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**ADVISORY ON POTENTIAL LEGAL ISSUES AND DOCUMENTATION FOR
OVERSEAS FILIPINO WORKERS (OFWS)**

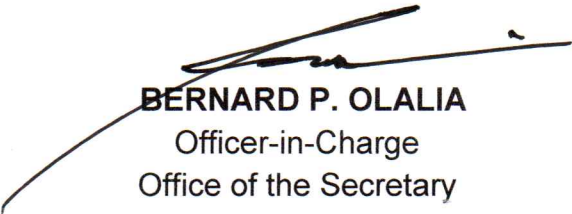
To mitigate the risk of encountering legal issues, such as an INTERPOL Red Notice originating from a Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) country, we urge all Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs) to ensure all financial, contractual, and legal obligations are fully resolved before departing a GCC member state or traveling internationally.

Additionally, proactively secure and keep the following essential documents:

- Police Clearance
- Overseas Employment Certificate
- Iqama/Residency Card
- Company ID
- Contact Information of Employer

Taking this precautionary measure will help you avoid similar issues and unexpected arrests or travel complications.

For the information and guidance of all concerned.



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