



MALACAÑAN PALACE
MANILA

SPECIAL ORDER NO. 420

DESIGNATING THE EXECUTIVE SECRETARY AS OFFICER-IN-CHARGE ON 24 TO 28 APRIL 2019

WHEREAS, the President will be in Beijing, People's Republic of China to participate the 2nd Belt and Road Forum for International Cooperation on 24 to 28 April 2019; and

WHEREAS, to ensure continuity of government service, it is necessary to designate an Officer-in-Charge to take care of the day-to-day operations in the Office of the President and oversee the general administration of the Executive Department;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

1. The Executive Secretary shall act as Officer-in-Charge to take care of the day-to-day operations in the Office of the President and to oversee the general administration of the Executive Department, and he shall, if necessary, act for and on behalf of the President, except on matters that the President is required, by the Constitution to act in person, during the time that the President is outside the Republic of the Philippines from 24 to 28 April 2019.

2. All departments, agencies, and instrumentalities of the Government shall assist the Executive Secretary in the discharge of his functions as stated herein.

3. All acts of the Executive Secretary for and on behalf of the President pursuant to this Order shall be deemed acts of the President unless disapproved or reprobated by the President.

DONE, in the City of Manila, this 17th day of April, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Nineteen.

By the President:



SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA
Executive Secretary

THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

