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RESIDENCE OF THE PRESIDENT  
OF THE PHILIPPINES  
MANILA

BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE PHILIPPINES

PROCLAMATION NO. 347

MAKING PUBLIC THE TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE STATE OF ISRAEL.

WHEREAS, a Treaty of Friendship between the Republic of the Philippines and the State of Israel was concluded and signed by their respective plenipotentiaries at Manila, Philippines, on February twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and fifty-eight;

WHEREAS, the Senate of the Philippines, by its Resolution No. 19 adopted on May 21, 1963, concurred in the ratification of said Treaty in accordance with the Constitution;

WHEREAS, the instruments of ratification of the said Treaty by the two Governments were exchanged at Manila, Philippines, on December eighteenth, nineteen hundred and sixty-three; and

WHEREAS, it is stipulated in the Treaty that it shall enter into force upon the exchange of ratification in accordance with Article VIII of the Treaty;

NOW, THEREFORE, be it known that I, DIOSDADO MACAPAGAL, President of the Philippines, have caused the said Treaty, a certified copy of which in the English text is hereto attached, to be made public to the end that the same and every article and clause thereof may be observed and fulfilled with good faith by the Republic of the Philippines and citizens thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Republic of the Philippines to be affixed.

Done in the City of Manila, this 8th day of January, in the year of Our Lord, nineteen hundred and sixty-five.

(SGD.) DIOSDADO MACAPAGAL  
President of the Philippines

By the President:

(SGD.) SALVADOR L. MARIÑO  
Secretary of Justice  
concurrently  
Acting Executive Secretary  
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TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP  
BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
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The Republic of the Philippines and the State of Israel, desirous of strengthening the bond of peace and the ties of friendship now happily existing between the two countries, by arrangements designed to promote friendly intercourse between them, have decided to conclude a Treaty of Friendship and, to that end, have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries,

The Republic of the Philippines:

The Honorable Felixberto M. Serrano  
Acting Secretary of the Department of  
Foreign Affairs

The State of Israel:

His Excellency Daniel Lewin  
Minister of the State of Israel

who, after communicating to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:

ARTICLE I

There shall be perpetual peace and firm and lasting friendship between the Republic of the Philippines and the State of Israel and between their people.

ARTICLE II

Should any dispute arise between the two High Contracting Parties which cannot satisfactorily be adjusted by diplomacy, the Parties shall not use force for settlement, but shall have the dispute dealt with in accordance with provisions of the Charter of the United Nations.

ARTICLE III

Each High Contracting Party shall endeavor to accredit to the other diplomatic representatives who, after having been recognized and accepted, shall enjoy, during the term of their respective missions, on the basis of reciprocity, the rights, privileges and immunities generally recognized under international law and usage.

ARTICLE IV

Each of the High Contracting Parties shall have the right to send to, and receive from, the other, Consuls General, Consuls, Vice Consuls, Consular Agents, and Honorary Consuls, who, after obtaining their exequaturs or any other mode of recognition, shall be permitted to reside in the territories of the Other in such places as may be agreed upon by the High Contracting Parties.

Consular officers of each of the High Contracting Parties shall, after entering upon their duties, enjoy reciprocally in the territory of the Other all the rights, privileges, exemptions and immunities which are accorded to officers of their status and rank in accordance with the generally accepted principles of international law and usage.

ARTICLE V

The nationals of each of the High Contracting Parties within the territories of the Other shall be permitted to enjoy reciprocally the right to acquire, possess and dispose of movable and immovable property, to travel, to reside and to engage in trade, industry and other peaceful and lawful pursuits, subject always to the Constitution, laws and regulations promulgated, or which may hereafter be promulgated, by the Other. They shall, subject to the applicable laws and regulations, enjoy, in matters of procedure, the same treatment as is accorded to the nationals of the Other, with respect to the protection and security of their persons and property and in regard to all judicial, administrative and other legal proceedings.

ARTICLE VI

The High Contracting Parties agree to exchange government publications. The manner of exchange and the entity or entities designated by each High Contracting Party to receive the publications of the Other shall be arranged by exchange of notes.

ARTICLE VII

The High Contracting Parties agree to conclude as soon as practicable Treaties of commerce and navigation, consular rights and privileges, copyrights and patents, and extradition.

ARTICLE VIII

This Treaty shall be subject to ratification by the High Contracting Parties in accordance with their respective constitutional procedures. It shall enter into force upon the exchange of ratification which shall take place at Manila, Philippines, as soon as possible, and shall thereafter remain in force unless and until terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties upon one year's written notice.

IN FAITH WHEREOF, the Plenipotentiaries of the High Contracting Parties have signed the present Treaty and have hereunto affixed their seals.

Done in Manila, Philippines, this 26th day of February in the year One thousand nine hundred and fifty-eight and of the Republic of the Philippines the twelfth, in the English and Hebrew languages, the two texts being equally authentic.

For the Republic of the Philippines:

(Sgd.) FELIXBERTO M. SERRANO  
Acting Secretary of the  
Department of Foreign Affairs

For the State of Israel:

(Sgd.) DANIEL LEWIN  
Minister of the State of Israel to  
The Republic of the Philippines