

**[ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER NO. 82, August 08,
1988]**

**CREATING THE JOINT EXECUTIVE-LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE TO
UNDERTAKE STUDIES ON THE ALTERNATIVE USES OF U.S.
MILITARY FACILITIES IN PHILIPPINE BASES**

WHEREAS, Section 25, Article XVIII, of the 1987 Constitution provides, that: "After the expiration in 1991 of the Agreement between the Republic of the Philippines and the United States of America concerning Military Bases, foreign military bases, troops, or facilities shall not be allowed in the Philippines except under a treaty duly concurred in by the Senate and, when the Congress so requires, ratified by a majority of the votes cast by the people in a national referendum held for that purpose, and recognized as a treaty by the other contracting State";

WHEREAS, there is a need to conduct in-depth studies on the alternative uses of the bases including concrete plans and programs of implementation to enable the Philippine Government to respond immediately in the event a new treaty on military bases is not entered into;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CORAZON C. AQUINO, President of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by law, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. There is hereby created a Joint Executive-Legislative Committee, hereinafter referred to as the Committee, to be composed of:

Secretary of Foreign Affairs	- Chairman
Secretary of Finance	- Member
Secretary of Agriculture	- Member
Secretary of Labor and Employment	- Member
Secretary of National Defense	- Member
Secretary of Trade and Industry	- Member
Secretary of Socio-Economic Planning	- Member
Executive Secretary	- Member
Chairman, Senate Committee on Foreign Relations	- Member
Chairman, House Committee on Foreign Affairs	- Member
Chairman, Senate Committee on Economic Affairs	- Member
Chairman, House Committee on Economic Affairs	- Member
Chairman, Senate Committee on National Defense	- Member
Chairman, House Committee on	- Member