

## **PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 05-94**

*To establish August 1994 as "National Beautification Month "*

WHEREAS, having clean and sanitary surroundings will help preserve our fragile ecosystem, create a more healthy environment and is more attractive for Palauans and our guests; and

WHEREAS, the National Government has a policy to help create a healthy environment in all States of the Republic for the benefit of all citizens; and

WHEREAS, between September 12-15, 1994 the Republic will be celebrating the liberation of Palau and commemorating the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Battle of Peleliu and veterans of the battle, their families, military personnel and other guests are expected for the commemoration; and

WHEREAS, on October 1, 1994 the Republic anticipates implementing the Compact of Free Association and having appropriate festivities related thereto to which numerous foreign guests and dignitaries will be invited; and

WHEREAS, increased activities in Palau have led to increased levels of pollution on land and in the marine environment; and

WHEREAS, tourism has been, and will continue to be, one of the major industries in the Republic; and a clean environment is an important part of maintaining Palau as a desirable tourist location;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as President of the Republic of Palau, it is hereby proclaimed that the month of August 1994 is hereby established as "National Beautification Month" and a Palau Beautification Committee will be established to organize the Republic's beautification efforts.

SO PROCLAIMED this 29<sup>th</sup> day of July 1994, at Koror State, Republic of Palau.

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Kuniwo Nakamura  
President of the Republic of Palau