

## Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



RESOLUTION NO. <u>1490</u> Series of 2022

## RESCHEDULING THE JULY 11, 12, AND 13, 2022 MINING ENGINEERS LICENSURE EXAMINATION TO AUGUST 24, 25, AND 26, 2022

**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,** the Commission issued Resolution No. 1439 (s. 2021) scheduling the Mining Engineers Licensure Examination (MELE) on July 11, 12, and 13, 2022, to be held in the National Capital Region, Baguio, Cebu, Davao and Legazpi. The opening of online processing of application will start on April 11, 2022 and will end on June 13, 2022;

**WHEREAS,** the Professional Regulatory Board of Mining Engineering (Board) received appeal letters from organizations of colleges and universities<sup>1</sup> to reschedule the July 2022 MELE due to insufficient time to comply with the licensure examination requirements since most universities have adopted a new academic calendar where students would graduate in the month of June;

**WHEREAS,** the Board and Licensure Office have agreed to recommend the rescheduling of this year's MELE on August 24, 25, and 26, 2022 to give the graduates reasonable time to complete their licensure examination requirements and to review for the MELE.

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to RESCHEDULE the July 11, 12, and 13, 2022 Mining Engineers Licensure Examination to August 24, 25, and 26, 2022.

**RESOLVED FURTHER,** that the deadline for the filing of application be moved from **June 13, 2022** to **July 25, 2022.** 

Let a copy of this Resolution be posted at the PRC Official website and social media pages for information.

Done in the City of Manila this **<u>12</u><sup>th</sup>** day of **<u>April, 2022</u>**.

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**TEOFILO S. PILANDO, JR.** Chairman



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Mining engineering students of Adamson University, Bicol University, Caraga State University, Cebu Institute of Technology-University, Mindanao State University-Iligan Institute of Technology, Saint Louis University, Saint Paul University, University of the Philippines-Diliman, and University of Southeastern Philippines.