

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 129

DECLARING 09-15 AUGUST 1999 AS
"PHILIPPINES-REPUBLIC OF KOREA FRIENDSHIP WEEK"

WHEREAS, Monday, 09 August 1999, marks the onset of the 50th year celebration of the establishment of diplomatic relations between the Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Republic of Korea;

WHEREAS, Philippine relations with the Republic of Korea are among the oldest and most fruitful in Philippine history;

WHEREAS, the Republic of Korea ranks as one of the major trading partners of the Philippines and hosts a sizeable number of Filipino expatriates;

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the people of the Republic of the Philippines be given full opportunity to appreciate and commemorate the golden jubilee of Philippines-Republic of Korea diplomatic relations;

NOW THEREFORE, I, JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare 09-15 August 1999 as "Philippines-Republic of Korea Friendship Week".

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 28th day of JUNE in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and ninety-nine.



JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA
President
Republic of the Philippines



By the President:



RONALD B. ZAMORA
Executive Secretary



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