

BDO ties up with shipping company Eastgate Maritime Corp.



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Furthering its reach into the OFW market across the globe, BDO recently partnered with Eastgate Maritime Corporation, one of the pioneer manning agencies in the maritime industry for more than 20 years. Following the partnership, remittances / salary allotments from Eastgate-employed seafarers will now be coursed through BDO.

Apart from being a remittance conduit for the hard-earned money of Filipino seafarers, BDO's partnership with Eastgate also means helping its seafarers manage their finances better by opening their own BDO Kabayan Savings Accounts in order to instill the value and habit of savings, and eventually begin investments through the other available products and services of the bank.

The recently inked agreement with Eastgate is proof of BDO's reliability in terms of allotment facility, and the maritime industry's growing awareness of the bank's commitment to reach out and serve the remittance needs of *kababayans* wherever they may be.