



MALACAÑAN PALACE  
MANILA

**PROCLAMATION NO. 56**

**DECLARING MONDAY, 12 SEPTEMBER 2016, AS A REGULAR HOLIDAY  
THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY IN OBSERVANCE OF *EID'L ADHA*  
(FEAST OF SACRIFICE)**

**WHEREAS**, *Eid'l Adha* is one of the two greatest feasts of Islam;

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 9849 provides that *Eid'l Adha* shall be celebrated as a regular holiday;

**WHEREAS**, the National Commission on Muslim Filipinos has recommended that the observance of *Eid'l Adha* be on 12 September 2016;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby declare Monday, 12 September 2016, as a regular holiday throughout the country in observance of *Eid'l Adha* (Feast of Sacrifice).

**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 5<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

By the President:

  
**SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**  
Executive Secretary



