

### CONSULAR OUTREACH MISSION TO LAS VEGAS, NEVADA 19-20 MARCH 2022

Los Angeles, 23 February 2022 – A team from the Philippine Consulate General in Los Angeles will conduct a Consular Outreach Mission to Las Vegas, NV on 19-20 March 2022:

Location : Santa Fe Station Hotel & Casino (ION ROOM) 4949 N Rancho Dr. Las Vegas, NV 89130 PROOF OF VACCINATION OR NEGATIVE RT-PCR TEST IN THE LAST 48 HOURS, AND MASK-WEARING REQUIRED FOR ENRTY

**Service Hours** : 9:00 am – 12:00 nn; 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

### Outreach email : <u>la.lvoutreach.mar2022@gmail.com</u>

Use this email to set an appointment and submit requirements, please indicate your mobile/phone number in your email and attach requirements (read pp. 3-4 of this Notice).

# This outreach mission is being undertaken in cooperation with the Fil Am Civic Action International (FACAI) through its President, Ms. Asela Engel.

The following consular services will be rendered:

- Renewal and/or first-time applications for Electronic Passport (ePassport), to be sent to the applicant by mail ten (10) weeks from 23 MARCH 2022 at the latest. <u>NO</u> <u>LOST PASSPORT APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED.</u> Appointment required (see above email address);
- Petitions for the Retention or Re-acquisition of Philippine (i.e., Dual) Citizenship pursuant to Republic Act 9225 or the *Dual Citizenship Law*. Oath-taking will be scheduled on the same day for qualified applicants. Petitioners are advised to wear appropriate clothing for the occasion. Appointment required (see above email address);
- 3. Applications for **Civil Registry Reporting (i.e., Report of Birth, Marriage or Death).** Appointment required (see above email address); and
- Documents for Consular Notarization will be accepted but these will be processed in Los Angeles and returned to the applicant by mail. <u>No appointment needed for</u> <u>CONSULAR NOTARIZATION. You will need a Self-Addressed Stamped</u> <u>Envelope (SASE) for this transaction.</u>

The **FINAL LIST** of applicants with confirmed appointments will be posted on the Consulate General's website (<u>https://www.philippineconsulatela.org/about-the-consulate/outreach</u>) on or before <u>15 MARCH 2022</u>.

Check the Consulate General website (<u>www.philippineconsulatela.org</u>) for the complete list of requirements specific to your needed service.

#### IMPORTANT NOTICE TO ALL APPLICANTS PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

In compliance with the State of California's Department of Health Services Current Guidance to facilitate larger gatherings and events while still diminishing personal contact and increasing the level of disinfection in high-use areas, the Philippine Consulate General will require the following:

- MUST wear masks at all times unless required to take off during photo capture for ePassport services
- Proof of complete vaccination must be presented prior to entry.
- Clients who need a reasonable accommodation must provide proof of Negative RT-PCR test performed within 48 hours , or Negative Rapid Antigen test performed within 12 hours
  - Temperature check prior to entry
  - Physical distancing practiced within the venue at all times
    - MOST SERVICES ARE TO BE AVAILED STRICTLY BY APPOINTMENT THROUGH THE EMAIL LISTED ABOVE AND WITH EMAILED COMPLETE DOCUMENTS ONLY. <u>NO WALK-IN APPLICANTS WILL BE ACCEPTED</u>; (Follow the Appointment Scheduling Steps applicable to your needed service as specified below on pp. 3-4 of this Notice)
    - APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED EMAIL BEFORE THE POSTING OF THIS NOTICE ON 23 FEBRUARY 2022 WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED IN THE OUTREACH SCHEDULE. APPLICATIONS SUBMITTED BY MAIL SHALL LIKEWISE NOT BE CONSIDERED;
    - APPLICANTS THROUGH THIRD PARTY FACILITATORS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED;
    - APPLICANTS MUST PERSONALLY APPEAR DURING THE APPOINTED TIME AND BRING ALL DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS (ORIGINALS AND PHOTOCOPIES);
    - FAILURE TO APPEAR DURING THE APPOINTED TIME OR TO BRING COMPLETE DOCUMENTS WILL RESULT IN CANCELLATION OF APPOINTMENT;
    - THE CONSULATE GENERAL DOES NOT CHARGE FEES NOR DOES IT ACCEPT DONATIONS RELATED TO THE ENTRY OR USE OF THE VENUE;
    - APPLICANTS MUST BRING THEIR OWN PENS AND SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED ENVELOPES (SASE) (Except for Dual Citizenship applicants, who do not need a SASE)

### Appointment Scheduling Steps for ePASSPORT Applicants during Consular Outreach Mission to LAS VEGAS

- 1. Visit the Philippine Consulate General website (<u>www.philippineconsulatela.org</u>) to download and accomplish the ePassport application form;
- Send an advance copy of the completed ePassport application form and data page (bearing the name and photo) of the expired or expiring passport in PDF format. Thumbprints (if needed) and signature must be affixed and all pertinent data on the application form. For first-time ePassport applicants, please send copies of your supporting documents (i.e., NSO/PSA Birth Certificate or Marriage Contract, if applicable);
- All application forms and supporting documents must be emailed in PDF format to the Consulate General (Attn: LAS VEGAS Outreach) to this email address: <u>la.lvoutreach.mar2022@gmail.com</u>. INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED;
- 4. In your email, please indicate your complete contact details, including email address and telephone number since the processor may need to contact you regarding the submission of additional documents, if necessary; and
- 5. On the day of their appointment, applicants must bring their accomplished application form, as well as the ORIGINALS and photocopies of the supporting documents.

