

L.N. 182 of 2015

**Consular Conventions (Application of Section 3)
(Amendment of Schedule: Philippines) Order 2015**

(Made by the Chief Executive under section 5 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance (Cap. 267) after consultation with the Executive Council)

1. Commencement

This Order comes into operation on 11 December 2015.

2. Consular Conventions (Application of Section 3) Order amended

The Consular Conventions (Application of Section 3) Order (Cap. 267 sub. leg. B) is amended as set out in section 3.

3. Schedule amended

The Schedule—

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“8. Republic of the Philippines”.

C. Y. LEUNG
Chief Executive

15 September 2015

Explanatory Note

This Order amends the Schedule to the Consular Conventions (Application of Section 3) Order (Cap. 267 sub. leg. B)—

- (a) to enable section 3 of the Consular Conventions Ordinance (Cap. 267) to apply to consular officers of the Consulate General of the Republic of the Philippines; and
- (b) to give effect to a provision in the Consular Agreement between the People’s Republic of China and the Republic of the Philippines done on 29 October 2009. The provision empowers the consular officers to represent Philippine nationals in inheritance proceedings and to transmit estates in the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region to Philippine nationals.