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Philippine Embassy say their prayers, hosts reception for the Filipino Community on the occasion of the 114th Independence Day Celebrations

On 12 June, 2012 the Filipino Community in New Delhi thronged to the Embassy grounds for the traditional flag-raising ceremony and the singing of the National Anthem, followed by a hearty brunch. A Celebratory Mass was also held inside the Ambassador's Residence. Ms. Agnes M. Cervantes, Chargé d'Affaires, a.i. read the Independence Day Message of H.E. President Benigno S. Aquino III. First Secretary and Consul Robert Ferrer read the Independence Day Message of Secretary Albert F. Del Rosario.

Messages from Secretary Gregory L. Domingo, Secretary of Trade and Industry, and from Gen. Jessie Dellosa, Chief of Staff, Armed Forces of the Philippines were also read by Trade and Commercial Attaché Vichaelangelo Roaring and Col. Rolando S. Acop, Defense and Armed Forces Attaché, respectively.



Embassy Chargé d'Affaires Maria Agnes M. Cervantes reading H.E. President Benigno S. Aquino III's Independence Day Message.



Members of the Filipino Community in New Delhi joined the Embassy in celebrating the 114th anniversary of the Declaration of Philippine Indpendence on 12 June 1898.



Mass was held inside the Official Residence after the Flag-raising Ceremony.