All applications must be received no later than <u>28 FEBRUARY 2022</u> or until we receive **252 applications, whichever comes first**. Please note that applications are easily filled up after a couple of days so please ensure that your submission is complete.

Please note that personal appearance is required in all cases, regardless of age (including applicants who are 65 years old and above and minors who are below 18 years old). Do not bring passport pictures. Photos and biometrics of the applicant will be taken onsite. The applicant must wear decent attire (no sleeveless attire) and will have photo taken without eyeglasses / contact lenses. No facial piercings allowed during photo capture.

The **FINAL LIST** of applicants with confirmed appointments will be posted on the Consulate General's website on or before <u>15 MARCH 2022</u>.

Appointment Scheduling Steps for **DUAL CITIZENSHIP** Petitions during Consular Outreach Mission to LAS VEGAS

- 1. Visit the Philippine Consulate General website (<u>www.philippineconsulatela.org</u>) to download and accomplish the Dual Citizenship Application form;
- 2. Complete the Dual Citizenship Application form and prepare supporting documents;
- All application forms and supporting documents must be emailed in PDF format (Attn: LAS VEGAS Outreach) to this email address: <u>la.lvoutreach.mar2022@gmail.com</u>. INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED;

- 4. In your email, please indicate your complete contact details, including email address and telephone number since the processor may need to contact you regarding the submission of additional documents, if necessary;
- On the day of their appointment, applicants must bring their accomplished application form, the ORIGINALS and photocopies of the supporting documents, as well as three 2 x 2 ID photos per applicant, including minor derivatives;
- 6. Those who are **only** applying for Dual Citizenship (and not any other service) do not need to bring a self-addressed stamped envelope; and
- 7. Please note that oath-taking will be scheduled on the same day for qualified applicants. Applicants should take their oath as Dual Citizens in DECENT ATTIRE. The Consulate General shall **REFUSE** oath-taking to applicants wearing inappropriate outfit such as: Sleeveless shirts/blouses; Sandos (i.e., tank tops); Skimpy clothes; Shorts; Slippers; open-toed shoes.

All applications must be received no later than <u>28 FEBRUARY 2022</u> or until we receive 70 applications, whichever comes first. Please note that applications are easily filled up after a couple of days, so please ensure that your submission is complete.

The **FINAL LIST** of applicants with confirmed appointments will be posted on the Consulate General's website on or before <u>15 MARCH 2022</u>.

# Appointment Scheduling Steps for

CIVIL REGISTRY REPORTING (Reports of Birth (ROB); Marriage (ROM) or Death (ROD))

- 1. Visit the Philippine Consulate General website (<u>www.philippineconsulatela.org</u>) and print the ROB, ROM or ROD form;
- 2. Complete the ROB, ROM or ROD form and prepare supporting documents;
- All civil registry reporting forms and supporting documents (one set only per report) must be emailed in PDF format (Attn: LAS VEGAS Outreach) to this email address: <u>la.lvoutreach.mar2022@gmail.com</u>. INCOMPLETE SUBMISSIONS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED
- 4. In your email, please indicate your complete contact details, including email address and telephone number since the processor may need to contact you regarding the submission of additional documents, if necessary; and
- 5. On the day of their appointment, applicants must bring four (4) sets of: original accomplished and signed civil registry reporting forms, as well as photocopied supporting documents, also four sets. ORIGINALS of the supporting documents must also be brought for verification of photocopies and will be returned to the applicant.

All applications must be received no later than <u>28 FEBRUARY 2022</u> or until we receive **56 applications**, whichever comes first. Please note that applications are easily filled up after a couple of days, so please ensure that your submission is complete.

The **FINAL LIST** of applicants with confirmed appointments will be posted on the Consulate General's website on or before <u>15 MARCH 2022</u>.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION FOR ALL APPLICANTS

The Philippine Consulate General will regularly update the outreach mission appointment schedule posted on the website upon receipt of completed applications.

The **FINAL LIST** of all applicants with confirmed appointment schedule will be posted on the Consulate General's website (<u>https://www.philippineconsulatela.org/about-the-</u> <u>consulate/outreach</u>) on or before <u>15 MARCH 2022</u>.

All applicants are required to PERSONALLY APPEAR during their appointment time for data verification, finger printing and photo/signature capture and must bring all ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS WITH PHOTOCOPIES.

All applicants are advised to transact their business directly with Consulate General officials.

#### PAYMENT OF CONSULAR FEES

Fees must be paid in person at the scheduled appointment. The Consulate General will only accept payments in cash, postal money order or cashier's check. Personal checks will NOT be accepted.

Payments should be paid directly to the collecting officer/cashier of the Consulate General during the outreach mission and inside the venue only. Please be informed that the Consulate General has not authorized other people or entities to collect fees for all consular services rendered. There is an additional expedited fee of US\$10.00 charged for every service, in compliance with Department regulations for services rendered outside regular working days and hours:

- ePassport : \$60.00 processing fee + \$10 expedited fee per passport
- Dual Citizenship: \$50.00 processing fee + \$10 expedited fee per petition \$25.00 per minor child derivative + \$10 expedited fee per child
- Civil Registry:
  \$25.00 processing fee + \$10 expedited fee per report
- Consular Notarization: \$25.00 processing fee + \$10 expedited fee per document

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