

PROCLAMATION NO. 479

DECLARING THE EXISTENCE OF A STATE OF PUBLIC CALAMITY IN CERTAIN AREAS  
OF REGIONS III, IV, V AND ALL CITIES AND MUNICIPALITIES OF THE  
NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION

WHEREAS, tropical storm "Saling" inflicted a heavy toll on human lives and damage to infrastructures, such as roads, bridges, flood control and public buildings, in certain areas of Regions III, IV, V and all cities and municipalities in the National Capital Region according to initial report of the National Disaster Coordinating Council;

WHEREAS, a state of public calamity exists in the aforesaid areas arising from the effects of typhoon "Saling";

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby proclaim that a state of public calamity exists in the following areas:

Region III

Bataan  
Pampanga  
Bulacan  
Zambales  
Angeles City  
Olongapo City

Region IV

Cavite  
Batangas  
Laguna  
Marinduque  
Quezon  
Cavite City  
Tagaytay City  
San Pablo City  
Batangas City  
Lucena City

Region V

Albay  
Masbate  
Sorsogon  
Legaspi City

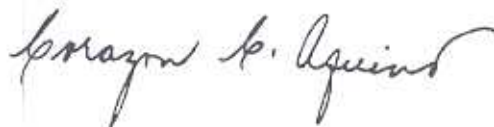
National Capital Region

All cities and municipalities


All departments and other government agencies concerned are hereby directed to implement and execute relief and rehabilitation work in accordance with existing operational plans and directives and orders issued in connection with calamities.

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 12th day of October, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and eighty-nine.



By the President:



CATALINO MACARAIG, JR.  
Executive Secretary