

FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE)
ORDER NO. \_\_\_\_\_\_:
SERIES OF 1997 )

SUBJECT: AMENDING SECTION 3 OF FISHERIES ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 192
SERIES OF 1997.

SECTION 1. Section 3 of Fisheries Administrative Order No. 192, series of 1997 is hereby amended, to read as follows:

"Section 3. Appointment and designation of Fisheries Quarantine Officers. The Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, being the Chief Quarantine Officer, shall appoint and/or designate Fishries Quarantine Officers, upon the recommendation of the concerned Regional Director of the Department of Agriculture, in consultation with the Director of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources. However, the Director of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources may also recommend personnel in his Office to be assigned in International Airports and Seaports of the country to enhance technical manpower capability and effectiveness thereat.

"The concerned Regional Field Unit of the Department of Agriculture shall exercise administrative control and supervision over the operation of Fisheries Quarantine Service Units while the Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources shall provide technical expertise and general authority over said Units through the promulgation of fisheries quarantine administrative orders, policies, guidelines and other related fishery issuances."



SECTION 2. Effectivity. - This Order shall take effect fifteen (15) days after its publication in the Official Gazette and/or in two (2) newspaper of general circulation.

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RECOMMENDED BY:

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