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PHL CONSULATE GENERAL CONDUCTS SECOND MOBILE CONSULAR MISSION IN KOROR, PALAU



Consul Edgar Tomas Q. Auxilian (center) and the four members of the consular team were welcomed by Ms. Evaruth Blesam, staff of Honorary Consul Eric Whipps, and the two volunteers from the Filipino community during their arrival in Palau International Airport on 18 August 2017 for the conduct of the mobile consular mission in Palau.

The Philippine Consulate General in Agana conducted mobile consular mission in Koror, Republic of Palau on 19-21 August 2017. The consular service was conducted at Palau Hotel in downtown Koror.

The consular team was led by Consul Edgar Tomas Q. Auxilian and composed of Julius Jermyn Checa and Juliet Simbul (Passport Officers), Emerita G. Marquez (Authentication & Collecting Officer) and Ms. Cristina Yap (for Overseas Voting Registration).

The consular mission was the second to be conducted by Post in Palau for 2017. It was carried out with the assistance and support of the office of PHL Honorary Consul Eric Ksau Whipps and the volunteers from the Filipino community in Palau.

The consular team was able to render a total of 740 consular services during the three-day outreach consisting of 459 ePassports application/renewal (including 5 lost passports); 6 passport extensions; 3 travel documents; 19 notariats/authentication; and 10 reports of birth (ROB) . The team also registered a total of 237 overseas voters and rendered Assistance to Nationals (ATN) service to three (3) Filipinas who sought advice on their immigration status/employment problem and family concerns. He, together with Honorary Consul Whipps, also visited the three (3) remaining fishermen of F/B Gene-8 being held at the Palau Marine Law Port to check their condition and provided them with food and other basic needs. **END**



Ms. Cristina Yap (in orange blouse) and Ms. Emerita Marquez(in yellow blouse) process overseas voters registration and passport applications of Filipino applicants, respectively, as Mrs. Joy Whipps, wife of Honorary Consul Eric Whipps, and Ms. Evaruth Blesam, consular staff of Consul Whipps watch by the door during the mobile consular mission in Palau on 19-21 August 2017.



Mr. Julius Checa (left) and Ms. Juliet Simbul (right) take the biometrics of the passport applicants during the mobile consular mission in Palau on 19-21 August 2017.



Consul Auxilian (leftmost) and Honorary Consul Eric Whipps (rightmost) visited the three remaining fishermen of F/B Gene-8 from General Santos City that are being held at Palau Marine Law Port on 21 August 2017 and provided them with two small sacks of rice and other food items.