

[**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 234, July 22, 1987**]

REORGANIZING THE NATIONAL NUTRITION COUNCIL

WHEREAS, improved quality of life is the ultimate goal of Philippine development and nutritional improvement is a critical component thereof;

WHEREAS, nutritional improvement involves a broad range of concerns involving various government and non-governmental agencies;

WHEREAS, there is need to strengthen the coordinative activities and programs of the various agencies which is being done by the National Nutrition Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the sovereign will of the Filipino people and the Constitution, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. *Title.* - This Executive Order shall otherwise be known as the Reorganization Act of the National Nutrition Council (NNC).

SEC. 2. *Attachment.* - The NNC shall be transferred from the Department of Agriculture and attached to the Department of Social Welfare and Development. The transfer shall include the appropriations, funds, records, equipment and facilities.

SEC. 3. *Composition.* - The Council shall be composed of a Governing Board and a Secretariat. The Governing Board shall be composed of members representing the following:

- (a) Department of Social Welfare and Development - *Chairman*;
- (b) Department of Agriculture;
- (c) Department of Health;
- (d) Department of Education, Culture and Sports;
- (e) Department of Local Government;
- (f) Department of Science and Technology;
- (g) Department of Budget and Management;
- (h) Department of Labor and Employment;
- (i) Department of Trade and Industry;
- (j) National Economic and Development Authority; and