

Philippine Embassy Conducts Symposium on Philippine Laws on Marriage, Annulment and Inheritance

The Philippine Embassy in the Kingdom of Bahrain conducted a symposium entitled ***“Til Death (and Annulment) Do Us Part: An Overview of Philippine Laws on Marriage, Annulment and Inheritance***, at the Embassy Lobby on 28 March 2018 from 5:45 to 8:00 P.M. First Secretary and Consul Maria Paz G. Cortes, a lawyer by profession, was the Resource Speaker of the said symposium. The symposium was part of Post’s celebration of Women’s Month. A total of 98 Filipino community members, MWOFRM wards and Embassy personnel participated in the symposium.



H.E. Ambassador Alfonso A. Ver, addressing the participants of the symposium.



Vice Consul Joaquin Ricardo R. Aragon, introducing the Resource Speaker.



Consul Maria Paz G. Cortes, discussing the ways of terminating marital relations under the Philippine Family Code, and their respective grounds.



Labor Attaché Vicente M. Cabe, addressing a question on the effects of forum-shopping in a Petition for Annulment



Ms. Rosalie Nochefranca of PINAY Ikaw Na! Filcom organization, giving her expectations on the symposium



Mr. Roger Reyes of AMA International University raising a question on the legitimacy of the children born to spouses whose marriage was later on declared null and void.



Participants in a photo opportunity with H.E. Ambassador Alfonso A. Ver (second row, fourth from left)