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RESULTS OF THE CONSULAR OUTREACH IN HOUSTON, TX

Los Angeles, 11 August 2009 – Vice Consul Ruel U. Gunabe led a team from the Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles and conducted a consular outreach program at the Notre Dame Church Community Center in Houston, TX on 1-2 August 2009.

The consular outreach program was undertaken in cooperation with the ***Philippine American Chamber of Commerce of Texas (PACC Texas)*** and the ***Filipino American Council of South Texas (FACOST)***.

The following are the number of services rendered during the two-day outreach program: renewal of passports (730), dual citizenship (97), replacement of loss passport (12), issuance of travel document (2), notarization of documents (8), and civil registry (23).

In addition, a total of 424 applicants signed up for Overseas Absentee Voting (OAV) registration.

Vice Consul Gunabe was accompanied by the following members of the consular team: Vice Consul John G. Reyes (OAV), Elias J. Balawag, Bernardino Concepcion (Collecting Officer), Milagros Versoza, Merle Ordillano, Carlo Cabral, Myrnalyn Cabral, and Amor Ibanez. ###end