



MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 235

**DECLARING MONDAY, 26 JUNE 2017, AS A REGULAR HOLIDAY THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY IN OBSERVANCE OF *EID'L FITR* (FEAST OF RAMADHAN)**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9177 declared *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan) as a regular holiday throughout the country;

**WHEREAS**, *Eid'l Fitr* is celebrated by the Muslim world for three (3) days after the end of the month of fasting;

**WHEREAS**, the entire Filipino nation should have the full opportunity to join their Muslim brothers and sisters in peace and harmony in the observance and celebration of *Eid'l Fitr*;

**WHEREAS**, the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos has recommended to declare Monday, 26 June 2017, as a national holiday in observance of *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan); and

**WHEREAS**, in order to bring the religious and cultural significance of the *Eid'l Fitr* to the fore of national consciousness, it is necessary to declare Monday, 26 June 2017, as a regular holiday throughout the country.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare Monday, 26 June 2017, as a regular holiday throughout the country in observance of *Eid'l Fitr* (Feast of Ramadhan).

**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 16<sup>th</sup> day of June, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Seventeen.

By the President:

  
**SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**  
Executive Secretary



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