



APPLICATION FOR RETENTION / RE-ACQUISITION OF PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP

Revised 23 JANUARY 2008 (USA)

PETITION NO. DATE FILED ORDER OF APPROVAL/DENIAL NO. DATE OF APPROVAL/DENIAL	INSTRUCTION The original and four (4) photo copies of the Application and the Petition for Reacquisition / Retention of Philippine Citizenship should be submitted together with the original and four (4) photo copies of all supporting documents.	2"X2" Colored Photograph plain white background taken within last six (6) months, without eyeglasses, clearly showing the full front view of the face FRONT VIEW	2"X2 " Colored Photograph plain white background taken within last six (6) months, without eyeglasses, clearly showing the full front view of the face FRONT VIEW
1. NAME AS WRITTEN ON PHILIPPINE BIRTH CERTIFICATE OR REPORT OF BIRTH	1a. LAST NAME (surname or family name) <hr/> 1b. FIRST NAME (given names) 1c. MIDDLE NAME (mother's maiden surname)		
2. ARE YOU USING A DIFFERENT NAME? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO IF YES, INDICATE NAME CURRENTLY USED	2a. LAST NAME (surname or family name) 2b. FIRST NAME (given names) 2c. MIDDLE NAME <hr/> 2d. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR CHANGE OF NAME		
3. DATE OF BIRTH DAY MONTH (write whole word) YEAR	4. PLACE OF BIRTH (town or city, province or state , country) 5. SEX <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE 6. CIVIL STATUS 7. HEIGHT (m) 8. WEIGHT (kg)		
9a. NAME OF SPOUSE (last name, first name, full middle name)		9b. CITIZENSHIP OF SPOUSE AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION	
10a. NAME OF APPLICANT'S FATHER (last name, first name, full middle name)		10b. FATHER'S CITIZENSHIP AT THE TIME OF APPLICANT'S BIRTH	
11a. NAME OF APPLICANT'S MOTHER (last name, first name, full middle name)		11b. MOTHER'S CITIZENSHIP AT THE TIME OF APPLICANT'S BIRTH	
12. HOW PHILIPPINE CITIZENSHIP WAS INITIALLY ACQUIRED <input type="checkbox"/> BIRTH <input type="checkbox"/> ELECTION <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIAGE <input type="checkbox"/> NATURALIZATION <input type="checkbox"/> OTHERS (specify)			
13a. APPLICANT'S CURRENT FOREIGN CITIZENSHIPS (specify all)		13b. MODE OF ACQUISITION OF FOREIGN CITIZENSHIPS (specify all)	
14a. DATE OF ACQUISITION OF FOREIGN CITIZENSHIPS (day / month / year)		14b. NATURALIZATION CERTIFICATE NUMBERS	
15a. FOREIGN PASSPORT NO. / VALID FOREIGN GOV'T ISSUED ID NO.		15b. DATE AND PLACE OF ISSUANCE OF ID (day/ month/ year)	
16. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED <input type="checkbox"/> Birth Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Report of Birth <input type="checkbox"/> Baptismal Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavit of _____ Disinterested Person(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Old Philippine Passport <input type="checkbox"/> Naturalization Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Certificate <input type="checkbox"/> Others (specify) _____			
17. PHILIPPINE PERMANENT ADDRESS (house no., street, town or city, state, country, postal zone)			
18. ADDRESS IN U.S. OR COUNTRY OF RESIDENCE (house no., street, town or city, state, country, postal zone)			
19. HOME TELEPHONE NO.	20. E-MAIL ADDRESS/FAX NO.	21. WORK TELEPHONE NUMBER	22. PRESENT OCCUPATION
23. WORK ADDRESS (office name, building no., street, town or city, state, country, postal zone)			24. APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE

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<p align="center">DEPENDENT MINOR CHILD NO. 1</p> <p>Two (2) 2"X2" Colored Photographs plain white background, taken within six (6) months before the date of application, without eyeglasses and clearly showing full front view of face</p> <p align="center">Please staple edges of photos</p>	<p align="center">DEPENDENT MINOR CHILD NO. 2</p> <p>Two (2) 2"X2" Colored Photographs plain white background, taken within six (6) months before the date of application, without eyeglasses and clearly showing full front view of face</p> <p align="center">Please staple edges of photos</p>	<p align="center">DEPENDENT MINOR CHILD NO. 3</p> <p>Two (2) 2"X2" Colored Photographs plain white background, taken within six (6) months before the date of application, without eyeglasses and clearly showing full front view of face</p> <p align="center">Please staple edges of photos</p>
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25. INFORMATION ON CHILDREN INCLUDED IN PETITION ■ The following details about each dependent minor child included in the petition shall be provided below. (If there are more than three dependent children included in the petition, reprint/photocopy this page.)

