

## INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE FOR THE CELEBRATION OF THE MONTH OF OVERSEAS FILIPINOS AND INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS DAY IN THE PHILIPPINES

## **RESOLUTION NO. 01-2014**

## EXPANDING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE FOR THE MONTH OF OVERSEAS FILIPINOS AND INTERNATIONAL MIGRANTS DAY CELEBRATION IN THE PHILIPPINES

WHEREAS, the Inter-agency Committee of the Month of Overseas Filipinos and International Migrants Day (IAC-MOF) was mandated by the Philippine government to commemorate the "Month of Overseas Filipinos" and the International Migrants Day", in December and December 18 of every year, respectively, with the end in view of promoting the welfare of Filipino migrants, recognizing their role in nation-building and national development, strengthening their ties with the Philippines, and raising public awareness on various issues concerning migrants;

WHEREAS, the original members of the IAC-MOF, composed of the Philippine Migrants Rights Watch and the Commission on Filipinos Overseas as Chair and Co-chair, respectively, with the following members: 1) Department of Labor and Employment, 2) Overseas Workers Welfare Administration, 3) Philippine Overseas Employment Administration, 4) Department of Foreign Affairs, 5) Department of Tourism, 6) Department of Trade and Industry, 7) Presidential Communications Operations Office, (Former Office of the Press Secretary), 8) Philippine Migration Research Network, and 9) Migrant Forum in Asia.

WHEREAS, since the inception of the IAC-MOF and International Migrants Day in the Philippines, the IAC-MOF has conducted several activities such as National and Regional Forum on migration, Conferment of Migration, Advocacy and Media Awards, Film showing on migration, Fun-run, and Zumba, among others;

WHEREAS, the celebration of the MOF recognizes the need to call upon other agencies and instrumentalities of the Philippine government, as well as non-government organizations catering to Filipino migrants and their families, whose assistance and support may be deemed necessary to the effective dispatch of the role of the IAC;

WHEREFORE, there is a need to formally include the following relevant and ever-supportive agencies and instrumentalities of the Philippine government, as well as non-government organizations catering to Filipino migrants and their families, not included in the Administrative Order No. 202 as adopted on 10 October 2007 to ensure the success of the Month of Overseas Filipinos and the International Migrants Day Celebration:

- 1. Department of the Interior and Local Government
- 2. Department of Health
- 3. Presidential Communications Development and Strategic Planning Office
- 4. National Commission for Culture and the Arts

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- 5. Philippine Health Insurance Corporation
- 6. Pag-IBIG Home Development Mutual Fund
- 7. Social Security System
- 8. National Reintegration Center for OFWs
- 9. Film Development Council of the Philippines
- 10. Union of Local Authorities of the Philippines
- 11. League of Cities of the Philippines
- 12. League of Provinces of the Philippines
- 13. League of Municipalities of the Philippines

ADOPTED this	25th day of	J
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in Manila, Philippines.

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