

**BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES
PROCLAMATION NO. 10
AUTHORIZING THE REHABILITATION AND PLACEMENT
FOUNDATION FOR THE DISABLED, INC., TO EX-
TEND ITS NATIONAL FUND CAMPAIGN FOR THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF ITS REHABILITATION PROG-
RAMS AND SPECIAL PROJECTS TO MARCH 14,
1987.**

WHEREAS, the Rehabilitation and Placement Foundation for the Disabled, Inc., is a non-profit and charitable organization established to provide skills training and productive employment for disabled persons as well as provide employment opportunities for disabled individuals in both urban and rural areas;

WHEREAS, the Foundation, in achieving its objectives of providing a continuous integrated rehabilitation programs and services for the disabled, has been awarded a license to operate by the Ministry of Social Services and Development on May 16, 1983;

WHEREAS, the Foundation, in the development of its rehabilitation programs and services, seeks to assist the disabled persons secure gainful employment, especially those who have undergone vocational training by providing employment opportunities that are economically viable, thus helping them restore their dignity as productive members of society;

WHEREAS, the Foundation, recognizing the fact that barely three percent (3%) of the country's four million handicapped persons have received rehabilitation services due to unemployment problem, negative attitude of employers and other social constraints, has implemented income generating projects designed to provide suitable employment for disabled persons to enable them become productive and self-reliant members of the community; and

WHEREAS, to effectively carry out its developmental objectives and successful implementation of its placement programs, especially the establishment of rehabilitation sheltered workshops, employment centers and income generating projects for the disabled in urban and rural areas, the Foundation needs the financial and moral support of the public.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Republic of the Philippines, do hereby authorize the Rehabilitation and Placement Foundation For the Disabled, Inc., to extend its fund campaign for the implementation and development of its rehabilitation programs and services to March 14, 1987.

I call upon all citizens and residents of the country, to assist in the endeavor by giving generously of their means and to actively support the campaign. I further call upon all government agencies to assist the Foundation in its laudable objectives.

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 5th day of May, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty-six.

(SGD.) CORAZON C. AQUINO
President of the Philippines

By the President:
(SGD.) FULGENCIO S. FACTORAN, JR.
Deputy Executive Secretary