATING A COMMITTEE TO TAKE CHARGE OF THE ARRANGEMENTS FOR THE  
RECEPTION AND THE BURIAL OF THE MORTAL REMAINS OF THE LATE  
PRESIDENT MANUEL L. QUEZON.

WHEREAS, the mortal remains of the late beloved Manuel L. Quezon,  
first President of the Commonwealth of the Philippines, is expected to  
arrive in Manila towards the end of next month; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper that arrangements be made for  
the reception of his mortal remains and a state funeral commensurate  
with the ever-lasting debt of gratitude which the Filipino people owe  
the great departed leader;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MANUEL ROXAS, President of the Commonwealth of  
the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby  
create a committee to take charge of the arrangements for the reception  
of the mortal remains of the late President Manuel L. Quezon, and the  
holding of a state funeral subsequent thereto, said committee to be  
composed of the following:

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| Hon. Jose C. Zulueta,    | Chairman |
| Hon. Ricardo Nepomuceno, | Member   |
| Hon. Ruperto Kangleon,   | "        |
| Hon. Mariano J. Cuenco,  | "        |
| Hon. Nicolas Buendia,    | "        |
| Hon. Tomas Morato,       | "        |
| Hon. Fortunato Suarez,   | "        |
| Hon. Marcial Raffola,    | "        |
| Hon. Valeriano Fugoso,   | "        |
| Hon. Ramon Fernandez,    | "        |
| Hon. Jose Yulo           | "        |
| Hon. Joaquin Elizalde,   | "        |
| Hon. Sixto Antonio,      | "        |
| Mr. Antonio Paguia,      | "        |
| Mr. Felicisimo Lauson,   | "        |

Done in the City of Manila, this 8th day of June, in the year of  
Our Lord, nineteen hundred and forty-six, and of the Commonwealth of  
the Philippines, the eleventh.

*Manuel Roxas*

By the President:

*Emilio Abello*

EMILIO ABELLO

Chief of the Executive Office