Republic of the Philippines Department of Agriculture and Natural Resources

Office of the Secretary Diliman, Queson City

FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE)

ORDERS NOS. 48-1 & 59-1)

May 14, 1962

SUBJECT: Suspending the provisions of Rule 3(h) of F.A.O. No. 59 and Sections 7, 8 & 9 of F.A.O. No. 48.

To accelerate the establishment and development of the pearl culture industry in the Philippines by inviting or employing foreign technicians without compulsion on their parts to disclose the secret technique on pearl culture and production which by reason of the policy of their own countries they are barred from revealing:

Section 1. The provisions of Rule 3(h) of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 59 and Sections 7, 8 and 9, insofar as pearl culture is concerned, of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 48, are hereby suspended for a period of three (3) years from date of approval of this Order, without prejudice to the extension thereof to another period of two (2) years should circumstances so warrant.

Section 2. All Orders or regulations or parts thereof which are inconsistent with the provisions of this Order are hereby repealed.

Section 3. This Order shall take effect upon its approval.

Secretary of Agriculture and Natural Resources

APPROVED:

June 14, 1962

By authority of the President:

AMELITO R. MUTUC Executive Secretary