



Republic of the Philippines  
Department of Transportation  
**LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING & REGULATORY BOARD**  
East Avenue, Quezon City

**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**  
**NUMBER 2021 - 007**

**SUBJECT: OPENING OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE (CPC) UNDER THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PUBLIC UTILITY VEHICLE MODERNIZATION PROGRAM (PUVMP)**

**WHEREAS**, on 19 June 2017, the Department of Transportation (DOTr) issued Department Order No. 2017 – 011 also known as the Omnibus Guidelines on the Planning and Identification of the Public Road Transportation Services and Franchise Issuance adopting the rules and procedures for the issuance of the franchises for public transport routes and services;

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 5(a) of Executive Order No. 202, dated 19 June 1987, the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) shall have the power to “prescribe and regulate routes of service, economically viable capacities and zones or areas of operation of public land transportation services provided by motorized vehicles, xxxxx”;

**WHEREAS**, the DOTr has given LTFRB the authority to deliberate and take appropriate action on proposed new/additional routes pursuant to the Public Utility Vehicle Modernization Program (PUVMP) and Memorandum Circular No. 2018-006;

**NOW THEREFORE**, upon the recommendation of the PUVMP-PMO, Technical Division and Franchise Planning and Monitoring Division, the following routes with corresponding Route Survey Information are hereby approved for the issuance of New CPCs:

ITEM	REGION	ROUTE	DETAILED ROUTE STRUCTURE	ROUTE LENGTH (km)	MODE OF SERVICE / NO. of UNITS / CLASSIFICATION	ROUTE CLASSIFICATION
1	REGION 4	ZAPOTE, BACOOR, CAVITE LOOP	Zapote, Bacoor Terminal – Radial Road 2 – Emilio Aguinaldo Highway – Tirona Highway (Bacoor) – Gen. Evangelista Street – Real Street – Radial Road 2 – Zapote, Bacoor Terminal	9.2	PUJ / 15 / CLASS 1	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL

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2	REGION 4	BALIBAGO, SANTA ROSA, LAGUNA LOOP	Santa Rosa Integrated Terminal (SRIT) – Manila South Road – Santa Rosa-Tagaytay Road – Turquoise Road – Francisco A. Canicosa Avenue – Diamond Road – Zircon Road – Pearl Road – Garnet Road – Manila South Road – turnaround at J. P. Rizal Street – Manila South Road – Rizal Boulevard – Manila South Road – Santa Rosa Integrated Terminal (SRIT)	11.7	PUJ / 19 / CLASS 2	NEW/DEVELOP MENTAL ROUTE /INTRA- REGIONAL
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1	REGION 8	NAVAL, BILIRAN – CULABA, BILIRAN via Kawayan	Naval Terminal, Biliran – Vicentillo Street – Biliran Circumferential Road – Biliran Circumferential Road (Almeria) – Biliran Circumferential Road (Kawayan) – Culaba Terminal, Biliran	43.1	PUJ / 14 / CLASS 3	1	EXISTING ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
2	REGION 8	TACLOBAN CITY, LEYTE – VILLAREAL, SAMAR	Tacloban New Transport Terminal, Leyte – Quezon Boulevard – Pan-Philippine Highway – Villareal Road – Villareal Terminal, Samar	59.3	UVE / 12 / CLASS 3	3	EXISTING ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
3	REGION 8	CATBALOGAN CITY, SAMAR – VILLAREAL, SAMAR	Catbalogan City Terminal, Samar – Allen Avenue – Pan-Philippine Highway – Villareal Road – Libertad – Villareal Terminal, Samar	62	UVE / 14 / CLASS 3	1	EXISTING ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL

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4	REGION 8	CALBAYOG CITY TERMINAL, SAMAR – BRGY. PILAR CALBAYOG CITY, SAMAR	Calbayog City Proper Terminal, Samar – Pan-Philippine Highway – Calbayog-Catarman Road – Oquendo-Pilar-Roxas Road – Brgy. Pilar Terminal, Calbayog City, Samar	31.9	PUJ / 15 / CLASS 2	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
5	REGION 8	GANDARA, SAMAR – MATUGUINAO, SAMAR	Gandara Terminal, Samar – Burabod I & II – Dionisio Abella Street – Barangay Barruz – San Isidro – Matuguiniao Terminal, Samar	21.6	PUJ / 15 / CLASS 2	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL

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1	REGION 9	PAGADIAN CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – MARGOSATUBIG, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Pagadian City Integrated Bus Terminal – Pan-Philippine Highway – Shung Highway – Margosatubig Highway – Margosatubig Public Market Terminal	52.6	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
2	REGION 9	DUMINGAG, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – MOLAVE, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Dumingag Terminal – Linamon-Zamboanga Road –	19.9	PUJ / 15 / CLASS 1	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL

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		SUR	Sindangan-Siayan-Dumingag-Mahayag Road – Dipolog-Pagadian Road – Roxas Street – Capistrano Street – Molave Integrated Bus and Jeepney Terminal			
3	REGION 9	PAGADIAN CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – LAPUYAN, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Pagadian City Integrated Bus Terminal – Pan-Philippine Highway – Shung Highway – Margosatubig Highway – Lapuyan Municipal Road – Lapuyan Public Market Terminal	44.6	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
4	REGION 9	PAGADIAN CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – DINAS, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Pagadian City Integrated Bus Terminal – Pan-Philippine Highway – Shung Highway – Margosatubig Highway – San Miguel, Zamboanga del Sur – Dinas Public Market Terminal	40.7	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL
5	REGION 9	PAGADIAN CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – PITOGO, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Pagadian City Integrated Bus Terminal – Pan-Philippine Highway – Shung Highway – Margosatubig Highway	60.2	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL ROUTE /INTRA-REGIONAL

