## [ BOI Operations Order No. SBM-2015-030, September 11, 2015 ]

## AMENDING SECTIONS 4.8 AND 15 OF OPERATIONS ORDER NO. SBM-2014-046 (MANUAL OF OPERATION FOR PROCESSING ARRESTED/INTERCEPTED FOREIGNERS) AND INSERTING SECTION 8-A THEREOF

Adopted: 11 September 2015 Date Filed: 15 September 2015

**WHEREAS,** Operations Order No. SBM-2014-046 was issued on 25 September 2014 providing for the Manual of Operation for Processing Arrested/Intercepted Foreigners;

**WHEREAS**, there is a need to amend certain provisions of the same Operations Order to include certain duties of the Intelligence Division and Legal Division;

**NOW THEREFORE,** pursuant to the rule-making authority of the Commissioner of Immigration under Commonwealth Act. No. 613, as amended, the following amendments are hereby prescribed:

Section 1. Amendment of Section 4 of Operation Order No. SBM-2014-046. – Section 4 of Operation Order No. SBM-2014-046 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Section 4. **Service and Execution of Mission Order.**– Only duly authorized permanent/organic personnel of the BI shall serve and execute the Mission Order against the subject foreigners.

*Provided, that,* assistance may be sought from the BI's confidential agents and other law enforcement officers if the circumstances so warrant; <u>Provided further, that a foreigner arrested in accordance with, or incidental to, the Mission Order shall not be released without the written approval of the Commissioner.</u>

No Mission Order shall be served and executed on Saturdays, Sundays, non-working holidays or during non-office hours, unless the subject foreigners are fugitives from justice or are engaged in acts inimical to the public safety and national security as the Commissioner may determine."

Section 2. Amendment of Section 8 of Operations Order No. SBM 2014-046.

- Section 8 of Operation Order No. SBM-2014-046 is hereby amended to read as