



# TRAVEL ADVISORY

The Philippine Embassy in Madrid reiterates its warning to all Filipino travelers transiting or entering Hong Kong as visitors, workers, or as residents to refrain from bringing restricted items, particularly stunning devices, in their hand carried or checked-in luggage.

Stun guns and other devices such as tear gas, bullets, extendible batons, flick knives, and knuckle dusters are considered as “arms” under the Firearms and Ammunition Ordinance of Hong Kong and their unlicensed possession is, upon conviction, punishable by a fine of HK\$100,000 and/or a maximum sentence of 14 years’ imprisonment.

The Hong Kong authorities are strict with the enforcement of the said Ordinance. All hand-carried and checked in luggage of passengers are subjected to security screening in the airport terminals.