Proclamation No. 84 February 24, 1999

**SUBJECT**: Declaring Siocon Watershed

Forest Reserve Situated in the Municipality of Siocon, Province of Zamboanga Del Norte as Protected Area and Its Peripheral Areas as Buffer Zone Pursuant to Republic Act No. 7586 (NIPAS Act of 1992), and Shall Be Known as

Siocon Resource Reserve.

Upon the recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources and pursuant to the powers vested upon me by law, I JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA, President of the Republic of the Philippines, do hereby set aside and delcare Siocon Watershed Forest Reserve situated in the Municipality of Siocon, Province of Zamboanga del Norte, as a Protected Area under the category of Resource Reseve and its peripheral areas as Buffer Zone, subject to private rights, if any, as described in the DENR NIPAS Map No. R09-07.

## **TECHNICAL DESCRIPTIONS**

The Siocon Resource Reserve begins at a point marked "1" on the map which is identical to corner 235, project 17 A & D, Block V, LC Map No. 943, Zamboanga del Norte;

(technical descriptions omitted)

the point of beginning containing an area of SEVEN HUNDRED NINETY THREE (793.741) HECTARES, more or less.

The Buffer Zone beings at a point marked "I" on the map is identical to corner 52 of Siocon Resource Reserve;

## (technical description omitted)

the point of beginning containing an area of ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY SIX (186.660) HECTARES, more or less.

The technical descriptions of Siocon Resource Reserve and its Buffer Zone shall be subject to actual ground survey.

The areas shall be under the management jurisdiction of the Department of Environment and Natural Resources and shall be administered in accordance with the provisions of the NIPAS Act of 1992.

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

Done in the City of Manila, this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord Nineteen Hundred and Ninety Nine.

## (Sgd.) JOSEPH EJERCITO ESTRADA President

By the President:

(Sgd.) RONALDO B. ZAMORA

Executive Secretary