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A PROCLAMATION

BY THE GOVERNOR OF PUERTO RICO

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of House Concurrent Resolution No. 24, approved June 22, 1960, the proposal for amendment to Section 4 of Article V of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico was submitted, for approval or rejection, to the qualified voters of Puerto Rico in the general elections held in Puerto Rico on November 8, 1960, as follows:

"Section 4.-The Supreme Court shall sit, in accordance with rules adopted by it, as a full court or in divisions composed of not less than 3 Justices. No law shall be held unconstitutional except by a majority of the total number of Justices of which the Court is composed in accordance with this Constitution or with Law."

WHEREAS, the General Supervisor of Elections of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, after completing the corresponding canvassing, has certified to the undersigned the results of the said voting, as follows:

Amendment to Article V, Section 4-

Votes in favor- 380,523

Votes Against- 104,748

WHEREAS, the final result of the said voting shows the will of the qualified voters of Puerto Rico to ratify, by a majority, the said amendment;

NOW THEREFORE, I, LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN, Governor of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, pursuant to the provisions of the Constitution and of House Concurrent Resolution No. 24 of June 22, 1960, hereby order that the amendment to Section 4 of Article V of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, as ratified by the qualified voters of Puerto Rico in the general elections held on November 8, 1960, take effect, after this date, with all its force and effect.

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 16th day of December,  
A.D. nineteen hundred and sixty.

(Sgd.) LUIS MUÑOZ MARIN  
Governor

Promulgated according to law, this 16th day of December, 1960.

Secretary of State