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BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF PUERTO RICO

A PROCLAMATION

1956 Census of Manufactures

WHEREAS, the Government of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico is fostering a program of economic and industrial development, for the purpose of creating new opportunities for employment and improving the standard of living of our people;

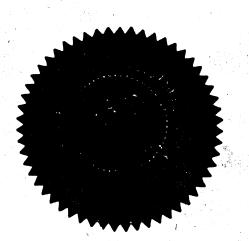
WHEREAS, it is in the interest of the people of Puerto Rico to take periodic inventory of its industrial resources and determine periodically the levels of progress achieved under its program;

WHEREAS, the most recent information concerning the Censuses of Manufactures, covering the years 1952 and 1954 respectively, does not reflect current industrial progress, thus making it necessary to bring such information up to date in order to assess properly the economic and social progress of the period;

WHEREAS, Act No. 11, approved March 27, 1950, provides that Censuses of Manufactures be taken in Puerto Rico, whenever the Governor deems that they are in the public interest; the act also requiring that manufacturers answer all questions fully and faithfully and guaranteeing that the information supplied will be accorded confidential treatment and will be used for statistical purposes only;

NOW THEREFORE, I, LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, by virtue of the power vested in me by Act No. 11 of March 27, 1950, do hereby proclaim and ordain that a Census of Manufactures covering the calendar year 1956 be taken in Puerto Rico; and I designate

the Puerto Rico Planning Board to fulfill the provisions of the aforementioned Law and of the present Proclamation.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused
the Great Seal of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico to be
affixed, at the City of San
Juan, this 22nd.day of January, A. D., nineteen hundred
and fifty-seven.

(Sgd.) LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN Governor

Promulgated according to law this 23pdday of January, 1957.

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