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DFA-OCA-EDO-01 Affidavit of Explanation to Change Married Name Configuration; Rev. 00/29 AUG 2024

AFFIDAVIT OF EXPLANATION TO CHANGE MARRIED NAME CONFIGURATION IN THE PHILIPPINE PASSPORT

I, _____,
a (citizenship) _____, of legal age,
(civil status) [] SINGLE [] MARRIED [] WIDOWED [] ANNULLED [] DIVORCED,
with address at _____,
after having been duly sworn in accordance with law, hereby depose/s and say/s:

1. That my maiden name is _____.
2. I am married to the below stated person as appearing on our PSA-issued Certificate of Marriage (COM) / Report of Marriage (ROM), herewith attached as "Annex A";

NAME OF HUSBAND	
DATE OF MARRIAGE	
PLACE OF MARRIAGE	
MARRIAGE CERT. NO.	

3. I have opted to use the surname of my husband after our marriage and my current married name is:

FIRST NAME, MARRIED MIDDLE NAME, MARRIED SURNAME	
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4. I adopted and used the abovementioned format of my married name in my latest Philippine passport:

PASSPORT NO.		ISSUED AT	
PLACE OF ISSUE		ISSUED ON	

5. I am expressing my intention to change the format of my married name for the replacement of my Philippine passport, as follows:

OLD MARRIED NAME		NEW MARRIED NAME	
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6. The change of the format of my married name on the new Philippine passport is by reason of:

State reason or explanation for change of married name configuration:

7. By virtue of this Affidavit, I am requesting Seoul PE to change my married name as appearing in my passport records to:

NEW MARRIED NAME FORMAT	
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8. I further undertake under the penalty of perjury and other related criminal offenses that my Philippine passport application is true and correct, and I submit to the full authority of the DFA to deny my Philippine Passport application, or cancel/revoke the same if granted, should any of the foregoing facts be found to be false and incorrect;
9. I assume full responsibility for the change of my married name configuration and hold the Department of Foreign Affairs free and harmless from any liability arising from this passport transaction and its approval;
10. I have duly complied with all the necessary and substantial requirements to ensure that the reversion to use my maiden name is in accordance with the New Philippine Passport Law and its Implementing Rules and Regulations; and
11. I am executing this Affidavit to attest to the truth of the foregoing facts and for the purpose of complying with the requirements in my Philippine passport application.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereby affix my signature this _____ day of _____, in the year _____, in the Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines in South Korea.

(Signature over Printed Name)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this _____ day of _____, 20____ at Philippine Embassy, Seoul, affiant having exhibited to me her _____ issued at _____ on _____

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