

[LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS NO. 130, September 19, 1973]

GUIDELINES FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 298

A. Period for Submission —

All applications must be filed within three (3) months after the date of effectivity of the Decree.

B. Persons Qualified —

1. Chinese nationals who entered the Philippines legally from January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1953, as non-immigrants under the Philippine Immigration Act of 1940, as amended, whose only violation of immigration law is overstaying;

2. Chinese nationals who entered the Philippines from January 1, 1947 to December 31, 1953, as non-immigrants classified as above who have been able to change the category of their admission to special non-immigrants under Section 47 of the Act; and

3. Children of Nos. 1 and 2 above who were born in the Philippines who are likewise non-immigrants.

C. Procedure —

1. Each applicant must file individual applications in triplicate with the following enclosures:

a) Valid Chinese Nationalist Passport with valid entry visa to Taiwan;

b) Police Clearance. (Not required for children under 14 years of age.)

c) Evidence of financial support.

d) Medical certificate to the effect that he is not suffering from any of the diseases mentioned in Section 29 of the Philippine Immigration Act of 1940, as amended, issued by government physicians designated by the Commissioner of Immigration and Deportation.

e) Photostatic copies of —

1. Cash and surety bonds undertaking in appropriate cases;

2. Certificate of payment of service fees in appropriate cases;

3. Alien Registration Certificates; and

4. Certificate of Residence as non-immigrant.