



Republic of the Philippines  
Professional Regulation Commission  
Manila



**RESOLUTION NO. 1346**  
Series of 2021

**POSTPONING THE APRIL 2021 PHARMACISTS LICENSURE EXAMINATION  
IN LUCENA AND RESCHEDULING THEREOF TO JUNE 29 & 30, 2021**

**WHEREAS**, Section 7 (d) of Republic Act No. 8981 or the PRC Modernization Act of 2000 empowers the Professional Regulation Commission (Commission) to administer and conduct the licensure examinations of the various regulatory boards in accordance with the rules and regulations it may promulgate; to determine and fix the places and dates of examinations;

**WHEREAS**, on March 27, 2021, the Office of the President announced the new quarantine classifications in different areas of the country due to the continuing spike of Coronavirus Disease 2019 cases;

**WHEREAS**, the Inter Agency Task Force for Emerging Infectious Disease (IATF-EID) in its letter dated March 30, 2021, directed the Commission to postpone the scheduled licensure examination for the month of April 2021 in those areas under the quarantine classification of General Community Quarantine (GCQ) to avoid cross border transfer of examinees;

**WHEREAS**, in this regard, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1341 (s. 2021) postponing the April 2021 Pharmacists Licensure Examination (PhLE) in the affected areas of National Capital Region (NCR), Baguio, Davao, Tacloban, and Tuguegarao and to reschedule the same to June 29 & 30, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, in the same Resolution, the conduct of April 2021 PhLE in areas under Modified General Community Quarantine such as Cagayan De Oro, Cebu, Iloilo, Legaspi, **Lucena**, Pagadian, Rosales and Zamboanga shall be held as scheduled on April 25 & 26, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, the IATF-EID issued Resolution No. 109-A (s. 2021) adding the Quezon province to the list of areas under GCQ until April 30, 2021;

**WHEREAS**, given that PRC-Lucena is geographically located in Quezon Province, the Professional Regulatory Board of Pharmacy and the Licensure Office recommend to postpone the PhLE and to reschedule the same to June 2021;

**WHEREFORE**, premises considered, the Commission **RESOLVES**, as it hereby **RESOLVED**, to **POSTPONE** the April 2021 Pharmacists Licensure Examination in **PRC-LUCENA** and **RESCHEDULE** the same to **June 29 & 30, 2021**, together with NCR, Baguio, Davao, Tacloban, and Tuguegarao.

This Resolution amends Resolution No. 1341 (s. 2021) accordingly.

Let a copy of this Resolution be posted at the PRC Official website for information.

Done in the City of Manila this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2021.

  
**TEOFILO S. PILANDO, JR.**  
Chairman

  
**YOLANDA D. REYES**  
Commissioner

  
**JOSE Y. CUETO, JR.**  
Commissioner