

[EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 246, December 31, 1939]

**EFFECTING CERTAIN ADJUSTMENTS OF THE PERSONNEL OF THE
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF
AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE, THE BUREAU OF LANDS, AND
THE BUREAU OF FORESTRY, AND ABOLISHING THE DIVISION OF
VETERINARY RESEARCH IN THE BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY
AND CREATING A DIVISION OF PARASITOLOGY AND
PROTOZOOLOGY AND A DIVISION OF PATHOLOGY AND
BACTERIOLOGY IN LIEU THEREOF**

The public interest so demanding, I, Manuel L. Quezon, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers in me vested by Commonwealth Act Numbered Four hundred and fifty-three, do ordain and promulgate the following:

1. The Office of the Secretary, Department of Agriculture and Commerce, shall have the following administrative units and positions in lieu of those provided for the said office in Commonwealth Acts Numbered Four hundred and forty-six, four hundred and eighteen, and Act Numbered Three Thousand nine hundred and fifty-three:

See Table in MOP, Bk 3, v.4, 94

The positions in items 4, 16, 19, 21, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, 32, 34, 38, 39, 40, 43, 44, 45, 52, 54, and 58 shall continue to be paid from the appropriation for the eradication and control of anthrax, rinderpest, foot-and-mouth, and other animal diseases, under Acts Numbered Thirty-one hundred and nineteen, Thirty-one hundred and sixty-six, and Thirty-eight hundred and twenty-five, and Commonwealth Act Numbered One hundred and thirty-four, as provided in items G-IV-8 (e) to (u), pages 205 to 206 of Commonwealth Act Numbered Four hundred and forty-six; items 5, 6, 7, 8, 15, and 28 from the appropriation for the personnel of the Philippine livestock promotion fund, for carrying out the provisions of Commonwealth Act Numbered One hundred and eighteen, item G-IV-8(a) to (v), pages 208 and 209 of the same Act; and item 13 from the appropriation for the personnel of the stock farms, breeding stations, slaughterhouses, and animal products fund, under Act Numbered Twenty-seven hundred and fifty-eight as amended, item G-IV-7(r), page 207 also of the same Act.

The rates of compensation herein given shall be subject to adjustments in accordance with the classification and allocation of positions that may be made by the Salary Board.

5. The appropriations for certain items under sundry expenses authorized for the Department of Agriculture and Commerce in Commonwealth Act Numbered Four hundred and forty-six are hereby feed as follows:

6. The appropriations for certain items under sundry expenses authorized for the