[EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 704, July 13, 1981]

PROMULGATING RULES FOR THE ADMISSION TO THE PHILIPPINE SCHOOLS OF THE MINOR CHILDREN OF FOREIGN PERMANENT RESIDENTS IN THE PHILIPPINES UNDER SECTION 9 (f) OF THE PHILIPPINE IMMIGRATION LAW OF 1940 AS AMENDED AND SECTION 7, OF EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 104, SERIES OF 1968

TO : The Ministry of Justice The Ministry of Foreign Affairs The Ministry of Education and Culture The Commission on Immigration and Deportation

The following rules and regulations are hereby adopted for the admission to Philippine schools of the minor children of the foreign permanent residents in the Philippines.

(1) Resident children of foreign permanent residents in the Philippines who are above seven (7) years of age and registered as such with the Commission on Immigration and Deportation may enroll in any elementary or secondary school in the Philippines, PROVIDED that the following conditions be present:

(a) The parents of the applicant are foreign permanent residents in the Philippines and have legally acquired their admission status as such;

(b) The applicant is the legitimate child of a foreign permanent resident in the Philippines;

(c) The applicant is qualified to enroll in any elementary school or high school in the Philippines under the rules and regulations promulgated by the Ministry of Education and Culture on the enrollment of foreign students.

(2) Non-resident children of foreign permanent resident/s in the Philippines who are above seven (7) years of age and are coming to the Philippines for the sole purpose of enrolling in any elementary school or secondary school in the Philippines, may be admitted and issued a student visa under Section 9 (f) of the Philippine Immigration Act/Act of 1940, as amended, by applying to the Philippine Consular Office at the port of origin. No student visa shall be issued by the Philippine Consular Office abroad unless approved by the home office and subject to the same conditions imposed for the enrollment of the resident children of the foreign permanent residents in the Philippines and to the following conditions:

(a) The applicant is not excludable under Section 29 of the Immigration Law;