

## REPORT OF BIRTH

Children born in Taiwan to at least one (1) Filipino parent are Filipinos. Their birth should be reported through the Manila Economic and Cultural Office for onward transmittal to the Philippine Statistics Authority. Reporting and registration accords the Filipino child status and personality under Philippine laws.

<b>REPORT OF BIRTH DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS</b>	
<b>Filipino and Taiwanese/Chinese parents</b>	
1	Duly accomplished Report of Birth Form
2	Household Registration Transcript – 5 copies (1 original; 4 photocopies) 戶籍謄本 – 五份 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Request for the English Version from the Household Registration Office 戶政事務所發的英文版</li> <li>• <b>ALL five copies</b> should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BOCA, MOFA) 都需要經過 當地地方法院 或 民間公證人 公證 和 外交部 領事局 認證</li> </ul>
3	English Birth Certificate from the hospital – 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies)
4	Parents’ PSA Marriage Certificate 菲律賓結婚證明 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies)
5	Valid Passport and 5 photocopies thereof of each parent <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Taiwanese Parent’s valid Taiwan Passport (bio data page) - 父母親的台灣護照 (資料頁)</li> <li>• Filipino Parent’s valid Philippine Passport (bio data page) - 菲律賓護照 (資料頁)</li> </ul>
6	Valid Taiwan Passport and 5 photocopies thereof of the child (bio data page) 台灣護照 (資料頁), if applicable
<i>If applicable:</i>	
7	Affidavit of Delayed Report of Birth (if filed one year after the child’s birth)
8	If parents are not married: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Non-Filipino Father:</b> Affidavit of Admission of Paternity (AAP) and Certificate of Registration – 5 copies               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Duly accomplished Affidavit of Admission of Paternity Form</li> <li>- <b>ALL five</b> copies of AAP should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

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<b>Filipino Parents</b>	
1	Duly accomplished Report of Birth Form
2	<p>English Birth Certificate from the hospital – 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ALL five copies</b> should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BOCA, MOFA)</li> </ul>
3	Parents’ PSA Marriage Certificate – 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies)
4	Valid Philippine Passport and 5 photocopies thereof of each parent (bio data page)
<i>If applicable:</i>	
5	Affidavit of Delayed Report of Birth (if filed one year after the child’s birth)
6	<p>If parents are not married:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Father:</b> Affidavit of Admission of Paternity (AAP) and Certificate of Registration           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Duly accomplished Affidavit of Admission of Paternity Form</li> <li>- Five (5) copies of Father’s valid Philippine Passport (bio data page)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Mother:</b> Affidavit to Use the Surname of the Father (AUSF) and Certificate of Registration           <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Duly accomplished Affidavit to Use the Surname of the Father Form</li> <li>- Five (5) copies of Mother’s valid Philippine Passport (bio data page)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

<b>Filipino and Non-Taiwanese/Non-Chinese parents</b>	
1	Duly accomplished Report of Birth Form
2	English Birth Certificate from the hospital – 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>ALL five copies</b> should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BOCA, MOFA)</li> </ul>
3	Parents' PSA Marriage Certificate – 5 copies (1 original and 4 photocopies)
4	Valid Passport and 5 photocopies thereof of each parent: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Non-Taiwanese/Non-Chinese Parent's valid Passport (bio data page)</li> <li>• Filipino Parent's valid Philippine Passport (bio data page)</li> </ul>
<i>If applicable:</i>	
5	Affidavit of Delayed Report of Birth (if filed one year after the child's birth)
6	If parents are not married: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Non-Filipino Father:</b> Affidavit of Admission of Paternity (AAP) and Certificate of Registration – 5 copies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Duly accomplished Affidavit of Admission of Paternity Form</li> <li>- <b>ALL five</b> copies of AAP should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BOCA, MOFA)</li> <li>- Five (5) copies of Father's valid foreign Passport (bio data page)</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Non-Filipino Mother:</b> Affidavit to Use the Surname of the Father (AUSF) and Certificate of Registration – 5 copies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Duly accomplished Affidavit to Use the Surname of the Father Form</li> <li>- <b>ALL five</b> copies of AUSF should be notarized by the Local District Court or Notary Public and authenticated by the Bureau of Consular Affairs of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs (BOCA, MOFA)</li> <li>- Five (5) copies of Mother's valid foreign Passport (bio data page)</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

MECO may require submission of additional documents on a case-by-case basis to determine the child's citizenship, identity, or eligibility for registration of birth under Philippine laws.