

## Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila





## RESOLUTION NO. 1904 Series of 2024

CONDUCT OF FULL COMPUTER-BASED MODALITY IN THE NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION, CAGAYAN DE ORO, AND DAVAO AND REMOVAL OF LEGAZPI AND LUCENA AS TESTING VENUES FOR THE OCTOBER 2024 METALLURGICAL ENGINEERS LICENSURE EXAMINATION

**WHEREAS**, Section 7 (d) of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 8981, or the "PRC Modernization Act of 2000", empowers the Professional Regulation Commission (PRC/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**, Section 7 (q) of R.A. No. 8981 also empowers the Commission to fully computerize all licensure examinations given by the various Professional Regulatory Boards and other operations of the Commission;

**WHEREAS**, the Commission initiated the project for the in-house Computer-Based Licensure Examinations (CBLE) towards the full computerization of the conduct of the various professional licensure examinations;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution No. 1728 (s. 2023), the Metallurgical Engineers Licensure Examination (MELE) is scheduled on October 22, 23 and 24, 2024 in the National Capital Region (NCR), Cagayan de Oro, and Davao;

WHEREAS, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1836 (s. 2024) revising the schedule of licensure examinations from August to December 2024, wherein the MELE will be conducted in the NCR and Davao only;

**WHEREAS**, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1868 (s. 2024) on the conduct of CBLE for the second half of FY 2024, wherein the MELE will be conducted in NCR and Davao;

**WHEREAS**, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1891 (s. 2024) increasing the number of testing venues for the licensure examinations scheduled from October to December 2024, with the October 2024 MELE to be conducted in the NCR, Cagayan de Oro, Davao, Legazpi, and Lucena;

WHEREAS, the Licensure Office received letter-requests from PRC Regional Offices IV-A (PRC-Lucena) and V (PRC-Legazpi) pertaining to the removal of their areas as testing venues for the October 2024 MELE for having no applicants for the said licensure examination;

WHEREAS, the Professional Regulatory Board of Metallurgical Engineering and the Licensure Office recommend to the Commission the conduct of full CBLE in NCR, Cagayan de Oro, and Davao; and the removal of Lucena and Legazpi as testing venues for the October 2024 MELE.

WHEREFORE, in view of the foregoing, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to CONDUCT the METALLURGICAL ENGINEERS LICENSURE EXAMINATION through FULL COMPUTER-BASED MODALITY in the NATIONAL CAPITAL REGION, CAGAYAN DE ORO and DAVAO on October 22, 23 and 24, 2024.

**RESOLVED FURTHER**, to **REMOVE LUCENA** and **LEGAZPI** as testing venues for the said licensure examination.

## PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION

Resolution No. <u>1904</u> (s. 2024)
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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 on the PRC Official website for information.

Done in the City of Manila this 11th day of October 2024.

TO A. ZAMORA

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Commissioner