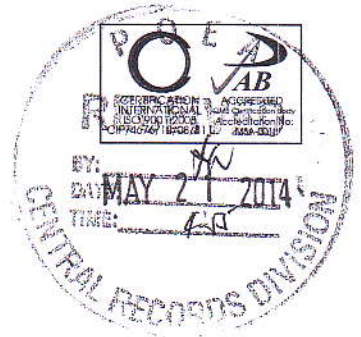




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GOVERNING BOARD RESOLUTION No. 06
Series of 2014

WHEREAS, Republic Act 10022 authorizes the POEA Governing Board, after consultation with the Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA), to impose a ban on the deployment of Filipino migrant workers in pursuit of national interest or when public welfare so requires;

WHEREAS, on 23 January 2014, the DFA raised the crisis Alert Level 2 (Restriction Phase) in Bangkok, Nonthaburi Province, Lad LunKaew District (Pathumthani Province) and Bang Phli District (Samutprakan Province) in the Kingdom of Thailand in view of the declaration of a 60-day state of emergency due to the escalating civil unrest and insecurity in the said areas;

WHEREAS, on 24 January 2014, GBR No. 1, Series of 2014 was subsequently issued imposing a temporary suspension on the processing and deployment of newly-hired OFWs bound for Bangkok, Nonthaburi Province, Lad LunKaew District (PathumThani Province) and Bang Phli District (SamutPrakan Province);

WHEREAS, on 21 March 2014, the DFA lowered the Crisis Alert Level in the said areas of Thailand from Alert Level 2 to Level 1 (Precautionary Phase);

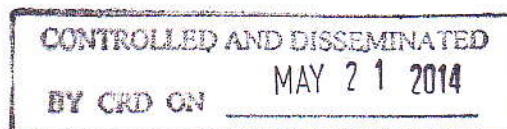
WHEREAS, on 20 May 2014, the DFA raised the crisis Alert Level 2 (Restriction Phase) in the Kingdom of Thailand in view of the declaration by Thailand's army of Martial Law due to the escalating civil and political unrest and insecurity in the country;

WHEREAS, under Alert Level 2, only the processing and deployment of returning OFWs with existing employment contracts shall be allowed and the processing and deployment of newly-hired OFWs shall be suspended;

NOW, THEREFORE, the POEA Governing Board, in a meeting duly convened, **RESOLVES AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, to impose a temporary suspension on the processing and deployment of newly-hired OFWs bound for Thailand.

For immediate compliance

Done in the City of Manila, this 21th day of May 2014,



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