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

MC No. 24, s. 1982

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

TO : The Assistant Administrators/Department Heads/
Regional Irrigation Directors/Heads of Foreign-
Loan Assisted Projects/Irrigation Superintendents/
PIE's/Project Engineers/and all others Concerned

SUBJECT: MALACANANG MC 24-82

For the information and guidance of all concerned, quoted
hereunder are the contents of the above-captioned subject, to wit:

"MEMORANDUM

TO : All Cabinet Members
Heads of Bureaus, Offices, Agencies of the
Government, including Government owned or
controlled Corporations

It has been observed that official statements
contained in press releases and public speeches of
various members of the Cabinet, ministers and heads
of government agencies claim that a project of the
government is successful because it is being supported
by the President. This is entirely wrong considering
that under the Parliamentary System of government,
policies and programs are undertaken by the entire
Party in power, the Kilusang Bagong Lipunan, and the
administration. It is neither a policy of any parti-
cular member of the Cabinet nor that of any particular
ministry or office.

The essence of a Parliamentary System of government
which we are trying to fully establish is that all
policies and programs of the government are by the party
in power.

In view hereof, henceforth, all official statements
intended for press releases and public speeches of any
Cabinet member, minister or head of any agency of the
government in connection with a government project,
policy or program should always be in the name of the
administration or the party in power.

(SGD.) President of the Philippines"

The contents of this memorandum should be disseminated to all
information officers and other employees directly involved in
information dissemination.

Strict compliance is enjoined.

(SGD.) FIORELLO R. ESTUAR
Administrator

May 4, 1982