

**[ POEA MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 39, April 20, 1992 ]**

**DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ON THE BAGONG BAYANI AWARDS DURING PDOS**

The Bagong Bayani Awards (BBA), an annual search for outstanding overseas contract workers since 1984 under the auspices of the Bagong Bayani Foundation, Inc. (BBFI). In coordination with POEA, has to date given due recognition and incentives to some thirty one (31) OCWs and seafarers for their notable achievements and adherence to the Code of Discipline for Filipino OCWs.

So that more OCWs with exemplary accomplishments and sterling records of performance and discipline would have equal chances of gaining recognition under this Bagong Bayani Awards program, all agencies and entities are hereby enjoined to include in their PDOS syllabus a brief discussion of the basic information on the BBA to help expand the scope and reach of the project.

Attached (see below) for this purpose is an outline-module which can be used by PDOS trainers as reference in presenting the objectives and mechanics of the BBA to increase the awareness of OCWs and their kins on the significance and benefits of projecting good image and positive traits of the Filipino as an international worker and an Ambassador of Goodwill in his own right.

For information and compliance.

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**ANNEX**

**PDOS MODULE ON THE BAGONG BAYANI AWARDS**

**What is the Bagong Bayani Foundation ?**

The Bagong Bayani Foundation, Inc. (BBFI) is a non-stock, non-profit organization conceived to uphold the new heroes of our time, the overseas workers. It works hand in hand with POEA in paying tribute to the Filipino overseas through the Bagong Bayani Awards.

**What are its Objective ?**