

[PROCLAMATION NO. 884, January 10, 2020]

DECLARING FRIDAY, 17 JANUARY 2020, A SPECIAL (NON-WORKING) DAY IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF KALIBO, PROVINCE OF AKLAN

WHEREAS, the Province of Aklan celebrates the *Ati-Atihan* Festival every month of January to depict and commemorate the way of life during the period when the ten (10) Bornean Datus landed on and purchased the Island of Panay to settle thereon for a life of peace and freedom;

WHEREAS, the *Ati-Atihan* Festival highlights the rich cultural heritage of the Filipino and the customs and traditions of Aklan as a province;

WHEREAS, the *Ati-Atihan* Festival has significantly contributed to the promotion of our tourism industry; and

WHEREAS, it is but fitting and proper that the people of the Municipality of Kalibo be given full opportunity to celebrate and participate in the occasion with appropriate ceremonies;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA, Executive Secretary, by authority of the President, **RODRIGO ROA DUTERTE**, do hereby declare Friday, 17 January 2020, a special (non-working) day in the Municipality of Kalibo, Province of Aklan.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 10th day of January, in the year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Twenty.

By authority of the President:

(SGD.) **SALVADOR C. MEDIALDEA**
Executive Secretary

