

**[ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 13, October 08,
1992]**

**CREATING A PRESIDENTIAL AD HOC FACT-FINDING COMMITTEE
ON BEHEST LOANS.**

WHEREAS, Sec. 28, Article II of the 1987 Constitution provides that "Subject to reasonable conditions prescribed by law, the State adopts and implements a policy of full public disclosure of all its transactions involving public interest";

WHEREAS, Sec. 15, Article XI of the 1987 Constitution provides that "The right of the state to recover properties unlawfully acquired by public officials or employees, from them or from their nominees or transferees, shall not be barred by prescription, laches, or estoppel";

WHEREAS, there have been allegations of loans, guarantees, and other forms of financial accommodations granted, directly or indirectly, by government-owned or controlled bank or financial institutions, at the behest, command, or urging by previous government officials to the disadvantage and detriment of the Philippine Government and the Filipino people;

ACCORDINGLY, an "Ad-Hoc FACT-FINDING COMMITTEE ON BEHEST LOANS" is hereby created to be composed of the following:

Chairman of the Presidential Commission on Good Government	– Chairman
The Solicitor-General	– Vice Chairman
Representative from the Office of the Executive Secretary	– Member
Representative from the Department of Finance	– Member
Representative from the Department of Justice	– Member
Representative from the Development Bank of the Philippines	– Member
Representative from the Philippine National Bank	– Member
Representative from the Asset Privatization Trust	– Member
Government Corporate Counsel	– Member
Representative from the Philippine Export and Foreign Loan Guarantee Corporation	– Member

The Ad-Hoc Committee shall perform the following functions: