

**BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES**

**PROCLAMATION NO. 1661**

**DECLARING FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 2008, AS SPECIAL (NON-WORKING)  
DAY IN THE PROVINCE OF PANGASINAN**

**WHEREAS**, R.A. No. 6721 was enacted on March 20, 1989, "Declaring November 13 of each year as special public holiday in the Province of Pangasinan";

**WHEREAS**, Thursday, November 13, 2008, marks the commemoration of the birth anniversary of the late Speaker Eugenio Perez;

**WHEREAS**, to enable the people of the Province of Pangasinan to celebrate the occasion and observe the holiday-economics policy, the Office of the Governor requested that Friday, November 14, 2008 be declared as special (non-working) day instead of November 13, 2008, which falls on a Thursday;

**WHEREAS**, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the Province of Pangasinan, 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 Friday, November 14, 2008, as special (non-working) day in the Province of Pangasinan.

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

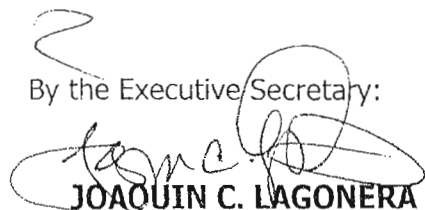
Done in the City of Manila, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Eight.

By authority of the President:



**EDUARDO R. ERMITA**  
Executive Secretary

By the Executive Secretary:



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