



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
MANILA

January 30, 1991

CUSTOMS MEMORANDUM ORDER

No. 9 - 91

Subject: Boarding of Vessels

Reports reaching this Office indicate that besides duly authorized boarding officers assigned to foreign vessels, there are other Customs employees particularly personnel from the Enforcement and Security Service without proper authorization who board these vessels.

In order to put an end to this unlawful practice, only Customs personnel authorized by existing laws and those authorized by the Commissioner of Customs or the Director of the Enforcement and Security Service, are allowed to board foreign vessels. In case of outports, the authority to board vessels shall be the responsibility of the concerned Collector of Customs.

For strict compliance.

This Order takes effect on JAN 30 1991 and shall last until revoked.

Salvador M. Mison
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Commissioner