SPECIAL ORDER NO. 168
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In connection with the report/recommendation of the Task Force chaired by the Director, Adjudication Office relative to the 401 stranded Domestic Helpers in Kuwait and in order to effect immediate response and action on the future en-masse repatriation of overseas contract workers (OCWs), and ad hoc committee to be known as POEA Repatriation Committee is hereby created to be composed of the following:

1. Director of the Welfare and Employment Office as Chairman
2. Director of the Adjudication Office, or his duly designated Senior Officer, as Member
3. Director of the Licensing and Regulation Office or her duly designated Senior Officer, as Member
4. Director of the Pre-Employment Services Office, or her duly designated Senior Officer, as Member

The POEA Repatriation Committee shall convene on dates as designated by the Chairman to deliberate, formulate and draft proposed rules and regulations governing stranded OCWs that would ensure their immediate repatriation and/or assistance to said workers at the soonest time possible.

The Assistance and Welfare Division, Welfare Services Branch shall act as the Secretariat of the Committee.

This Order takes effect immediately.

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