

# [ PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 862, December 29, 1975 ]

## AMENDING PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 810 DATED OCTOBER 16, 1975, ENTITLED "AN ACT GRANTING A FRANCHISE TO OPERATE, CONSTRUCT AND MAINTAIN A FRONTON FOR BASQUE PELOTA AND SIMILAR GAMES OF SKILL IN THE GREATER MANILA AREA."

I, **FERDINAND E. MARCOS**, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, do hereby order and decree:

**SECTION 1.** Section 5 of Presidential Decree No. 810 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"**SEC. 5.** The provision of any existing law to the contrary notwithstanding, the grantee is hereby authorized to hold Basque Pelota games (including the games of *pala*, *raqueta*, *cestapunta*, *remonte* and *mano*) on all days of the weeks except (a) Sundays, (b) Independence Day or June 12, (c) Holy Thursday, (d) Good Friday, (e) December 30 and (f) election days: *Provided*, That games with bets may also be allowed on Sundays upon prior approval by the President of the Philippines for the benefit of charitable or public welfare institutions."

**SEC. 2.** This Decree shall take effect immediately.

Done in the City of Manila, this 29th day of December, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and seventy-five.

(Sgd.) **FERDINAND E. MARCOS**  
President  
Republic of the  
Philippines

By the President:

(Sgd.) **JUAN C. TUVERA**  
Presidential  
Assistant



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