



Republic of the Philippines
Professional Regulation Commission
Manila



PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION
RESOLUTION NO. 2020- 1230
Series of 2020

**APPROVING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE PRC TASK FORCE AND TO CANCEL
AND RESCHEDULE THE CONDUCT OF THE MARCH AND APRIL 2020 LICENSURE
EXAMINATIONS**

WHEREAS, the Professional Regulation Commission (Commission), under Section 7 (d) and (p) of Republic Act No. 8981 (RA 8981) known as the "PRC Modernization Act of 2000", is mandated to administer and conduct the licensure examinations of the various regulatory boards in accordance with the rules and regulations promulgated by it and to adopt and promulgate such rules and regulations as may be necessary to effectively implement policies with respect to the regulation and practice of the professions;

WHEREAS, the Commission, pursuant to Presidential Proclamation No. 922 dated 8 March 2020 declaring a state of public health emergency throughout the country and enjoining all government agencies to undertake critical, urgent and appropriate response and measures in a timely manner to curtail and eliminate the Corona Virus Disease (COVID-19), created the PRC Task Force for COVID-19 through Office Order No. 126, s.2020;

WHEREAS, said Task Force is mandated to prepare and recommend security and health protocols relative to COVID-19 prevention and control, including intensified precautionary measures that the Commission may adopt and implement;

WHEREAS, the Task Force, on 11 March 2020, convened and submitted to the Commission its report and recommendations;

WHEREAS, the Task Force, pursuant to the recommendations of the Department of Health (DOH) and the Inter-Agency Task Force for the Management of Emerging Infectious Disease (IATF) to avoid or prohibit mass gatherings, recommended the cancellation of the conduct of the March and April 2020 licensure examinations;

WHEREFORE, the Commission, on motion duly made and seconded, to ensure the safety of the PRC examinees and personnel, **RESOLVED to CANCEL** the conduct of the March and April 2020 licensure examinations and **RESCHEDULE** the said examinations to appropriate date thereafter;

FURTHER, the Licensure Office shall prepare the necessary coordination to all Regional Offices, including information dissemination to all concerned.

DONE in the City of Manila this 11th day of March, 2020.


YOLANDA D. REYES
Commissioner


TEOFILO S. PILANDO, JR.
Chairman


JOSE Y. CUETO, JR.
Commissioner