



Republic of the Philippines
PROVINCE OF NUEVA ECIJA
Municipality of Gabaldon
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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2017-12
DECLARING JULY 27, 2017 AS LOCAL
NON WORKING HOLIDAY

WHEREAS, the Separation of Church and of State is explicit under the 1987 Constitution. However, also explicit is the Constitutional Freedom of Religion. To give respect and high regard to the faith of the constituency as well as to the manner how this faith is professed, is never prohibited but encouraged and enjoined.

WHEREAS, July 27, 2017 marks the **ONE HUNDRED THIRD FOUNDING ANNIVERSARY of IGLESIA NI CRISTO**, one of the most respected Religious Group in the country and in the Municipality of Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija.

WHEREAS, thousands of the members of IGLESIA NI CRISTO in Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija, will take part in the said celebration. In the same manner, the members of the IGLESIA NI CRISTO, who are working at the government will also take part in this momentous occasion.

WHEREAS, to make manifest the high respect of this municipality to IGLESIA NI CRISTO, and to enable government employees to take part in the solemn and valuable celebration of faith, it is imperative to declare the date: July 27, 2017 as a Local Non-Working Holiday.

NOW THEREFORE, I, **JOBBY PETINES EMATA**, Acting Local Chief Executive of Municipality of Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija, by virtue of the power vested upon me by Sec. 444, par 2 (iii) of the Local Government Code of the Philippines, do hereby **DECLARE** that: **JULY 27, 2017** be a **Non Working Holiday** within the jurisdiction of Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija.

Decreed this 21st day of July 2017 here at Municipal Hall, North Poblacion, Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija.

JOBBY PETINES EMATA
Acting Municipal Mayor

Cc: All Government Instrumentalities in Gabaldon, Nueva Ecija