

POEA ONLINE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR ISSUANCE OF TRAVEL EXIT CLEARANCE FOR BALIK-MANGGAGAWA/ WORKERS-ON-LEAVE (BM/ WOL)

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The Philippine Embassy is pleased to inform that the Philippine Overseas Employment Administration (POEA) has **implemented the new online application** process for issuance of the **POEA travel exit clearance** for **Balik-Manggagawa/workers-on-leave (BM/ WOL)**.

With the implementation of the online application system, OFWs have the option not to personally come to the POEA office and the Philippine Overseas Labor Offices (POLOs) to apply for exit clearance. OFWs can now avail of the **2-way delivery system via the internet** and have the clearance delivered back to their residence.

To apply, the BM/WOL logs on to www.oecdelivery.com.ph and follows the detailed instructions in the website.

If the BM/ WOL does not opt to avail of the 2-way delivery system, he can print out the OFW Info sheet after applying online and proceed to the POEA to file his application.

The POEA travel exit clearance may be obtained at the following:

- a. Balik-Manggagawa Processing Division (BMPD) Service Area, POEA, Blas F. Ople Bldg., Ortigas corner EDSA, Mandaluyong City;
- b. POEA Regional Centers/ Regional Extension Units (REUs) and satellite Offices;
- c. POEA-deputized OWWA Regional Offices and Units;
- d. POLO in various Philippine Embassies and Consulates abroad;
- e. Exit Clearance One-way Delivery System (Dropbox) POEA Service Area;
- f. POEA, REU-La Union, Cagayan de Oro, Tacloban, Davao, POLO-Jeddah and Singapore, for the issuance of Multiple Travel Exit Clearance (MTEC). The MTEC is a set of two or more clearances issued to workers-on leave/ balik-manggagawa (BM/WOL) for use as an exit document within a period of twelve (12) months from date of issuance. It allows the WOL/ BM who exits from the Philippines more than once in a period of 12 months to secure his exit clearance on a one-time basis.

The Embassy would appreciate it if this information on the significant breakthrough of POEA's services could be disseminated to all the officers and members of the Filipino Community (FILCOM) here in Thailand.

For more information, please visit the POEA website at www.poea.gov.ph