

## Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



## **RESOLUTION NO. 1535**

Series of 2022

## DESIGNATING CATANDUANES AS AN ADDITIONAL TESTING CENTER FOR THE SEPTEMBER 2022 LICENSURE EXAMINATION FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHERS

**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**, pursuant to Resolution No. 1439 (s. 2021), the scheduled Licensure Examination for Professional Teachers (LEPT) will be on 25 September 2022;

**WHEREAS,** the Commission issued Resolution No. 1493 (s. 2022), otherwise known as the "Revised Guidelines and Procedures on the Designation of Additional Testing Centers for the Conduct of Local Licensure Examinations", which provides that additional testing centers for large-scale examination outside the city or province where the PRC Regional Office is located must have at least three hundred (300) prospective examinees;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Honorable Representative Eulogio R. Rodriguez requested from the Commission and the Professional Regulatory Board for Professional Teachers (Board) to consider Catanduanes as one of the testing centers for the September 2022 LEPT;

**WHEREAS**, the LEPT is a large-scale licensure examination and there are more or less one thousand two hundred (1,200) prospective examinees for the September 2022 LEPT in Catanduanes;

**WHEREAS**, in its letter dated 7 July 2022, the LGU of Catanduanes committed to coordinate with the schools to be used as testing venues and to shoulder the expenses for transportation, food, and accommodation, as well as the security of the Delegation Team and Test Booklet Custodians of the Commission;

**WHEREAS**, in its letter dated 7 July 2022, the PRC Regional Office V (Legazpi) endorsed the said request;

**WHEREAS**, the Board and the Licensure Office recommend the approval of the request in order to give the concerned examinees the opportunity to take the September 2022 LEPT without unnecessary distant travel and additional expenses.

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to designate CATANDUANES as an additional testing center for the September 2022 Licensure Examination for Professional Teachers.

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 23rd day of August, 2022.

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Chairman

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Commissioner