

LA FORTALEZA
Puerto Rico

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BY THE GOVERNOR OF THE COMMONWEALTH
OF PUERTO RICO

A PROCLAMATION

Maritime Day, 1954

WHEREAS, the Merchant Marine has been in the past as well as at present, a vital factor in our defense and our economic life;

WHEREAS, the Merchant Marine by facilitating the international exchange contributes to the proximity of nations;

WHEREAS, it is traditional that the 22 of May of each year is designated as Maritime Day;

NOW THEREFORE, I, LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, do hereby urge the people of Puerto Rico to honor the Merchant Marine on Saturday, May 22, 1954 by flying the flag of the United States and Puerto Rico at their homes, and other suitable places. I direct likewise that the flag be displayed in all Government buildings in honor of the Merchant Marine.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have here-
unto set my hand and caused to
be affixed the Great Seal of
the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico,
at the City of San Juan, this
29 day of April, A. D. nineteen
hundred and fifty four.

(Sgd.) LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN
Governor

Promulgated according to law, this 29 day of April, 1954.

(Sgd.) ADOLFO PORRATA DORIA
Acting Assistant Secretary of State

