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The Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines presents its compliments to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute and, with reference to ICC-ASP/16/SP/08 dated 07 March 2017, is pleased to inform the Secretariat of the Assembly and the States Parties to the Rome Statute that the Republic of the Philippines is nominating Ms. Janet Braganza Abuel, Undersecretary (Deputy Minister) of the Philippines' Department of Budget and Management (DBM) as candidate to the ICC Committee on Budget and Finance.

Ms. Abuel fulfills the requirements of paragraphs 2 of the annex to the resolution establishing the Committee on Budget and Finance (ICC-ASP/1/Res.4):

- She will be the first nominee of the Philippines to the Committee on Budget and Finance.
- She is an expert of recognized standing and experience in financial matters at the international level.
 - She is a lawyer and a certified public accountant. She has twenty (20) years of experience in public financial management, coupled with the knowledge and skills she acquired pertaining to organizational management and development, financial management, and procurement management.
 - She is currently the Undersecretary (Deputy Minister) of the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) for Local Government and Regional Operations Group. Prior to her appointment as Undersecretary, she has held various capacities as head of DBM's Corporate Affairs Group and as head of the Legal Service and one of the regional offices. She has also been designated as Officer-in-Charge of the DBM on several occasions.
 - She holds the degrees of Master in Public Policy, Bachelor of Laws, and Bachelor of Science in Commerce Major in Accounting.
- She is able and willing to carry out her duties for three calendar years.

Attached is the curriculum vitae of Ms. Janet B. Abuel

The Embassy of the Republic of the Philippines avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Secretariat of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute the assurances of its highest consideration.

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The Secretariat
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