

REQUIREMENTS FOR SOLEMNIZATION OF MARRIAGE

1. Contracting Parties, in person, shall file for their application for a marriage license at the Consulate General in Shanghai. The marriage license shall be filed at the location of the wedding ceremony. Application fee is RMB180 per person (total RMB360). **ONLY FILIPINO CITIZENS SHALL BE MARRIED AT THE CONSULATE.**
2. The Consulate General shall then publish a notice of the application of marriage for **15 consecutive days before the actual wedding ceremony at the Consulate,**
3. Solemnization ceremonies shall be held at the Consulate. The fee is RMB432.00

Documentary requirements are as follows: Solemnization of Marriage (For Filipino Couples)

1. Original copy of Authenticated Birth Certificate which has to pass through
 - A. Philippine Statistics Authority
 - B. Department of Foreign Affairs (Authentication Section)
2. Original copy of Certificate of Non-Availability of Record of Marriage which has to pass through
 - A. Philippine Statistics Authority
 - B. Department of Foreign Affairs (Authentication Section)
3. Original copy of Authenticated Parental Consent (if an applicant is from 18-20 years old), or Original and four (4) copies of Authenticated Parental Advice (if an applicant is from 21-25 years old) which have to pass through:
 - A. Notary Public
 - B. Regional Trial Court
 - C. Department of Foreign Affairs (Authentication Section)
4. Copy of the Passport data page (4 copies)
5. Four (4) pieces of recent 2x2 photographs
6. Baptismal Certificate and Transcript of Record (School Record) or School Diploma (If applicant has no passport or expired/invalid passport or if there are discrepancies on the date of birth or name in the certified documents such as the passport, Birth Certificate, etc.).