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NOTICE OF TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP (TWG) MEETING

07 October 2021

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FROM : **SEN. AQUILINO "KOKO" PIMENTEL III**
Chairperson, Committee on Foreign Relations

Please be informed that the Committee on Foreign Relations will conduct a **TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP MEETING** on **Tuesday, 12 October 2021 at 1:30 P.M** to discuss the following legislative measures on the Philippine Passport Act:

- **SENATE BILL NO. 2264- PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT OF 2021**
AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE INTEGRITY OF THE PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ISSUANCE PROCEDURE AND PENALIZE VIOLATIONS THEREOF, THEREBY REPEALING REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8239, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT OF 1996', AS AMENDED BY REPUBLIC ACT NO. 10928;
- **SENATE BILL NO. 1197- LIFETIME PASSPORTS FOR SENIOR CITIZENS ACT**
AN ACT GRANTING LIFETIME VALIDITY OF PHILIPPINE PASSPORTS ISSUED TO SENIOR CITIZENS, FURTHER AMENDING FOR THE PURPOSE SECTION 10 OF REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8239, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE 'PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT OF 1996', AS AMENDED; and
- **HOUSE BILL NO. 8513- PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT**
AN ACT PROVIDING FOR A NEW PASSPORT LAW, REPEALING FOR THE PURPOSE REPUBLIC ACT NO. 8239, OTHERWISE KNOWN AS THE PHILIPPINE PASSPORT ACT OF 1996.

The Committee on Finance is respectfully requested to submit to the CFR its comments on the matters in the agenda which are secondarily referred to it.

The Committee will be using Cisco Webex as the virtual meeting platform. We shall be sending your Honors' offices the links via the email addresses on record and through the Foreign Relations Notices viber group.

Your offices' representatives may reach us through the contact details below for any other concern.

Thank you.

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