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**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
and
PHILIPPINES**

Exchange of notes constituting an agreement relating to the relocation of the Air Post Office from the Manila Air Station to within the Chancery grounds of the Embassy. Manila, 27 March and 17 July 1958

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**ÉTATS-UNIS D'AMÉRIQUE
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Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif au transfert du bureau de poste aérienne de la base aéro-navale de Manille dans les locaux de la chancellerie de l'Ambassade. Manille, 27 mars et 17 juillet 1958

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No. 4787. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT¹ BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES RELATING TO THE RELOCATION OF THE AIR POST OFFICE FROM THE MANILA AIR STATION TO WITHIN THE CHANCERY GROUNDS OF THE EMBASSY. MANILA, 27 MARCH AND 17 JULY 1958

I

The American Embassy to the Philippine Department of Foreign Affairs

No. 0970

The Embassy of the United States of America presents its compliments to the Department of Foreign Affairs of the Republic of the Philippines and refers to the Embassy's notes Nos. 1349 of June 18, 1957² and 0747 of January 27, 1958³ concerning the close-out of operations at the Manila Air Station.

As a result of the action being taken by the United States Air Force authorities to end operations at the Manila Air Station and relinquish that area to the Philippine Government the Air Post Office, which is presently operated at the Manila Air Station, will have to be relocated from that area. In order to provide necessary postal facilities it is proposed to relocate the Air Post Office from the Manila Air Station to buildings within the Chancery grounds of the Embassy. The Air Post Office shall be for the exclusive use of the authorities, agencies and offices of the Government of the United States of America, the members of the United States Armed Forces, and nationals of the United States holding an official position in the Philippines with the Government of the United States. The Post Office will handle postal traffic solely for domestic use between United States post offices.

The Embassy wishes to inquire of the Department whether it is agreeable to this arrangement.

C. E. BOHLEN

Embassy of the United States of America

Manila, March 27, 1958

¹ Came into force on 17 July 1958 by the exchange of the said notes.

² United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 289, p. 296.

³ United Nations, *Treaty Series*, Vol. 307, p. 326.

II

*The Philippine Department of Foreign Affairs to the American Embassy*REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

No. 2301-58

The Department of Foreign Affairs presents its compliments to the Embassy of the United States of America and, with reference to the Embassy's note No. 0970 of March 27, 1958 concerning the proposed establishment and operation of an Air Post Office within the Chancery grounds of the Embassy, has the honor to inform the Embassy that the Philippine Government has consented to the establishment and operation by the United States of such Post Office within the Chancery grounds of the Embassy subject to the following understanding :

(a) That the said Post Office shall be operated for the exclusive use of the authorities, agencies and offices of the Government of the United States of America, the members of the United States Armed Forces and nationals of the United States holding an official position in the Philippines with the Government of the United States;

(b) That the Post Office will handle postal traffic solely for domestic use between United States Post Offices; and

(c) That the Philippine Government reserves the right to revoke the permit for the establishment and operation of such Post Office at any time upon prior notice to the Embassy.

(Initialled) [illegible]

Manila, July 17, 1958
