

PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 1-81

WHEREAS, the inauguration of the first constitutional government and for the President, Vice-President of the Republic of Palau, and members of the National Congress of the Republic of Palau has been scheduled to be held starting on January 30, 1981; and

WHEREAS, January 30, 1981, falls on Friday, a regular working day for the government employees of the Republic of Palau where these employees of the Republic of Palau desire to take part of and participate in the National Inauguration as their special national day; and

WHEREAS, the government employees will not be able to attend or participate that portion of the inauguration which takes place on January 30, 1981, unless this date is declared a National Holiday by the President of the Republic of Palau through an appropriate proclamation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Haruo I. Remeliik, by virtue of the power vested in me by Section 7, Article VIII, of the Constitution of the Republic of Palau do hereby declare January 30, 1981, a National Inauguration Holiday in and for the Republic of Palau. All employees of the Republic of Palau, except those who are assigned to attend and carry on the necessary and uninterrupted function of the government, may be released from their assignment to observe and participate the national inauguration.

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Haruo I. Remeliik
President of the Republic of Palau