[PROCLAMATION NO. 596, April 02, 2004]

EXCLUDING FROM THE OPERATION OF PROCLAMATION NO. 573 DATED JUNE 26, 1969, WHICH ESTABLISHED THE ANGAT RIVER-BUSTOS DAM FOREST RESERVE SITUATED IN THE PROVINCE OF BULACAN, A CERTAIN PORTION OF THE LAND EMBRACED THEREIN, LOCATED IN BARANGAYS BAYABAS AND CABAYUNAN, MUNICIPALITY OF DOÑA REMEDIOS TRINIDAD, PROVINCE OF BULACAN, AND RESERVING THE SAME AS THE SITE OF THE BAYABAS DAM PROJECT

Upon recommendation of the Secretary of Environment and Natural Resources, and by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, **I, GLORIA MACAPAGAL-ARROYO**, President of the Republic of the Philippines, do hereby exclude from the operation of Proclamation No. 573 dated June 26, 1969, which established the Angat River-Bustos Dam Forest Reserve situated in the Province of Bulacan, a certain portion of the land embraced therein, located in Barangays Bayabas and Cabayunan, Municipality of Doña Remedios Trinidad, Province of Bulacan, and reserving the same as the site of the Bayabas Dam Project, subject to private rights, if there be any, and to final survey, which portion of land is more particularly described as follows:

A PARCEL OF LAND, (Portion of Parcel No. 5 {Angat River-Bustos Dam Forest Reserve}, Porclamation No. 573 dated June 26, 1969), located at Bayabas and Cabayunan, Doña Remedios Trinidad, Bulacan, bounded on the North, East, South and West by portion of Parcel No. 5, Proclamation No. 573.

Beginning at a point marked "1" on the plan, with Latitude 15 deg. 57 min. 16 sec. N. and Longitude = 120 deg. 05 min. 57 sec. E, thence:

- N. 48-00 E., 4,592.00 M to point 2;
- S. 86-00 E., 1,618.00 M to point 3;
- N. 57-00 E., 2,108.00 M to point 4;
- S. 27-00 E., 1,451.00 M to point 5;
- S. 38-00 W., 3,979.00 M to point 6;
- S. 26-00 W., 1,992.00 M to point 7;
- N. 83-55 W., 3,643.48 M to point 8;
- N. 16-23 W., 1,797.80 M to point of