

**[CID LAW INSTRUCTIONS NO. 34/IMMIGRATION
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1988]**

**EXPIRATION OF AMNESTY UNDER IMMIGRATION REGULATIONS
INSTRUCTIONS NO. 22**

By express provision, the Amnesty Program under Immigration Regulation Instructions No. 22 and under Law Instructions No. 24 and Immigration Regulation Instructions No. 30 expired on 15 June 1988. The consequences of the expiration are as follows:

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Temporary Visitors

1. *General Rule* — Except for those governed by specific laws, aliens entering the country as temporary visitors may stay in the country for a period not exceeding one (1) year and 59 days. For temporary visitors who obtained their visa from a Philippine consulate abroad, the initial admission is usually for 59 days; thereafter, he may be granted three extensions of not more than four (4) months each, but not to exceed a total extensions of one (1) year.

For temporary visitors who entered without a visa, as authorized under Executive Order No. 408, the initial admission is normally for 21 days; thereafter, he may be granted an extension of 38 days, commonly referred to as a visa waiver, which adds up to an authorized stay of 59 days. Subsequently, he may be granted three additional extensions of not more than four (4) months each but not to exceed a total extension of one (1) year.

The maximum period of one (1) year and 59 days may be further extended by the Commissioner or Associate Commissioner in exceptional cases.

An application for extension must be filed before the expiration of the alien's last authorized stay.

An extension fee of P110.00 shall be assessed for every extension of one (1) month or segment thereof.

2. *Late Filing of Application for Extension; Beyond One Year and 59 Days* — As a deterrent to the late filing of applications for extension, an alien who files an application for extension after his authorized stay has expired, shall first be required to update his stay by paying double the monthly extension fee for the period during which he has overstayed. If his application for extension still falls within the maximum period of one (1) year and 59 days, he may be granted the period of extension