

PRESIDENTIAL PROCLAMATION NO. 06-63

*Honoring the Late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil and
Directing that Flags Shall Be Flown at Half Staff in his Memory*

WHEREAS, on January 16, 2006, the late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil, born in Angaur on November 24, 1939, was called to his eternal rest at his home in Idid Hamlet, Koror State at the age of 67 years; and

WHEREAS, the late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil faithfully served the Republic of Palau as a whole during his term in the Senate of the First Olbiil Era Kelulau, where he served as Chairman of the Senate Committee on Ways and Means and Vice Chairman of the Joint Committee on Capital Improvement Programs and Budget; and

WHEREAS, the late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil held several important government positions prior to his term in the Senate, such as treasurer for the Palau Legislature, Fiscal Officer for the Trust Territory Department of Education and Auditor for the Trust Territory Government; and

WHEREAS, the late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil served as Chief Midchuls, the sixth ranking traditional chief of the State of Angaur, Ngerbelau Clan and he was greatly respected as a traditional leader; and

WHEREAS, the late Senator Edward Edobo Temengil is survived by his wife, Isabella Sumang, nine children, brothers Johanes Temengil and Moses Y. Uludong, sisters Masae Kintaro, Sekang T. Schmull, Philomena Temengil and Baklai Temengil, as well as numerous nieces, nephews, aunties and uncles; and

WHEREAS, he will also be missed by his many friends and relatives in the State of Angaur and the Republic of Palau as a whole.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me under the Constitution and laws of the Republic of Palau, and by virtue of the provisions of Executive Order No. 24, I, Tommy E. Remengesau, Jr., President of the Republic of Palau, hereby proclaim, that as a showing of our respect, all flags regularly flown within the jurisdiction of Palau and flags of the Republic of Palau flown at the embassies and consulates of Palau in other countries shall be hoisted at half mast for a period of five days, commencing January 24, 2006.

SO PROCLAIMED this 22nd day of January, 2006, at Koror State, Republic of Palau.

/s/

Tommy E. Remengesau, Jr.
President of the Republic of Palau