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TREATY OF FRIENDSHIP BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES AND ISRAEL

Note: The Agreement was concurred in by the Senate, S.R. No. 19, May 21, 1963. The Philippine Instrument of ratification was signed by the President, October 15, 1963. upon the exchange of ratification between the Parties.

Reference: This Agreement is also published in IV DFA TS No. 1, p. 7.

The Republic of the Philippines and the State of Israel, desirous of strengthening the bond of peace and the ties of friendship now happily existing between the two countries, by arrangements designed to promote friendly intercourse between them, have decided to conclude a Treaty of Friendship and, to that end, have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries,

The Republic of the Philippines

The Honorable **FELIXBERTO M. SERRANO**
Acting Secretary of the Department of
Foreign Affairs

The State of Israel:

His Excellency **DANIEL LEWIN**
Minister of the State of Israel

who, after communicating to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following Articles:

ARTICLE I

There shall be perpetual peace and firm and lasting friendship between the Republic of the Philippines and the State of Israel and between their peoples.

ARTICLE II

Should any dispute arise between the two High Contracting Parties which cannot satisfactorily be adjusted by diplomacy, the Parties shall not use force for settlement, but shall have the dispute dealt with in accordance with provisions of the Charter of the United Nations.

ARTICLE III

Each High Contracting Party shall endeavor to accredit to the other diplomatic representatives who, after having been recognized and accepted, shall enjoy, during the term of their respective missions, on the basis of reciprocity, the rights, privileges and immunities generally recognized under international law and usage.