

Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



RESOLUTION NO. 1501

Series of 2022

REMOVING TAWI-TAWI AS A TESTING CENTER FOR THE JUNE 2022 LICENSURE EXAMINATION FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHERS AND GIVING CONCERNED EXAMINEES THE OPTION TO TRANSFER TO OTHER TESTING VENUES

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 and **to determine and fix the places and dates of examinations**;

WHEREAS, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1439 (s. 2021) scheduling the Licensure Examination for Professional Teachers (LEPT) on 30 January 2022, 27 March 2022, 26 June 2022, and 25 September 2022, in different regions nationwide, including the locality of Tawi-Tawi;

WHEREAS, with the large number of examinees for June 2022 LEPT, the PRC-Region IX (PRC-Pagadian) is anticipating difficulties in the preparatory activities and management of the actual conduct of the said licensure examination due to the following reasons:

- 1. Limited number of employees in PRC-Pagadian and Zamboanga due to assignment of its employees in the Confidential Printing Room for seven (7) days;
- 2. Possible adverse effect on the frontline services in PRC-Pagadian and Zamboanga; and
- 3. Difficulty of the delegation team from PRC-Pagadian and Zamboanga in recruiting and screening an adequate number of proctors and examination personnel, and preparing and transporting the examination materials.

WHEREAS, in view of the above considerations, the Professional Regulatory Board for Professional Teachers and the Licensure Office recommend removing the locality of Tawi-Tawi as a testing center for the June 2022 LEPT and allowing the concerned examinees therein to transfer to other testing venues.

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to approve the recommendation to REMOVE TAWI-TAWI as a testing center for the June 2022 LEPT and give the concerned examinees therein the option to transfer to other examination venues.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that the concerned examinees from Tawi-Tawi should inform the Regional Office of the place where they are interested to take the June 2022 LEPT from **06 JUNE 2022** to **10 JUNE 2022** for the finalization of the master list of examinees and room assignments.

All Commission offices/divisions are enjoined to undertake the necessary coordination to ensure the smooth and orderly conduct of the licensure examination.

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

Done in the City of Manila this <u>9th</u> day of <u>June 2022</u>.

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TEOFILO S. PILANDO, JR. Chairman

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