

**Forum with the Filcom Leaders**  
*9 March 2017*

# The Filipino Community in Italy

source: Ministry of Interior, Italy as of 31 December 2016

	Male		Female		Total	
	2015	2016	2015	2016	2015	2016
<b>With Stay Permits</b>	<b>56,411</b>	<b>61,437</b>	<b>82,899</b>	<b>86,313</b>	<b>139,310</b>	<b>147,750</b>
<b>Dependents</b>	<b>16,680</b>	<b>10,571</b>	<b>15,134</b>	<b>9,578</b>	<b>31,814</b>	<b>20,149</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>73,091</b>	<b>72,008</b>	<b>98,033</b>	<b>95,891</b>	<b>171,124</b>	<b>167,899</b>

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Northern Regions		Central Regions		Southern Regions	
Piemonte	6,373	Marche	1851	Abruzzo	722
Valle d'Aosta	34	Tuscana	13,906	Molise	22
Liguria	1659	Umbria	1,806	Campania	3,677
Lombardia	56,631	Lazio	47,364	Puglia	1,697
Trento Alto Adige	425			Basilicata	39
Veneto	7,601			Calabria	2,336
Friuli-Venezia Giulia	906			Sicilia	4,972
Emilia-Romagna	14,127			Sardegna	1,751
<b>Total</b>	<b>87,756</b>		<b>64,927</b>		<b>15,216</b>

# Consular Update

<b>Passport valid for 10 years</b>	<i>Approved on 3rd Reading in HOR</i>
<b>PhilHealth Desk</b> <i>(for enrollment)</i>	<i>For consideration of PhilHealth</i>
<b>Filipino Workers Resource Center</b>	<i>Under Study by DOLE, DFA</i>
<b>Circolare 29</b>	<i>PH position under review by DFA</i>
<b>Selection for PH Honorary Consuls in Italy</b>	<i>Ongoing</i>

# Consular Update

<b>OWWA Fund</b> <i>Extension of Benefits to retired, unemployed</i>	<i>Under study by the OWWA Board</i>
<b>OWWA Fund</b> <i>Refund of Contributions</i>	<i>Under Study by the OWWA Board</i>
<b>Social Security Agreement</b>	<i>Continuing discussions</i>

# Consular Update

**2017**

<b>Consular Outreach</b>	<b><i>17 confirmed</i></b>
<b>Delivery of Passports</b>	<b><i>12 estimated</i></b>
<b>Sunday Consular Services</b>	<b><i>4 confirmed</i></b>

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	2016	2017 <i>Jan - Feb</i>
<b>Outreach Missions</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Citizenship Reacquisition</b>	<b>529</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>Repatriation cases</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>1</b>
<b>Medical Repatriation</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Shipment of Remains</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>10</b>
<b>Legal Assistance</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1</b>

Year	Sites	Pport	Leg	Bi/ Mar	DC	SSS	Pag	OWW A Fund
2016	13	3284	445	146/30	76	793	121	779
2017	2	588	50	24/3	8	160	-NA-	181

# OAV Registration

<b><i>What</i></b>	<b>Continuing Overseas Voter Registration</b>
<b><i>When</i></b>	<b>1 Dec 2016- 31 Oct 2018</b>
<b><i>Where</i></b>	<b>PH Embassy, Mobile Registration Centers</b>
<b><i>Who</i></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>Filipino citizen at least 18 on the day of elections (2019)</i></li><li>• <i>In Italy during the 30-day voting period</i></li><li>• <i>Not disqualified by law</i></li></ul>
<b><i>How</i></b>	<b>Personal appearance for biometrics capture</b>
<b><i>Update</i></b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <i>1,552 new registered voters as of 5 March 2017</i></li><li>• <i>Unclaimed IDs – 13,500 est.</i></li><li>• <i>Recently Issued IDs – 4,409 (Jan 2017)</i></li></ul>



# Line-up of Activities

<b>Meeting with SFA, 18 Jan</b>	<b><i>Exchange of Views on Issues</i></b>
<b>Meeting with INPS, 30 Jan</b>	<b><i>Update on Policy</i></b>
<b>Forum on Women's Health, 16 Feb</b>	<b><i>Health Promotion among OFWs</i></b>
<b>Consultation with ANPAL Servizi, 21 Feb</b>	<b><i>Labour Migration</i></b>
<b>Forum with Filcom Leaders, 9 Mar</b>	<b><i>Follow-up on Issues, Concerns</i></b>
<b>Oath-taking of Fil-Italians, 19 Mar</b>	<b><i>Commemorative Activity</i></b>
<b>Forum with Filcom Leaders</b>	<b><i>Update on Issues, Concerns 3rd Quarter</i></b>

# 70° Year of the Establishment of PH-Italy Diplomatic Relations

- **2017 marks the 70° anniversary of PH-Italy diplomatic relations** (*PH and Italy signed the Treaty of Amity and Friendship on 09 July 1947*).
- **PH Embassy will commemorate this milestone event, together with partner agencies and institutions, with various activities.**

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