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			San Miguel, Zamboanga del Sur – Dinas, Zamboanga del Sur – Dimataling, Zamboanga del Sur – Pitogo Shopping Center Terminal			
6	REGION 9	PAGADIAN CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – VINCENZO A. SAGUN, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR	Pagadian City Public Terminal – Marcelo Dablo Avenue – Rizal Avenue – Pan- Philippine Highway – Shung Highway – Margosatubig Highway – Vincenzo A. Sagun, Zamboanga del Sur – Vincenzo SagunPublic Market Terminal	53.9	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPM ENTAL ROUTE /INTRA- REGIONAL
7	REGION 9	DUMINGAG, ZAMBOANGA DEL SUR – SINDANGAN, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE via Siayan	Dumingag Terminal – Linamon- Zamboanga Road – Sindangan- Siayan- Dumingag- Mahayag Road – Regional Highway Dipolog- Sindangan – Sindangan Integrated Bus Terminal	51.5	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPM ENTAL ROUTE /INTRA- REGIONAL
8	REGION 9	DIPOLOG CITY, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE – LA	Dipolog City Bus Terminal –Kagatan	48	UVE / 15 / CLASS 3	NEW/DEVELOPM ENTAL ROUTE /INTRA- REGIONAL

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		LIBERTAD, ZAMBOANGA DEL NORTE via Mutia	Road – Dipolog- Polanco- Oroquieta Road –Piñan, Zamboanga del Norte – Don VictorianoChi ongbian- Dipolog Road –Mutia, Zamboanga del Norte –La Libertad Public Market Terminal			
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Only those units compliant with the OFG and DTI – PNS shall be accepted.

A qualified Applicant may be selected for more than one (1) route and subsequently processed for the grant of CPC following the provisions of Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013 also known as the Consolidated Guidelines on the Process of Issuance of Certificate of Public Convenience (CPC), and Provisional Authority (PA)/Special Permit (SP) under the Omnibus Franchising Guidelines & Public Utility Vehicle Modernization Program (PUVMP) dated 15 March 2019.

For **EXISTING** routes, priority shall be given to consolidated entities that are currently plying the said route pursuant to Memorandum Circular No. 2019-066 also known as the “Simplified Process for Applications for Consolidation of Individual and Existing Franchise Holders in Compliance with the PUVMP and the Department Order No. 2017-011 (OFG)” dated 19 December 2019. In addition, interested applicants/operators shall be allowed to file their application for the required number of units as determined by the concerned RFRO (indicated in the **MODE OF SERVICE / NO. of UNITS / CLASSIFICATION**) as an exception to the fifteen (15)- unit minimum requirement, but subject to subsequent amendment as to the number of units based on the updated survey of the route to be conducted by the concerned RFRO.

REGION	ROUTE NAME
Region 8	NAVAL, BILIRAN – CULABA, BILIRAN
Region 8	TACLOBAN CITY, LEYTE – VILLAREAL, SAMAR
Region 8	CATBALOGANCITY, SAMAR – VILLAREAL, SAMAR

For **NEW/DEVELOPMENTAL** routes, pre-qualification conferences shall be held on **February 22, 2021 at 2:00pm for Region 9, February 25, 2021 at 1:30 pm for Region 8 and February 26, 2021 at 2:00 pm for Region 4.**

Letter of Intent and qualification documents shall be submitted **NOT LATER THAN** the indicated deadline below:

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Region	Route	Deadline	Venue of Submission
Region 4	All Route/s	March 5, 2021 @ 9:00am	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 4
Region 8	All Route/s	March 5, 2021 @ 12:00nn	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 8
Region 9	Routes 1-3	March 1, 2021 @ 9:00am	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 9
Region 9	Routes 4-6	March 2, 2021 @ 9:00am	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 9
Region 9	Routes 7 & 8	March 3, 2021 @ 9:00am	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 9

Opening of the sealed documents will immediately follow at **10:00 am of the same date for Regions 4 and 9** and **1:00 pm of the same date for Region 8.**

Should the Board declare that none of the participant/s are qualified, any interested party shall be allowed to participate and submit eligible documents within 10 working days. Thereafter, the Selection Committee shall schedule opening of qualification documents.

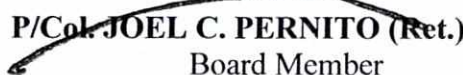
This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation and the filing of three (3) copies hereof with the U.P. Law Center pursuant to Presidential Memorandum Circular No. 11 dated 09 October 1992.

**SO ORDERED.** FEB 09 2021

**APPROVED and SIGNED** by the undersigned chairman and members of the Board this 9<sup>th</sup> of February, Quezon City, Philippines.

  
**ATTY. MARTIN B. DELGRA III**  
 Chairman



  
**P/Col. JOEL C. PERNITO (Ret.)**  
 Board Member

Attested by:

  
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 Executive Director

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