

# Presidential Documents

**Title 3—**

**Executive Order 12854 of July 4, 1993**

**The President**

**Implementation of the Cuban Democracy Act**

By the authority vested in me as President by the Constitution and the laws of the United States of America, including the Trading with the Enemy Act, as amended (50 U.S.C. App. 1-6, 7-39, 41-44), the Cuban Democracy Act of 1992 (Public Law 102-484, sections 1701-1712, October 23, 1992, 106 Stat. 2575) (the "Act"), and section 301 of title 3, United States Code,

I, WILLIAM J. CLINTON, President of the United States of America, hereby order:

**Section 1. *Implementation of the Act.*** All agencies are hereby directed to take all appropriate measures within their authority, including the promulgation of rules and regulations, to carry out the provisions of the Act.

**Sec. 2. *Functions of the Department of State.*** The Secretary of State shall be responsible for implementing sections 1704, 1707, and 1708 of the Act. Responsibility for transmitting the certification required by section 1707 and the report required by section 1708 of the Act is delegated to the Secretary of State.

**Sec. 3. *Functions of the Department of the Treasury.*** Except as provided in section 4 of this order, the Secretary of the Treasury shall be responsible for implementing sections 1705(b)-(e) and 1706 of the Act, to the extent that these sections pertain to transactions with Cuba.

**Sec. 4. *Functions of the Department of Commerce.*** The Secretary of Commerce shall be responsible for implementing sections 1705(b)-(e) of the Act, to the extent that these sections pertain to the exportation to Cuba from the United States or from a third country of goods and technology subject to the jurisdiction of the Department of Commerce.

**Sec. 5. *Consultation.*** In consultation with the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Treasury and the Secretary of Commerce are hereby authorized to take such actions, including the promulgation of rules and regulations, as may be necessary to carry out the purposes of the Act and this order.

**Sec. 6.** Nothing in this order shall be deemed to affect any functions vested by law in the Federal Communications Commission.

**Sec. 7. *Effective Date.*** This order shall be effective immediately.



THE WHITE HOUSE,  
July 4, 1993.