

Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



RESOLUTION NO. <u>1500</u> Series of 2022

DESIGNATING NAGA CITY AS ADDITIONAL TESTING CENTER FOR THE JUNE 2022 LICENSURE EXAMINATION FOR CRIMINOLOGISTS

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 Criminologists (LEC) will be on June 12, 13 and 14, 2022 to be held in the National Capital Region, Baguio, Butuan, Cagayan de Oro, Cauayan, Cebu, Davao, Iloilo, Koronadal, Legazpi, Lucena, Pagadian, Palawan, Pampanga, Rosales, Tacloban, Tuguegarao, and Zamboanga;

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 additional testing centers outside the city or province where the PRC Regional Office is located;

WHEREAS, the City Council of Naga requested the Professional Regulatory Board of Criminology (Board) and the Commission to consider Naga City as one of the testing centers for the June 2022 LEC and ensured its compliance with the obligations of the requesting local government unit/government entity, as provided for in the said Commission Resolution;

WHEREAS, LEC is considered a large-scale licensure examination and there are more or less seven hundred (700) prospective examinees for the June 2022 LEC in Naga City;

WHEREAS, PRC Legazpi Regional Office, in its letter, expressed that it has no objection to the request since it is capable of providing a suitable testing facility and examination personnel for the conduct of the examination;

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 June 2022 LEC without unnecessary distant travel and additional expenses.

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to designate NAGA CITY as additional testing center for the June 2022 Licensure Examination for Criminologists.

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>6</u>th day of <u>June, 2022</u>.

TEOFILO S. PILANDO, JR. Chairman

JOSE Y. CUETO, JR. Commissioner

ERWIN M. ENAD Commissioner