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SPECIAL BOARD OF CANVASSERS IN MANAMA, BAHRAIN SUCCESSFULLY TRANSMITS ELECTION RESULTS AND SUBMITS CERTIFICATE OF CANVASS TO THE NATIONAL BOARD OF CANVASSERS



The Special Board of Canvassers (SBOC) of the Philippine Embassy in Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain, chaired by Philippine Ambassador to Bahrain, H.E. Alfonso A. Ver, convenes in the presence of media representatives, poll watchers from different parties, and members of the Filipino community.

15 May 2019 – The Special Board of Canvassers (SBOC) of the Philippine Embassy in Manama, Bahrain, chaired by H.E. Alfonso A. Ver, successfully transmitted to COMELEC the canvassed election returns from the two precincts of the Embassy at around 4:00 AM of 14 May 2019 or less than 16 hours after the close of voting.

A total of 6,681 voters cast their ballots at the Philippine Embassy during the 30day period of overseas voting, which is equivalent to 24.71% of the 27,033 total registered overseas voters in Bahrain. A total of 4,033 or 60.37% of those who cast their votes are female voters. A total of 4,033 or 60.37% of those who cast their votes are female voters, while 2,648 or 29.63% are male The senatorial frontrunners at the end of the canvassing in Bahrain are the following:

CANDIDATE FOR SENATOR	TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED
1. DELA ROSA, BATO	4985
2. ONG, DOC WILLIE	4932
3. MARCOS, IMEE	4762
4. GO, BONG GO	4759
5. CAYETANO, PIA	4482
6. VILLAR, CYNTHIA	4251
7. TOLENTINO, FRANCIS	3393
8. ANGARA, EDGARDO	2767
9. CHONG, GLENN	2728
10.GADON, LARRY	2584
11.PIMENTEL, KOKO	2488
12.POE, GRACE	2448
13.LAPID, LITO	2064

The top five (5) part-list candidates are the following:

CANDIDATE FOR PARTYLIST	TOTAL VOTES RECEIVED
1. ACT-CIS	1512
2. AA-KASOSYO PARTY	537
3. OFW FAMILY	415
4. DUTERTE YOUTH	344
5. ACTS-OFW	283



Ambassador Ver, Manama PE SBOC Chair, submits to Director Eliza Sabile-David of the COMELEC Office for Overseas Voting the results of the canvassing in Bahrain.

As required by the COMELEC, SBOC Chairperson Ambassador Ver, also flew to Manila on the evening of 14 May 2019, to submit personally to COMELEC the results of the canvassing. He arrived in Manila on 15 May 2019 and proceeded directly to the PICC Command Center to submit the Certificates of Canvass and election returns.(END)