SUBJECT: Amending Section 12 of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 22, and for other purposes.

Section 1. — Section 12 of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 22, is hereby amended to read as follows:

12: Relief from effects of final decisions and orders of the Director of Fisheries. — The Director of Fisheries or the Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources may relieve a party or his legal representative from the effects of a final decision, order or other proceeding taken against him by the Director of Fisheries, through fraud, accident, mistake, or excusable negligence; Provided, That a verified petition to this effect must be filed within six (6) months after such decision, order, or proceeding has become final; and must be accompanied with affidavits of at least two persons showing the fraud, accident, mistake or excusable negligence relied upon, and the facts constituting the petitioner's good and substantial cause of action or defense, as the case may be, which he may prove if his petition be granted.

Section 2. — This Fisheries Administrative Order shall take effect sixty (60) days after its publication in the Official Gazette.

RECOMMENDED BY:

For and in the absence of the Director of Fisheries:

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