



**NATIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT
COORDINATING COMMITTEE**

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RESOLUTION No. 03 – 2009

**RECOMMENDING TO THE MANILA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT AUTHORITY (MIAA) THE
INCLUSION IN ITS PRIORITY PROGRAMS/PROJECTS/ACTIVITIES THE STRENGTHENING
OF THE DRUG DETECTION CAPABILITIES IN THE AIRPORTS**

WHEREAS, the number of Filipinos/OFWs arrested abroad for drug-related offenses are alarmingly increasing and had become an international concern;

WHEREAS, most of the said Filipinos are being utilized by Trans-National Syndicates to carry dangerous drugs either in their luggage or hide it in their bodies;

WHEREAS, despite continuous notices/warning issued by the government, the problems continued to be unabated;

WHEREAS, it is highly probable that the airports are being used by these syndicates as entry/transit points of dangerous drugs;

WHEREAS, during the recent visit of the members of the Sub-Committee on Dangerous Drugs and Controlled Chemicals (SCDDCC) Law Enforcement and Investigation Cluster, the MIAA management admitted the limitation of their capabilities in detecting dangerous drugs;

WHEREAS, in the five-year security plan of NAIA management, anti-drug campaign is not included and not even one of its priorities as it is focusing on terrorist-related program/activities;

WHEREAS, to address the alarming increase of the number of Filipinos/OFWs arrested abroad for carrying drugs, there is a need to strengthen the drug detection capabilities of the MIAA;

WHEREFORE, be it **RESOLVED** to recommend to the MIAA authorities to include in its priority programs/projects/activities the strengthening of drug detection capabilities in all its terminals in NAIA.

WHEREFORE, be it **FURTHER RESOLVED** that the NALECC-SCDDCC will fully support as an active voice-pressure group or in whatever way and capacity it can help the MIAA authorities achieve its anti-drug programs/projects/activities specifically on the acquisition of necessary funds for the purpose.

APPROVED and **ADOPTED** unanimously by this body on the 1st day of February 2010 at the PNP NHQ Building, Camp Rafael T Crame, Quezon City.

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