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POEA cancels license of misrepresenting recruiter

The Philippine Overseas Employment Administration canceled the license of Dalandan International Manpower Inc. which was found liable of misrepresentation in connection with the recruitment and deployment of two Filipino household service workers (HSW) to Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

In his order, Administrator Hans Leo J. Cacdac said misrepresentation is apparent when Dalandan International submitted to the POEA the documents of two workers for processing as babysitter/domestic helper with a monthly salary of US400.00, despite that their actual salaries were lower than the minimum amount prescribed under the Governing Board Resolution No. 5, Series of 2006.

Cacdac said the two HSW were made to sign their respective employment contract providing for a monthly salary of US\$400. However, contrary to the provisions in their signed contract, they were informed that they will only actually receive salaries lesser than the agreed amount.

“Obviously, such misrepresentation was committed to facilitate the processing of the documents of the workers before the Administration with dispatch since they would not have been allowed to be deployed unless the stipulations in the contracts of the workers complied with the provision of the rule,” Cacdac added.

Section 2 (e) of Rule I, Part VI of the Rules and Regulations Governing the Recruitment and Employment of Land-based Overseas Workers prohibits a recruitment agency from engaging in acts of misrepresentation in connection with the recruitment and placement of workers, such as furnishing or publishing any false notice, information or document in relation to recruitment or employment.

Cacdac said Dalandan further committed misrepresentation when it deployed one HSW to a foreign principal which is different from the name of principal appearing in her OFW Information Sheet. END