

Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



RESOLUTION NO. 1560

Series of 2022

DESIGNATING ILOILO CITY AS AN ADDITIONAL TESTING CENTER FOR THE DECEMBER 2022 PHYSICAL AND OCCUPATIONAL THERAPISTS LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS

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), both the Physical and Occupational Therapists Licensure Examinations (PT/OT LEs) are scheduled on December 1 and 2, 2022;

WHEREAS, the Iloilo Doctor's College, St. Paul University Iloilo, and Riverside College, Inc. requested the Professional Regulatory Board of Physical and Occupational Therapy (Board) and the Commission to consider Iloilo City as a testing center for the December 2022 PT/OT LEs;

WHEREAS, the Commission issued Resolution No. 1493 (s. 2022) which provides that additional testing centers for medium-scale examination within the city or province where the PRC Regional Office is located must have at least fifty (50) prospective examinees;

WHEREAS, PT/OT LEs are medium-scale examinations and there are more or less one hundred three (103) prospective examinees for the December 2022 PT/OT LEs in Iloilo City;

WHEREAS, PRC Iloilo Regional Office, in its 28 July 2022 Memorandum, expressed that it has no objection to the said request as it has the capability to secure a suitable testing facility and to provide examination personnel;

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 December 2022 PT/OT LEs without unnecessary distant travel and additional expenses;

WHEREFORE, the Commission RESOLVES, as it is hereby RESOLVED, to designate ILOILO CITY as an additional testing center for the December 2022 Physical and Occupational Therapists Licensure Examinations.

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 **12th** day of **September, 2022**.

(vacant) Chairperson

JOSE Y. CUETO, JR.
Acting Chairperson

ERWIN M. ENAD Commissioner