

MALACAÑANG

Manila

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1647

**DECLARING MONDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 2008, AS SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAY IN THE PROVINCE OF BENGUET**

**WHEREAS**, Sunday, November 23, 2008, marks the Foundation Day anniversary of the Province of Benguet;

**WHEREAS**, to enable the people of the Province of La Union celebrate the occasion, the Office of the Governor requested that Monday, November 24, 2008 be declared as a special non-working day instead of November 23, 2008, which falls on a Sunday;

**WHEREAS**, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the Province of Benguet, 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 Monday, November 24, 2008, as special (non-working) day in the Province of Benguet.

**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 ~~15th~~ day of ~~October~~, 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