## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

To avoid delay/denial in the processing of your application, please be advised of the following:

- 1. All documents required for submission must be complied with, arranged in the order as listed in the Checklist of Documentary Requirements (CDR), compiled in a legal size (8½ x 14 in.) folder and shall be submitted within the prescribed period, if applicable. Otherwise, your application shall not be accepted.
- 2. If the application is filed by an authorized representative, attach a photocopy of the Bureau of Immigration (BI) Accreditation Identification (ID) Certificate or an original Special Power of Attorney (SPA) for **EACH** applicant with a photocopy of a valid government-issued ID of attorney-in-fact.
- 3. It is recommended that you seek legal advice from lawyers and/or BI-accredited entities.

## CHECKLIST OF DOCUMENTARY REQUIREMENTS FOR APPLICATION FOR UPGRADING OF VISA TO AN ACCREDITED OFFFICIAL OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT AND ANNOTATION AS A DEPENDENT OF A FOREIGN GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL

Please read carefully the above-stated General Instructions before proceeding with the completion of the documentary requirements.

<ul> <li>1. Endorsement from the Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA) and copy of Note Verbale;</li> <li>2. Photocopy of bio-page of applicant's passport and latest admission;</li> <li>3. Photocopy of Birth Certificate of the native born dependent of a FGO; and</li> <li>4. Latest visa issued by the DFA, if applicable.</li> </ul>	
[To be filled out by Authorized BI Personnel Only]	
CERTIFICATION	
This is to certify that the documents submitted in support of the application of	(Name of Applicant)
are complete and in accordance with the provided checklist.	
Central Receiving Unit Evaluator:	
Signature over Printed Name	Date

Note: Submission of additional supporting documents may be required by the Bureau for further verification and evaluation of application.