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**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**

TO : THE DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR, ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATORS,  
DEPARTMENT/ REGIONAL/OPERATION/PROJECT MANAGERS,  
PROVINCIAL IRRIGATION OFFICERS, IRRIGATION  
SUPERINTENDENTS, AND OTHERS CONCERNED

SUBJECT: **COMELEC RESOLUTION NO. 7805 DATED JANUARY 16, 2007**

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Enclosed is a copy of COMELEC Resolution No. 7805 dated 16 January 2007 authorizing the Chairman of the Commission on Elections (COMELEC) to approve/disapprove recommendations from the Commission's Law Department relative to Resolution No. 7770 thereby modifying accordingly the latter.

For your information and guidance.

  
Gen. **ARTURO C. LOMIBAO**  
Administrator

22 February 2007



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**IN THE MATTER OF AUTHORIZING  
 THE CHAIRMAN, THIS COMMISSION,  
 TO APPROVE / DISAPPROVE  
 RECOMMENDATIONS FROM THE  
 LAW DEPARTMENT RELATIVE TO  
 RESOLUTION NO. 7770.**

ABALOS, Benjamin Sr., S.	Chairman
BORRA, Resurreccion Z.	Commissioner
TUASON, Florentino Jr., A.	Commissioner
BRAWNER, Romeo A.	Commissioner
SARMIENTO, Rene V.	Commissioner
FERRER, Nicodemo T.	Commissioner

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Promulgated: 16 January 2007

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**RESOLUTION NO. 7805**

**WHEREAS**, on 06 December 2006, Resolution No. 7770, entitled "Enforcement of the Prohibition Against Appointment or Hiring of New Employees; Creation or Filling up of New Positions; Giving Salary Increases; Transferring/Detailing Civil Service Employees; and Suspension of Elective Local Officials in connection with the May 14, 2007 Synchronized National and Local Elections", was promulgated to implement Section 261, subsections (g), (h) and (x) of the Omnibus Election Code;

**WHEREAS**, requests for exemption from the coverage of the ban submitted to the Commission through the Law Department have to be approved by the Commission En Banc, while similar requests addressed to the Office of the Regional Election Director do not require said approval;

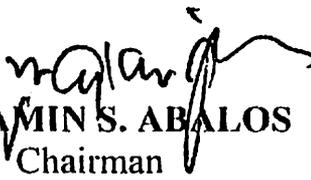
**WHEREAS**, the Law Department has been swamped with numerous requests for exemption thereby resulting in the need to expedite and facilitate the processing of the requests for exemption;

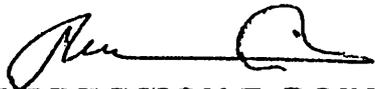
**NOW THEREFORE**, the Commission on Elections, pursuant to the powers vested in it by the Constitution, the Omnibus Election Code and other election laws, **RESOLVED**, as it hereby **RESOLVES**, to **AUTHORIZE** the Chairman, this Commission, to approve/disapprove recommendations of the Law Department on requests for exemption from the coverage of the ban involved in said resolution. Such action by the Chairman shall take effect immediately, subject, however, to confirmation by the Commission En Banc.

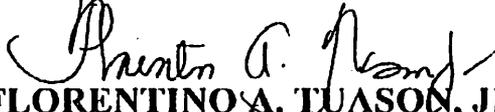
  
Resolution No. 7770 is hereby modified accordingly.

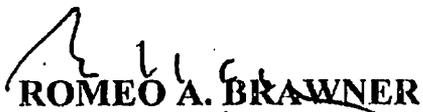
The Education and Information Department shall furnish copies of this Resolution to all Departments, Constitutional Commissions and other government agencies including government-owned or controlled corporations, and all field offices of the Commission.

SO ORDERED.

  
**BENJAMIN S. ABALOS**  
Chairman

  
**RESURRECCION Z. BORRA**  
Commissioner

  
**FLORENTINO A. TUASON, JR.**  
Commissioner

  
**ROMEO A. BRAWNER**  
Commissioner

  
**RENE V. SARMIENTO**  
Commissioner

  
**NICODEMO T. FERRER**  
Commissioner