



GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 05
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WHEREAS, Filipino household workers deployed overseas consistently comprise a big portion of the country's annual deployment;

WHEREAS, Filipino household workers are our most vulnerable workers owing to their long working hours and abuse and maltreatment from their employers;

WHEREAS, for more than two decades, the US\$200 minimum monthly salary of our deployed household workers has not been increased;

WHEREAS, as added protection to their interest and welfare, all household workers will be required to secure a Certificate of Competency evidenced by a National Certificate for Household Service Workers (NCII) issued by the Technical Education and Skills Development Authority (TESDA) to attest to their skills qualification, in addition to a country specific language and culture orientation course;

WHEREAS, the added value of the skill competencies and familiarity of household workers with the culture and language of their employers and host government should be recognized and adequately compensated.

NOW, THEREFORE, the POEA Governing Board, in a meeting duly convened, **RESOLVES AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to increase the entry level minimum monthly salary of all our Household Workers deployed overseas to US\$400.00.

Done in the City of Manila, Philippines, this 24th day of October 2006.

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