Republika ng Pilipinas PAMBANSANG PANGASIWAAN NG PATUBIG (National Irrigation Administration) (Tanggapan ng Tagapangasiwa) Lungsod ng Quezon

MC # <u>47</u>, s. 1980

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

ΤO

: THE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATORS; HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS AND STAFFS; REGIONAL IRRIGATION DIRECTORS; PROJECT MANAGERS AND PROVINCIAL IRRIGATION ENGINEERS; IRRIGATION SUPERINTENDENTS AND OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE OF SYSTEMS; AND ALL OTHERS CONCERNED National Irrigation Administration

SUBJECT : Proclamation No. 1960

Quoted hereunder in full for the information of NIA officials and employees is OP Proclamation No. 1960 dated April 2, 1980 which reads:

"MALACAÑANG Manila

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 1960

DECLARING TUESDAY, MAY 6, 1980 AS "ARAW NG KAGITINGAN."

WHEREAS, the Fall of Bataan, the Fall of Corregidor and Battle of Bessang Pass are some of the historical milestones in our fight for freedom and democracy during the last world war; and

WHEREAS, in view of the common spirit of heroism and bravery portrayed by the Filipino soldier in those events, their celebration may be consolidated in one date for economy and convenience, in this way serving also to emphasize their importance;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare Tuesday, May 6, 1980 as "Araw ng Kagitingan", and direct that the Fall of Bataan, Fall of Corregidor and Battle of Bessang Pass be celebrated jointly.

The national celebration shall be held at Fort Santiago, Intramuros, Manila.

April 9, 1980, although a legal holiday, shall be a regular working day.

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

Done in Pacay, Ilocos Norte, this 2nd day of April, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty.

> (SGD.) FERDINAND E. MARCOS President of the Philippines

By the President: (SGD.) JUAN C. TUVERA Presidential Assistant"

Please be guided accordingly.

(SGD.) FIORELLO R. ESTUAR Acting Administrator

May 2, 1980