

**No. 5147**

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**PHILIPPINES  
and  
NORWAY**

**Exchange of notes constituting an agreement on the reciprocal waiver of non-immigrant passport visa fees.  
Manila, 18 February 1959**

*Official text: English.*

*Registered by the Philippines on 24 May 1960.*

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NORVÈGE**

**Échange de notes constituant un accord relatif à la suppression réciproque des droits de visa sur les passeports des non-immigrants. Manille, 18 février 1959**

*Texte officiel anglais.*

*Enregistré par les Philippines le 24 mai 1960.*

No. 5147. EXCHANGE OF NOTES CONSTITUTING AN AGREEMENT<sup>1</sup> BETWEEN THE PHILIPPINES AND NORWAY ON THE RECIPROCAL WAIVER OF NON-IMMIGRANT PASSPORT VISA FEES. MANILA, 18 FEBRUARY 1959

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I

ROYAL NORWEGIAN LEGATION

Manila, 18th February 1959

Excellency :

With reference to the exchange of views between the Department of Foreign Affairs and the Royal Norwegian Legation concerning the abolition of non-immigrant passport visa fees, I have the honour to propose that our two Governments agree, by exchange of notes, to the reciprocal abolition or waiver of non-immigrant passport visa fees for the citizens of either country visiting the territory of the other for business or pleasure for a period not exceeding 59 days.

I further propose that this agreement be made effective as of March 15th, 1959, and that it remains in force unless altered or terminated as a result of mutual consultation.

If the Government of the Republic of the Philippines is prepared to accept the foregoing proposals, I have the honour to suggest that this note and Your Excellency's confirmatory reply thereto should be deemed to constitute and evidence the agreement reached between our two Governments in this matter.

Accept, Excellency, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

O. MOLTKE-HANSEN  
Chargé d'Affaires a.i.

His Excellency Felixberto M. Serrano  
Secretary of Foreign Affairs  
Manila

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<sup>1</sup> Came into force on 15 March 1959, in accordance with the provisions of the said notes.

## II

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
DEPARTMENT OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS

Manila, February 18, 1959

Sir :

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your Note of February 18, 1959, which reads as follows :

[See note I]

I am pleased to inform you that the proposals set forth in your above-quoted Note are acceptable to my Government and that my Government agrees that your Note together with this Reply shall be regarded as constituting an agreement reached between our two Governments in this matter.

Accept, Sir, the renewed assurances of my highest consideration.

Felixberto M. SERRANO  
Secretary of Foreign Affairs

Mr. Olav Moltke-Hansen  
Chargé d'Affaires, a.i.  
Royal Norwegian Legation  
Manila

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