

## [ EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 429, May 13, 1974 ]

### CREATING THE CONSULTATIVE COUNCIL ON MUSLIM AFFAIRS

WHEREAS, it is the aim of the New Society to achieve formal unity of all communities through the involvement of all sectors in the activities of government;

WHEREAS, the Muslims of the Philippines constitute an important sector of our society and should be involved in the formulation of the government;

WHEREAS, the government considers it essential in the statement of the goals and programs for Muslim Mindanao to periodic consultation with a representative body of Muslims;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND E, MARCOS, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution as commander-in-Chief of all the Armed Forces of the Philippines, the pursuant to Proclamation No. 1081, dated September 21, 1972, and General Order No. 1, dated September 1972, as amended do hereby create a Consultative Council on Affairs.

The President shall preside in the meetings of the Council, the members of which shall include:

1. All former Muslim members of the House of Representatives and the House of Senate.
2. All former Muslim Delegates to the Constitutional Convention.
3. All retired Muslim AFP officers with the rank of Colonel or higher and retired Muslim Ambassadors.
4. The following individuals shall be among the members of the Council:

Dr. Mauyag Tamano	– President, MSU
Mr. Yusoph Tan	– Jolo
Mastura Usman	– Lanao del Norte
Hadji Malamit Umpa	– Lanao del Norte
Sultan Mohammad Mahakuta	
Kram of Sulu	
Datu Bara Lidasan	– Maguindanao
Mayor Piang Singcoy	– South Cotabato
Mr. Abdul Yahya	– Davao del Sur
Mr. Banharim Guniomla	– Davao City
Datu Odin Sinsuat	– Maguindanao
Datu Udtog Matalam	– Cotabato
Datu Guiwan Mastura	– Maguindanao
Datu Amirbahar Halun	– Tawi-Tawi