

1 WHEREAS, the provisions of the Agreement are consistent with the State's policy to
2 afford full protection to labor and with the right to social security enshrined in the Universal
3 Declaration of Human Rights and under International Labor Organization (ILO)
4 conventions;

5 WHEREAS, the Agreement, Article 23 provides that it shall enter into force on the
6 first day of the third month following the date of receipt of the note through which the
7 second of the Contracting States have given notice to the first Contracting State that all
8 domestic requirements have been accomplished;

9 WHEREAS, the President of the Philippines ratified the Agreement on Social
10 Security between the Republic of the Philippines and the Kingdom of Denmark on 5 May
11 2014 and has accordingly submitted it to the Senate for concurrence in accordance with the
12 Constitution;

13 WHEREAS, in the hearing conducted by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations
14 on 5 March 2015, the following government agencies endorsed the concurrence in the
15 ratification of the Agreement on Social Security between the Republic of the Philippines
16 and the Kingdom of Denmark:

- 17 1. Department of Foreign Affairs
- 18 2. Department of Labor and Employment
- 19 3. Philippine Overseas Employment Administration
- 20 4. Employees Compensation Commission
- 21 5. Government Service Insurance System
- 22 6. Social Security System

23 WHEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Philippine Senate concur, as
24 it hereby concurs, in the ratification of the Agreement on Social Security between the
25 Republic of the Philippines and the Kingdom of Denmark.

Adopted,


MIRIAM DEFENSOR SANTIAGO
Chair
Committee on Foreign Relations