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**EXECUTIVE PROGRAM OF THE CULTURAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA FOR
1996 AND 1997**

The Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the People's Republic of China, desiring to develop and strengthen further the cultural exchanges and friendly relations existing between the two countries, on the basis of the Cultural Agreement signed in Beijing on July 8, 1979, have agreed, through mutual consultations, on the following Executive Program for Cultural Exchanges for 1996-1997, subject to the laws and regulations of each country:

**ARTICLE I
CULTURAL ADMINISTRATION AND RESEARCH**

1. Both sides will exchange visits of a delegation each of five (5) members composed of researchers, cultural administrators, artists, and experts in related fields of study for interaction and observation of culture and arts resource management practices, for ten (10) days.
2. Both sides will exchange visits of a delegation each of eight (8) members composed of cultural workers and planners for ten (10) days.
3. Both sides will exchange visits of five (5) national artists for ten (10) days.

**ARTICLE II
PERFORMING ARTS**

4. Both sides will exchange visits each year of a three (3) member team of theater experts composed of a Director, Set and Costume Designer, and a Technical Director for exposure and study tour of traditional theater productions/institutions for ten (10) days.
5. Both sides will send a thirty-five (35) member delegation of performing artists for seven (7) days.
6. Both sides will exchange visits of a musician/composer of folk or ethnic music for ten (10) days.

**ARTICLE III
FILM**

7. The Philippine side will send one or two film educators and/or an independent filmmaker for interaction and study tour of different film institutions.

The Chinese side will send one or two of its young and/or middle-aged film directors as well as representative films to the Philippines.

Details of the exchange will be discussed by the relevant agencies.

**ARTICLE IV
EDUCATION**