

**Proclamation
No. 23
August 24, 1992**

SUBJECT : Establishing as Dingalan River Watershed Forest Reserve for Purposes of Protecting, Maintaining and Improving its Water Yield and To Providing Restraining Mechanism for Inappropriate Forest Exploitation and Disruptive Landuse a Certain Parcel of Land of the Public Domain Situated in the Municipality of Dingalan, Province of Aurora, Island of Luzon, Philippines

Upon recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources and pursuant to the powers vested in me by law, I, FIDEL V. RAMOS, President of the Philippines, do hereby withdraw from entry, sale, disposition or settlement and set aside as Dingalan River Watershed Forest Reserve, subject to private rights, if any there be, and to the operations of previous proclamations reserving any portion thereof for specific purposes, and to the implementation of socially-oriented projects and other forestry development programs consistent with the objectives of the proclamation as maybe determined by the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources, a certain parcel of land by the public domain situated in the Municipality of Dingalan, Province of Aurora, Island of Luzon, Philippines as shown in the Forest Management Bureau Map No. 101 with the following descriptions:

Beginning at point "1" on the map, which is identical to FZ comer 29, alienable and disposable, project No. 39.

(technical description omitted)

Thence S 86°W, 100 meters to comer 1, the point of beginning containing an area of ONE THOUSAND SEVEN HUNDRED EIGHTY EIGHT HECTARES (1,788.0).

The area covered by the reservation shall be under the administrative jurisdiction, supervision and control of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources through its Forest Management Bureau in coordination with other agencies of the government with the objective of maintaining its usefulness, as a source of water for irrigation, domestic use and other forestry purposes.

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

DONE in the City of Manila, this 24th day of August in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and ninety-two.

(Sgd.) FIDEL V. RAMOS
President of the Philippines

[Seal]

By the President:

(Sgd.) DIONISIO C. DE LA SERNA
Senior Deputy Executive Secretary