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PHILIPPINE AMBASSADOR VISITED CYBER KNIFE FACILITY AT JINNAH POSTGRADUATE MEDICAL CENTRE, KARACHI

28 June 2019 – To enhance the Philippines and Pakistan bilateral relationship on humanitarian and educational ground H.E. Ambassador Daniel R. Espiritu with his cultural and economic team visited the Cyber Knife facility at Jinnah Postgraduate Medical Centre (JPMC) in Karachi.

Cyber Knife is a robotic, cutting-edge technology that uses a high cancer-killing dose of radiation in a precise, painless, and non-invasive manner and can cure any type of cancer from stage 1 to 4.

The Philippine delegation was received by the Head of JPMC Prof. Tariq Mahmood. During the visit of the facility, Prof. Mahmood explained JPMC is the only hospital in Pakistan which is running a Cyber knife Robotic System since 2013 and the only hospital in the world that is not charging a single penny from patients for cancer treatment.

He added that the facility of free cancer treatment for unprivileged people is not limited to Pakistanis only and any cancer patient from any country can avail the free treatment from JPMC. He further offered free training classes for Filipino medical students and free cancer treatments for indigent Filipinos in Pakistan

At the end of the visit, H.E. Ambassador Espiritu presented the official book of the Philippine-Pakistan relations to Prof. Tariq Mahmood who also presented a plaque of appreciation to the Ambassador.



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Prof. Tariq Mahmood while explaining Cyber Knife robotic treatment to Ambassador Daniel R. Espiritu and Philippine Honorary Consul General Dr. Imran Y. Muhammad.



Ambassador Daniel R. Espiritu along with Philippine Embassy staff, Prof. Tariq Mahmood and Philippine Honorary Consul General Dr. Imran Y. Muhammad posing for a group photo with Cyber Knife robot at the back.

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