

Executive Order No. 2004-10

**AN ORDER CREATING A COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE THE FIRE INCIDENT
THAT GUTTED THE POPONG'S SUPERMART ON OCTOBER 2, 2004 AND
APPOINTING THE MEMBERS THEREOF**

Whereas, at around 3:35 p.m. of October 2,2004, a fire of unknown origin razed the Popong's Supermart along Consunji St., a stone's throwaway from the City Hall of CSF;

Whereas, the fire was of such magnitude and ferocity that several victims are feared to have been trapped and perished in the incident;

Whereas, in order to avoid similar incidents in the future that could lead to the further destruction of lives and property, there is a need to investigate the cause of the fire and ascertain whether there are violations of fire safety standards and pertinent laws and /or ordinances;

Whereas, in the event that violations are found to have been committed, the city government will enforce the corresponding measures to ensure that such tragedies will not occur in the future.

Now, therefore, by the powers vested in me, I, Oscar S. Rodriguez, City Mayor, do hereby order the creation of an Investigation Committee which shall have the power to conduct the investigation of the fire incident and recommend measures and sanction against proven erring officials and individuals found to be liable therefore that will prevent the occurrence of such incident in the future, to be composed of the ff:

1. Atty. Cecil L. Andin - Chairman
2. Hon. Alex Patio
3. Hon. Reden Halili
4. Hon. Ruperto Dumlao
5. Engr. Ferdinand Z. Caylao
6. Ms. Sonia Soto
7. Engr. Renato L. Santos

I have affixed my signature and caused the seal of the City of San Fernando, Pampanga this 2nd day of October 2004 at 11:30 p.m.