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## OFFICE OF PROTOCOL

24 April 2025

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Department of Foreign Affairs – Office of Protocol has the honor to inform your good office that the Apostolic Nunciature has conveyed that His Holiness Pope Francis peacefully reposed in the Lord on 21 April 2025 at the Domus Sanctae Marthae, Vatican City State.

In this regard, the Apostolic Nunciature will open a book of condolences in memory of the Holy Father on Monday, 28 April 2025, from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Offices of the Government of the Republic of the Philippines are hereby informed of the above for the benefit of those who may wish to personally pay their respects by signing the book of condolences at the Apostolic Nunciature during the abovementioned period.

For information and guidance.

Sincerely yours,

ARIEL RODELAS PEÑARANDA

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Assistant Secretary and Chief of Protocol

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