[OP EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 811, June 17, 2009]

ADOPTING THE FIRST TRANCHE OF THE MODIFIED SALARY SCHEDULE OF CIVILIAN PERSONNEL AND BASE PAY SCHEDULE OF MILITARY AND UNIFORMED PERSONNEL IN THE GOVERNMENT, AS WELL AS THE MODIFIED POSITION CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM PURSUANT TO SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4, S. 2009

WHEREAS, Senate and the House of Representatives Joint Resolution No. 4, s. 2009, authorizes the President of the Philippines to modify the existing Compensation and Position Classification System of civilian personnel and the Base Pay Schedule of military and uniformed personnel;

WHEREAS, said authority shall be exercised in accordance with the governing principles, coverage and particulars of the modified Compensation and Position Classification System prescribed in the Joint Resolution;

WHEREAS, the amount of P18.4 billion is appropriated under the Miscellaneous Personnel Benefits Fund in Republic Act No. 9524 or the Fiscal Year 2009 General Appropriations Act, to cover the compensation adjustments necessary to implement the first tranche of the modified Salary Schedule for civilian personnel and Base Pay Schedule for military and uniformed personnel in the national government;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, Presidential Decree No. 985, Presidential Decree No. 1597, Republic Act No. 6758, as amended by the Senate and House of Representatives Joint Resolution No. 01 approved on March 7, 1994, and Senate and House of Representatives Joint Resolution No. 4 approved on June 17, 2009, do hereby order and direct:

SECTION 1. Purpose - This Executive Order is issued in accordance with House of Representatives Joint Resolution No. 4, s. 2009, and shall:

- (a) prescribe the first tranche of the modified salary schedule of civilian personnel and base pay schedule of military and uniformed personnel in the government; and
- (b) direct the review and modification of the position classification system.

SECTION 2. Coverage and Exclusion

(a) Civilian Personnel - The modified Compensation and Position Classification System shall cover all positions for civilian personnel in the Executive, Legislative and Judicial Branches, the Constitutional Commissions, State Universities and Colleges (SUCs), Government-Owned or Controlled

Corporations (GOCCs), Government Financial Institutions (GFIs), and Local Government Units (LGUs), whether regular, casual, or contractual in nature, appointive or elective, on full-time or part time basis, now existing or hereafter created.

The following shall be excluded from the coverage of the System:

- (i) individuals and groups of personnel whose services are engaged through job orders, contracts of services, or others similarly situated; and
- (ii) positions for civilian personnel in government entities which are authorized by law to adopt, and are actually implementing their own compensation and position classification systems.
- (b) Military and Uniformed Personnel The modified Base Pay Schedule provided in item (8) of said Joint Resolution, shall cover the military personnel under the Department of National Defense (DND) and uniformed personnel under the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG), Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), and National Mapping and Resource Information Authority (NAMRIA).

SECTION 3. Implementation Period -

- (a) For national government agencies (NGAs), the Salary Schedule in item (4) (b) and the Base Pay Schedule in item (8) of said Joint Resolution, shall be implemented in four (4) equal yearly tranches, but in no case beyond four (4) years.
- (b) For GOCCs, GFIs, and LGUs, the implementation period shall be four (4) years or more depending on their financial capability.

SECTION 4. First Tranche of Implementation -

- (a) For Civilian Personnel -
- (i) For NGA, GOCC and GFI Personnel -

The salary rates shall be in accordance with the First Tranche Monthly Salary Schedule for Civilian Government Personnel Effective July 1, 2009 attached as Annex "A"[*].

(ii) For LGU Personnel -

The salary rates for LGU personnel shall be determined by the sanggunian, on the basis of LGU income class and financial capability: Provided, That such salary rates shall not exceed the applicable percentages shown in the table below, pursuant to item 7(a) of the Joint Resolution: Provided, Further That the resulting personal services (PS) cost shall not exceed the PS limitation in local government budgets, as provided under