

# SECOND JOINT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

TO EFFECTIVELY IMPLEMENT THE GENERAL CESSATION OF HOSTILITIES AND THUS AVOID ARMED ENCOUNTERS OR CONFRONTATIONS BETWEEN THE GRP AND MILF FORCES, RESPECTIVELY, WE, THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE AGREED TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE FOLLOWING CAMPS/POSITIONS OF MILF

- 1 CAMP BILAL IN LANAOS NORTE AND LANAOS SUR;
- 2 CAMP RAJAMUDA IN NORTH COTABATO AND MAGUINDANAO
- 3 CAMP DARAPANAN/USAMA BIN ZAIID IN MAGUINDANAO
- 4 CAMP QMAR IBN AL-KHATTAB IN MAGUINDANAO; AND
- 5 CAMP BADRE IN MAGUINDANAO

THIS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- A. THAT THE SIZES OF THE ABOVE-MENTIONED CAMPS/POSITION SHALL BE LIMITED TO THOSE AREAS WHERE THE MILF FORCES ARE ACTUALLY SITUATED.
- B. THAT THE EFFECTIVITY OF THIS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SHALL BE FOR THE DURATION OF THE GRP-MILF PEACE TALKS;
- C. THAT ALL CONCERNED GOVERNMENT AGENCIES SHALL BE CONSULTED IN THE VERIFICATION PROCESS OF SAID AREAS, AND
- D. POLICE AND MILITARY ACTIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE ACTIVITIES SHALL CONTINUE TO BE UNDERTAKEN BY THE GRP THROUGHOUT MINDANAO AND THE ENTIRE COUNTRY. IN PURSUIT THEREOF, CONFRONTATIONAL SITUATION BETWEEN THE GRP AND MILF FORCES SHALL BE AVOIDED BY PRIOR COORDINATION WITH THE LATTER.

DONE THIS 6<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF OCTOBER, 1999, AT THE PROVINCIAL CAPITOL BUILDING, CROSSING SIMUAY, SULTAN KUDARAT, MAGUINDANAO.

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