

**AGREEMENT FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE JOINT
COMMISSION ON BILATERAL COOPERATION BETWEEN THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND THE
GOVERNMENT OF THE KINGDOM OF MOROCCO**

The Government of the Republic of the Philippines and the Government of the Kingdom of Morocco, hereinafter jointly referred to as the "Parties";

Mindful of the need to promote cooperation between the two countries;

Desiring to strengthen understanding and solidarity between their people and to ensure their well being;

Guided by a common will to broaden and strengthen the political, economic, scientific, technical, social and cultural cooperation between their respective countries;

HEREBY AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

ARTICLE 1

The Parties hereby establish a Joint Commission on Bilateral Cooperation.

ARTICLE 2

The Joint Commission shall be headed by the Foreign Ministers of the respective Parties or by the persons they appoint for that purpose. The two Parties shall determine the composition of the Joint Commission.

ARTICLE 3

The Joint Commission shall broaden and strengthen cooperation between the Parties and shall:

- 1- conduct bilateral consultations and coordination with regard to important international issues and concerns;
- 2- follow up the implementation of the Agreements already concluded or to be concluded between the two Parties.
- 3- promote activities in favor of political, commercial, economic, industrial, cultural and technical co-operation on the basis of the Agreements signed or to be signed between the two Parties;
- 4- identify new fields for the continued development of commercial, economic, industrial, cultural and technical co- operation between the two Parties;
- 5- exchange information in the economic, commercial, scientific, industrial, cultural and technical fields.
- 6- make proposals to facilitate the implementation of any project established in accordance with this Agreement or by separate protocols.