ORDER NO. 80

SUBJECT: Establishing a government farm for pearl culture and production and reserving therefor a certain marine area in Pujada Bay, Province of Davao.

1. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 74 of Act 4003, as amended and Section 4(c) of Republic Act 3512, certain portion of marine area in Pujada Bay, province of Davao, as herein below described, is hereby reserved and declared government farm for pearl culture and production purposes:

"Starting from Cabayan Point marked as point 1 as indicated in the plan; thence following shoreline in a southwesterly direction to Tataidaga Point marked as point 2, with an approximate distance of 7,700 meters; thence going back to the point of beginning N8°30'W with an approximate straight distance of 4,430 meters, containing an approximate area of 3.26 square kilometers."

2. The above-mentioned government farm is hereby placed under the administration and control of the Commissioner of Fisheries who may apply the pertinent rules and regulations necessary to carry into effect the purposes of this Order; Provided, however, that in case there are no available funds and technical personnel to be used in the operation and/or maintenance of said farm, he may recommend to the Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources that the privilege to undertake the pearl culture cultivation and production in the aforesaid farm, be let under concession to any person, association or corporation qualified under the law and the Fisheries Act to transact business in the Philippines.

3. Fishing or taking of any kind of marine product within the described marine area for commercial purposes is hereby prohibited subject to the penalties prescribed under Section 6 of Republic Act No. 3512.

4. This Order shall take effect upon approval.

RECOMMENDED BY:

For and in the absence of the Acting Commissioner:

Sr. Executive Assistant II

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APPROVED: December 5, 1964

By authority of the President:

JUAN S. GARCIA

Acting Assistant Executive Secretary

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JOSE Y. FELICIANO

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