	CHILD 1	CHILD 2	CHILD 3
25a. LAST NAME (surname or family name)			
25b. FIRST NAME (given names)			
25c. MIDDLE NAME (mother's maiden surname, or applicant's maiden surname)			
26. SEX	<input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE	<input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE	<input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE
27. CIVIL STATUS	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED	<input type="checkbox"/> SINGLE <input type="checkbox"/> MARRIED <input type="checkbox"/> WIDOWED <input type="checkbox"/> DIVORCED
28. DATE OF BIRTH	DAY MONTH (write whole word) YEAR	DAY MONTH (write whole word) YEAR	DAY MONTH (write whole word) YEAR
29. PLACE OF BIRTH (town or city, province or state, country)			
30. COUNTRIES OF CITIZENSHIP			
31. COUNTRY OF PERMANENT RESIDENCE			
32. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS			

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify under oath that all the information in this Application for Re-acquisition/Retention of Philippine Citizenship, composed of two pages, including the page on which this Certification is written, are true and correct. I further warrant that I have complied with all the requirements, and that I have presented certified true copies of documents issued under the official seal of the officer having legal custody of the originals in the Philippines, and in case of foreign documents, with their official translation into English duly authenticated by the Consul/Embassy official of the Foreign Service of the Philippines in the issuing country, and submitted four (4) photocopies of each of said documents. I understand that my application shall not be processed if any statement herein made is found to be false, if any document I submitted is found to have been falsified, or if I fail to comply with all the requirements of the Bureau of Immigration with respect to my Application/Petition, without prejudice to whatever action(s) the Bureau of Immigration shall take in accordance with applicable laws of the Republic of the Philippines.

DATE OF APPLICATION	APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE OVER PRINTED NAME
SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME this _____ day of _____, 20____,	
at _____, the affiant exhibited to me his/her passport/identification no. _____	
_____ issued at _____, on _____	
NOTARY PUBLIC	CONSUL

REPUBLIC ACT NO. 9225
CITIZENSHIP RETENTION AND ACQUISITION ACT OF 2003

1. The applicant must have been a natural born Filipino citizen.
2. The loss of Philippine citizenship by the applicant must have been on account of naturalization as a citizen of a foreign country.
3. Only applicants residing in Guam are accepted. For other states, territories and countries, please visit www.philippinesusa.org.
4. The applicant must personally submit documentary requirements to the Philippine Consulate General, Agaña, Guam
5. The applicant must take his oath of allegiance before a Philippine Consular Officer.
6. Payment of Fee: **US\$ 50.00**

Documentary Requirements

Basic Requirements

1. Duly Accomplished Application for Retention / Reacquisition of Philippine citizenship.
2. **Birth certificate** with the security paper of the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA)
* **In case of no birth record:** late Registration of Birth authenticated by PSA
3. Four (4) **2"x2" recent photographs** with **WHITE background** showing the applicant's full facial front view
4. Original **certificate of naturalization / certificate of citizenship (derivative of parent)** or other evidence of naturalization;
5. Valid **foreign passport**
6. For married women, **Marriage Certificate** with the security paper of the PSA or issued by Office of Vital Statistics
7. Present previous Philippine Passport (optional).

NOTE: PLEASE PRESENT THE **ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS** AND **SUBMIT FOUR (4) PHOTOCOPIES** OF EACH OF THE REQUIRED DOCUMENTS.

IMPORTANT: APPLICATION SHALL BE COMPLETELY ACCOMPLISHED, ANSWERS TYPED OR PRINTED LEGIBLY WITH BLACK OR BLUE INK AND ALL REQUIREMENTS SUBMITTED, OTHERWISE APPLICATION SHALL BE RETURNED UNPROCESSED.

Other documents that may be required to confirm personal identity and birth information of applicants, where the name currently used by applicant is different from the name on the Philippine birth certificate as in the following examples:

1. Due to legal proceeding:
 - Authenticated copy or proof or evidence of authority to change name or Court or INS/BCIS order;
 - Affidavit of Discrepancy regarding change of name
 - Two (2) public or private documents showing the correct name of the applicant.
2. For married women who chose to adopt the surname of her husband and for divorced persons or have had their marriage annulled but are still using their marriage surname:
 - Original or certified true copy (CTC) of the marriage certificate.
3. For adopted children
 - Authenticated copy and photocopy of the dispositive portion of the Court Order on adoption;
 - Authenticated copies of Birth Certificates before and after adoption.
4. For legitimated children due to subsequent marriage of parents
 - Original or CTC of the marriage certificate of parents
 - Annotated Birth Certificate authenticated by PSA.

If applicant wishes to have **unmarried minor children** acquire Philippine citizenship at the same time, the following documents of the child must be submitted:

1. **Original Birth Certificate**
2. **Foreign Passport**
3. Four (4) **2"x2" recent photographs** with **WHITE background** showing the applicant's full facial front view.
4. Fee: **US\$25.00**

FOR THOSE INTENDING TO APPLY FOR PHILIPPINE PASSPORT PLEASE SEE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF PASSPORT.