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TO : ALL BUREAU DIRECTORS,
EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS OF
THE PCWID AND PACLAP, AND
REGIONAL DIRECTORS OF
BUREAUS AND AGENCIES
UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF
NATURAL RESOURCES

SUBJECT : NATIONAL REFERENDUM ON FEBRUARY 27, 1975

A National Referendum, the third since martial law was declared, will be held on February 27, 1975. This is in fulfillment of the President's promise that he will consult the people, where sovereignty resides, on important issues confronting the country. While it is true that in the second referendum, the people gave the President a vote of confidence by endorsing almost unanimously his continuance in office and the postponement of the elections, the President, nevertheless, now seeks a fresh mandate for a crisis government to meet an impending global economic emergency. As the President has so aptly stated it ... "A crisis government is no less necessary today than it was when we were merely fighting the organized forces of rebellion. As unquestioned constitutional authority was required to be vested in the Commander-in-Chief in order to meet the rebellion, so is the same kind of authority required to enable the government to weld all the forces of society in an economic emergency."

The importance of this referendum cannot, therefore, be over-emphasized. All sectors of the society must be involved not only in the discussion of the questions to be submitted to the people, but more importantly in going to the barangay polling places and casting our answers on the ballots.

The questions are:

For Metro Manila:

On local governments and local officials:

1. Do you want the present mayor-council form of government now existing in cities and

municipalities of Greater Manila to continue?

2. If you do not want the mayor-council type of government to continue, do you favor the President exercising his powers to restructure the local governments in Greater Manila (four cities and 13 municipalities) into an integrated system like a manager or commission form under such terms and conditions as he may decide?

On martial law:

1. Do you approve of the manner President Marcos has been exercising his powers under martial law and the Constitution, including the power to issue proclamations, orders, decrees, and instructions with the force of law?

2. Do you want the President to continue exercising the same powers?

For the rest of the country:

On local officials:

1. At the expiration of the terms of office of your local elective officials on Dec. 31, 1975, how do you want their successors chosen: to be appointed by the President or elected in accordance with the Election Code?

On martial law:

1. Do you approve of the manner President Marcos has been exercising his powers under martial law and the Constitution, including the powers to issue proclamations, orders, decrees, and instructions with the force of law?

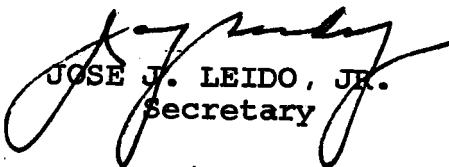
2. Do you want the President to continue exercising the same powers?

To insure the widest dissemination of all information regarding this referendum and the explanation of the foregoing questions, all fieldmen of bureaus and agencies under the Department should be instructed to get in touch with, and extend maximum assistance and cooperation to, COMELEC Regional Directors, Provincial Supervisors and Election Registrars. No efforts should be spared in placing the facilities -- manpower, equipment, motor vehicles, etc. -- of the various offices at the disposal of COMELEC

officials and employees to reach and enlighten our people wherever they may be found.

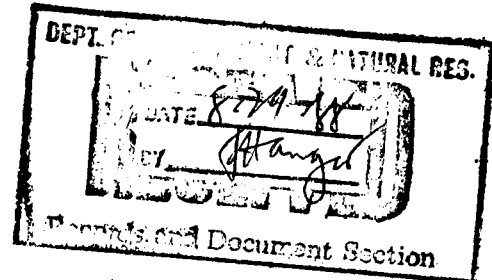
Similarly, a campaign of information should be conducted in all levels in the bureaus and agencies for the benefit of our own employees and of private parties with whom such employees have contact in the course of their official activities.

Compliance herewith, as well as with requests for assistance directly made by the COMELEC or its field representatives in connection with the National Referendum, is enjoined upon all concerned.


JOSE J. LEIDO, JR.
Secretary

August 29, 1988

Record Division
Ministry of Natural Resources
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Dear Sir/Madam:

The undersigned is Requesting a Certified Copy or Xerox of Memo Order, Circular, Executive Order or Administrative Order from Malacang, Ministry of Natural Resources, or Bureau of Agriculture authorizing the BUREAU OF LANDS NCR, or its Extension office, RE: "FORT BONIFACIO DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY", to survey and Desposed, PROCLAMATION NO. 2475 and PROCLAMATION NO. 2476.

Please furnish me also written "Certification" if it does not exist.

I appreciate it very much if you can extend immediate action upon this request.

Truly yours,

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