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Although I am now retiring to my private business, I wish to say that, with the welfare of the Philippines at heart, I will always stand ready to render any service or possible help which the Chamber may be in need of in furthering its purposes.

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Executive Order No. 302
**AMENDING EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 297, DATED
DECEMBER 24, 1949**

BY virtue of the powers vested in me by Republic Act No. 330, entitled “AN ACT AUTHORIZING THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF IMPORT CONTROL BY REGULATING IMPORTS OF NON-ESSENTIAL AND LUXURY ARTICLES, CREATING AN IMPORT CONTROL BOARD, AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF RULES AND REGULATIONS TO CARRY INTO EFFECT SUCH CONTROL AND PENALIZING VIOLATIONS OF THIS ACT,” I, **ELPIDIO QUIRINO**, President of the Philippines, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. Section 2 of Executive Order No. 297 is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Articles or materials included in Appendix ‘A’ which are necessary for the operation of locally established industries and THOSE NEEDED IN CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS COVERED BY REHABILITATION CONTRACTS, FINANCED PARTLY OR WHOLLY BY WAR DAMAGE FUNDS, as determined IN EACH CASE by the Import Control Board, shall not be subject to the percentage reduction fixed in Appendix ‘B’; but the manufacturer OR CONTRACTOR shall apply for import permit therefor.”

Done in the City of Manila, this 14th day of February, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and fifty, and of the independence of the Philippines, the fourth.

(SGD.) **ELPIDIO QUIRINO**
President of the Philippines

By the President:

(SGD.) **MARCIANO ROQUE**
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