



The flag-raising ceremony

12 June 2012 - The officers and staff of the Philippine Embassy in Dili, together with members of the Filipino community, commemorated the 114th anniversary of the proclamation of Philippine Independence with a flag-raising ceremony at the Embassy grounds.

The members of the outgoing batch of Filipino United Nations (UN) police officers in Timor-Leste, with Contingent Commander Supt. Mario Llorin, led the rendition of the Philippine National Anthem and the recitation of the Pledge of Allegiance to the Philippine National Flag.

Third Secretary and Vice Consul Maurice A. Tiempo read the Independence Day messages of President Benigno S. Aquino III and Foreign Affairs Secretary Albert F. del Rosario.



Ambassador Maria Aileen H. Bugarin with the I

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Ambassador Bugarin and UN Police Commissioner Luis Miguel Carrilho
UN Police in Timor-Leste.

A Filipino breakfast was served after the flag-raising ceremony. END