

BDO Remit moves to a more accessible office in West Covina

Filipinos living and working near West Covina, California can now avail of a more secured and convenient way of sending remittances to loved ones in the Philippines as BDO Remit relocates its office from Azusa Avenue to a shopping complex at the West Covina Center. The relocation is still part of BDO Remit's commitment to provide excellent customer service in a more accessible and more convenient place.

"I'm very happy with the relocation of BDO Remit office. Now, I can send money to my family easily and safely," Jowell Sabado, who regularly sends remittance to his beneficiary in Baguio, said. He opened a BDO Kabayan Account in the Philippines before he left.

Open seven days a week, BDO Remit-West Covina offers Credit to BDO Kabayan Account, a safe and fast way to send remittance to their families in the Philippines. Beneficiaries may open a BDO Kabayan Account in the Philippines where the remittance sent by their loved ones abroad will be directly credited. Within the same day, the beneficiary will receive the remittance. Aside from passbook, BDO Kabayan Account -- be it peso account or dollar account -- also comes with an ATM card, allowing beneficiaries to conveniently withdraw the remittance right when they need it. Withdrawals can be done anytime, anywhere from over 11,000 BDO, MegaLink, Expressnet and BancNet ATMs.

BDO Remit also offers Cash Pick-up Anywhere that allows OFW families to easily get the remittance from almost 4,800 BDO Remit payout locations across the Philippines. BDO branches, including those inside SM malls, are safe and convenient cash pick-up points of remittance. Also, there is always enough peso and dollar notes to payout the beneficiaries and OFW families can immediately claim the money sent by their loved ones. As of end December 2011, BDO's network of branches total to more than 740 branches. Those within SM malls may accommodate beneficiaries for extended banking hours of up to 7 p.m. even during weekends and holidays.



BDO Remit's (from left) Levis Oliver, Alex Dulay and Joseph Quimson led the inauguration of BDO Remit-West Covina Branch. As a welcome treat, clients who sent remittances through BDO Remit-West Covina Branch were given free items.



Jowell Sabado can now avail of BDO Remit's services with the new accessible location of West Covina office.



A view of the newly relocated BDO Remit office at the West Covina Center along East Amar Road

BDO Remit Counters inside SM Department Stores, SM Business Services, Global Pinoy Centers and Savemore Markets likewise allow beneficiaries claim the remittance safely and conveniently. Now, OFW families can pick-up the money sent by their OFW families, pay bills and buy household necessities under one roof. To accommodate beneficiaries even in far-flung areas, BDO Remit also partnered with various rural banks in different provinces across the country.

To send money to the Philippines, visit BDO Remit (USA) at 1559 East Amar Road, Suite U, West Covina, California 91792. For more information, call (626) 363-9806.

Remitters may also visit other BDO Remit (USA) offices located at: **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA** - 215 South Vermont Avenue, **Los Angeles**, California 90004, tel. no. (213) 386-5069; **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA** - 4830 Mission Street, Suite 101, **San Francisco**, California 94112, tel. no. (415) 587-9495; and **ILLINOIS** - 5845 North Clark Street, **Chicago**, Illinois 60660, tel. no. (773) 271-7380. You may also call 1-800-472-3252 for the authorized agents nearest you. Log on to www.bdo.com.ph for more information.



BDO Remit's Virgie Polintan explains to a customer the benefits of sending money through BDO Remit.