## PHILIPPINE EMBASSY IN MANAMA AND THE ORDER OF THE KNIGHTS (OKOR) ORGANIZED A FLORAL OFFERING CEREMONIES IN COMMEMORATION OF THE 155<sup>TH</sup> BIRTH ANNIVERSARY OF DR. JOSE P. RIZAL



H.E. Alfonso A. Ver (at the center) and OKOR Regional Commander Sir Zane Thirwall (6th from right), and members of the Knight of Rizal at the Wreath Laying Ceremony

19 June 2016 – the Philippine Embassy in Manama, in cooperation with the Order of the Knights of Rizal (OKOR) commemorated the 155<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Philippine National Hero Dr. Jose P. Rizal with a Flag Raising Ceremony and a short program at the Embassy on 19 June 2016.

The flag-raising ceremony was followed by a program, which consisted of the singing of the national anthem, oath of allegiance to the Filipino flag by Sir Edre Bayno, Invocation led by Sir Rene Caseda, the Recitation of the Code of Ethics led by Sir Francis Fellone, the Pledge to the Flag led by Sir Ricardo Ayuyao, and the Rizalian Pledge was led by Sir Elpidio Quitevis. Sir Carlito Bugarin, OKOR Chapter Commander gave his welcome remarks. The Floral Offering was made by H.E. Alfonso A. Ver and the Knights of Rizal.



Floral Offering to the bust of Dr. Jose P. Rizal lead by H.E. Alfonso A. Ver and OKOR Regional Commander Sir Zane Thirwall

H.E. Alfonso A. Ver also gave his inspirational message on the said occasion. Fraternal sign was led by KOR Regional Commander Sir Zane M. Thirwall at the end of the program. END.



Singing of of the Philippine National Anthem and Oath of Allegiance to the Philippine Flag



Sir Francis Fellone leads the Recitation of the Rizalian Code of Ethics



Sir Elpidio Quitevis read the Rizalian Pledge





Sir Carlito Bugarin, OKOR Chapter Commander, on his welcome remarks



KOR Regional Commander Sir Zane Thirwall leads the recitation of Fraternal Sign