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

MC NO. 13, s. 1982

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

T O : ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATORS, DEPARTMENT HEADS, REGIONAL
IRRIGATION DIRECTORS, PROJECT MANAGERS and all others
concerned

SUBJECT : Implementation of Finance Ministry Order No. 48-81

Please be informed that Ministry Order No. 48-81 of the
Ministry of Finance as implemented by COA Circular No. 82-170 pro-
vides that the "importations of gasoline powered motor cars with
engine displacement of over 2800 cubic centimeters or Kerbweight
exceeding 1500 kilograms including accessories are henceforth
prohibited".

This prohibition applies to persons, entities and/or organi-
zations enjoying tax exemptions on the importation of motor vehicles
in accordance with any law, decree and bilateral agreements.

In view thereof, strict compliance with said Ministry Order
No. 48-81 is desired.

(SGD.) FIORELLO R. ESTUAR
Administrator

March 17, 1982

Republic of the Philippines
COMMISSION ON AUDIT
Central Office
Don Mariano Marcos Avenue, Quezon City, Philippines

January 29, 1982

COMMISSION ON AUDIT CIRCULAR NO. 82-170

T O : All Heads of Ministries and Managing Heads of Government-Owned and/or Controlled Corporations; Chiefs of Bureaus and Offices of the National Government; Chief Accountants; COA Managers/Regional Directors; Bureau and Corporation Auditors; Governors, City/Municipal Mayors; Provincial/City Auditors; and All Others Concerned.

SUBJECT : Ministry Order No. 48-81 of the Minister of Finance dated October 21, 1981.

Quoted hereunder for your information and guidance is Ministry Order No. 48-81 of the Minister of Finance dated October 21, 1981:

"Republic of the Philippines
MINISTRY OF FINANCE
Office of the Minister
Manila

MINISTRY ORDER NO. 48-81

SUBJECT: Regulation to Implement Section 3(a) of Batas Pambansa Blg. 73 Particularly the Prohibition on the Importation of Gasoline Powered Motor Cars with Engine Displacement of over 2800 Cubic Centimeters or Kerbweight exceeding 1500 Kilograms Including Accessories.

This order is being issued pursuant to the provision of Section 10 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 73 empowering the Ministers of various Ministries to issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to implement the provisions of said law.

SECTION I. The prohibition on the importation of gasoline-powered passenger motor cars with engine displacement of over 2800 cubic centimeter or kerbweight exceeding 1500 kilograms, including accessories shall

apply to persons, entities and/or organizations enjoying tax exemptions on the importation of motor vehicles in accordance with any law, decree and bilateral agreements, including but not limited to the following:

1. Alien Executive under P.D. 218, as amended:
2. The Ford Foundation and its foreign personnel under RA 3538
3. International Institute for Rural Reconstruction and its foreign personnel under P.D. 728
4. Philippine Council for Agriculture and Resources Research (PCARR) under Presidential Decree No. 1249;
5. Southeast Asian Fisheries Development Center in the Philippines and its foreign personnel (SEAFDEC)
6. International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) and its foreign personnel under Presidential Decree No. 789;
7. International Development Research Center (IDRC) and its foreign personnel under Presidential Decree No. 789;
8. Southeast Asian Regional Center for Graduate Study and Research in Agriculture (SEARCA) and its foreign personnel under Presidential Decree No. 1171;
9. KSU-Integrated Agricultural Production and Marketing Project and its foreign personnel pursuant to an agreement between said organization and the Philippine Government;
10. Consultants and experts hired by/and/or rendering service to, government, its agencies or instrumentalities, corporation owned or controlled by the government such as;
 - a. Ministry of Public Highways (MPH)
 - b. Metropolitan Water and Sewerage System (MWSS)
 - c. National Electrification Administration (NEA)
 - d. National Irrigation Administration (NIA)
 - e. Local Water Utilities Administration (LWUA)
 - f. National Power Corporation (NPC)

11. Officers or employees of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, including any attache, civil military or member of his staff assigned to a Philippine Diplomatic Mission abroad by his Ministry under Presidential Decree No. 138 as amended.

SECTION 2. The prohibition stated in Section 1 hereof shall likewise apply to government agencies, or instrumentalities, or corporations, agencies owned or controlled by the government whether imported duty and tax free or not.

This Order shall take effect fifteen days after the last publication in two (2) newspapers of general circulation in the Philippines once a week for two consecutive weeks.

(SGD.) CESAR VIRATA
Minister of Finance

October 21, 1981"

Please be guided accordingly.

(SGD.) FRANCISCO S. TANTUICO, JR.
Acting Chairman

(SGD.) SILVESTRE D. SARMIENTO
Commissioner

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