



PROFESSIONAL REGULATORY BOARD FOR CUSTOMS BROKERS

**SPECIAL PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE EXAMINATION PROGRAM OF THE
CUSTOMS BROKERS LICENSURE EXAMINATION
ON JUNE 6 AND 7, 2025**

DATE AND TIME	SUBJECTS	WEIGHT
<u>FRIDAY, JUNE 6, 2025</u>		
7:00 A.M. – 7:45 A.M	GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS AND FILLING-OUT OF FORMS	
8:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M.	CUSTOMS LAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS, ETHICS AND CUSTOMS BROKER PRACTICES	25%
1:00 P.M. - 4:00 P.M.	CUSTOMS DOCUMENTATIONS, CLEARANCE AND PROCEDURES	25%
<u>SATURDAY, JUNE 7, 2025</u>		
8:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.	TARIFF LAWS, RULES, REGULATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE	25%
1:00 P.M. – 1:40 P.M.	TARIFF CLASSIFICATION	25%
1:40 P.M. – 4:00 P.M	PRACTICAL COMPUTATIONS	
TOTAL		100%

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. The **NOTICE OF ADMISSION** will be issued at the MWO/Embassy or testing centers.
2. Please bring original documents with you for final evaluation and four (4) pieces passport size pictures with name tag.
3. Bring the following on examination day:
 - a. Two (2) or more pencils (No. 1 or 2)
 - b. Ballpens with **BLACK ink only**
 - c. One piece long brown envelope
 - d. One piece long transparent/plastic envelope
 - e. **NON-PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS** (Please refer to Commission Resolution No. 1809-2024 or the “Updated list of Non-Programmable Calculators Allowed to be used in the Licensures Examinations”)

NOTE: ONLY ONE CALCULATOR SHALL BE ALLOWED INSIDE THE EXAMINATION ROOM. CALCULATORS SHALL BE INSPECTED AND HAVE TO BE RESET BEFORE THE START OF THE EXAMINATION.

4. The following items are strictly **PROHIBITED** inside the examination premises/rooms.
 - 4.1.1. Books, notes, review materials, and other printed materials containing coded data/information/formula.
 - 4.1.2. **PROGRAMMABLE CALCULATORS** or calculators with embedded functions especially **CASIO FX991ES** and **CASIO FX-991ES plus**
 - 4.1.3. **APPLE, SAMSUNG AND OTHER SMART WATCHES, CELLULAR PHONES, EAR PLUGS, TRANSMITTERS, PORTABLE COMPUTERS, BLUETOOTH AND OTHER ELECTRONIC GADGETS/DEVICES WHICH MAY BE USED TO STORE OR RETRIEVE DATA/INFORMATION AND/OR TO COMMUNICATE FOR WHATEVER PURPOSES**
Bags of any kind (ladies bag, shoulder bags, attaché case, backpacks, etc.)
 - 4.1.4. Other examination aids not stated in this program.

The rules on the conduct of bodily search, inspection of personal belongings of the examinees, and the seizure/confiscation of prohibited items during the licensure exam (Annex A of PRC Memorandum Order No. 57, s. 2020) shall be strictly observed.

5. Read carefully and follow the instructions on your Notice of Admission and Examinees Guide.
6. Examinees shall follow the health and safety protocols being implemented by the host country.
7. **“NO OPEN BOOKS IN ALL SUBJECTS”** except in **Tariff Classification ONLY**.
Both the ASEAN HARMONIZED TARIFF NOMENCLATURE (AHTN) 2022 BOOKS AND PHOTOCOPIES are permitted. The AHTN books should be free from any markings and shall be subjected to thorough inspection.

ONLY PHOTOCOPIES OF AHTN 2022 FROM THE TARIFF COMMISSION (TC) WITH THE FOLLOWING FEATURES ARE ALLOWED:

1. *TC Official dry seal on top of control number on the first page*
2. *All pages are stamped with “Tariff Commission Library” and “For CBLE purposes only”*
3. *Authenticated books will be soft bound instead of ring bound for security purposes*

8. After answering the Tariff Classification, examinees shall surrender the AHTN Book before proceeding to the Practical Computations.
9. Read carefully and follow the instructions on your **NOTICE OF ADMISSION** and **EXAMINEES GUIDE**.

NOTE: PERSONAL BELONGINGS BROUGHT BY AN EXAMINEE SHALL BE FOR HIS/HER OWN ACCOUNT. THE PRC WILL NOT BE ANSWERABLE FOR ANY SUCH ITEM OR PERSONAL BELONGING THAT MIGHT BE LOST DURING THE EXAM WITHOUT FAULT OR NEGLIGENCE ON ITS PART.

*Manila, Philippines
March 19, 2025*

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