

[EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 162, February 14, 2014]

**DECLARING AND DELINEATING THE SAN JOSE PORT ZONE AND
PLACING IT UNDER THE ADMINISTRATIVE JURISDICTION OF
THE PHILIPPINE PORTS AUTHORITY (PPA)**

WHEREAS , Section 5, Article IV of Presidential Decree (PD) No. 857, or the "Revised Charter of the PPA," provides that the PPA may submit to the President, through the National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA), applications for the declaration of specific areas as Port Districts (Port Zones);

WHEREAS , Section 3 of Executive Order No. 410 (s. 1990), which provides for new guidelines for the processing of applications for port zone delineation, states that applications which are jointly recommended for approval by the Philippine Ports Authority and Regional Development Council shall be submitted directly to the Office of the President;

WHEREAS , the Port of San Jose is strategically located in the Municipality of San Jose, the growth center of seven (7) municipalities in the Province of Dinagat Islands;

WHEREAS , the said Port, being the principal maritime gateway to the Province of Dinagat Islands, has a significant impact in the development of economic activities and improvement in the delivery of basic services; and

WHEREAS , there is a need to define the Port zone of San Jose for the planning, development, financing, and operation of said Port with the objective of promoting development through the dispersal of industries and commercial activities throughout the different regions.

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

SECTION 1. Port of San Jose. The territorial jurisdiction of the Port of San Jose situated in Barangay Poblacion, Municipality of San Jose, Province of Dinagat Islands, is hereby delineated and established, particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point marked 1 on the plan, being S. 48 deg. 38' W., 3,003.03 m. from SRN 30 NAMRIA, San Jose, Dinagat Islands, thence:

N.	68 deg.	18'	E.,	12.29 m.	to point 2;
S.	83 deg.	19'	E.,	19.77 m.	to point 3;
S.	60 deg.	34'	E.,	14.94 m.	to point 4;
N.	26 deg.	56'	E.,	3.32 m.	to point 5;
S.	84 deg.	28'	E.,	42.00 m.	to point 6;
S.	74 deg.	27'	E.,	18.33 m.	to point 7;
S.	77 deg.	50'	E.,	30.52 m.	to point 8;