

BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 056 Series of 2018
(RE: OPENING OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW CPC TO
OPERATE UV EXPRESS SERVICE IN REGION 10)

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

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5(a) of Executive Order No. 202, dated June 19, 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, xxx";

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

WHEREAS, on 18 May 2018, the Office of the Chairman received a communication from the Presidential Management Staff (PMS) dated 24 April 2018, for the Board to authorize LTFRB Regional Director in Region 10 to issue provisional permits to applications of van owners on Ozamiz City and the province of Misamis Occidental;

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board the complaints of passengers in Ozamiz City and the nearby municipalities of the long queues of passengers at bus terminals which causes delay in the daily transactions or businesses and significant disruption of economic activity in the area due to the scarcity of public land transportation services and the intensified Anti-Colorum campaign of the government;

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes the need to augment the existing public utility vehicles (PUVs) serving the area in order to effectively address the concerns of the riding public;

NOW THEREFORE, premises considered, this Board hereby LIFTS the moratorium in the acceptance of Applications for the Issuance of New CPC to Operate UV Express Service for the route **Oroquieta City to Ozamiz City, Misamis Occidental** (48 km) with the use of Fifty (50) units subject to the following:

1. To complement the Bus service, applications for the Issuance of New CPC to Operate UV Express Service on the route Oroquieta City to Ozamiz City shall be accepted for processing by the LTFRB-Regional Franchising Office (RFRO) No. 10.
2. All UV Express Service shall strictly operate on a point-to-point basis with designated terminals at both end points.
3. The intra-provincial route shall be subjected to the results of the Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP) of the concerned Provincial Government. All


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operators shall, upon filing of their Application, execute an undertaking stating that they will immediately comply with the approved DOTr route rationalization study and LPTRP of the Province of Misamis Occidental.

4. Applicants for new CPC on the above-stated new route shall consolidate under the one route-one operator-one franchise scheme consistent with the Industry Consolidation Component under the PUVMP. Priority shall be accorded to cooperatives/corporations whose business offices are situated near/adjacent to the routes applied for.
5. Current units not older than three (3) years old shall be allowed under Provisional Authority (PA) pending the issuance of the CPC and delivery of the OFG-compliant units. By 30 June 2020, only OFG-compliant units shall be authorized.
6. A Provisional Authority may be issued for a period of Forty Five (45) days upon the Acceptance of Application provided that a photocopy of the passenger insurance policy is submitted.

An additional amount of Two Hundred Sixty Pesos (Php 260.00) shall be paid by applicants if they pray for the issuance of PA in the Application or in a separate motion.

APPROVED AND SIGNED by the undersigned Chairman and Members of the Board, this 04 day of July 2018 at Quezon City, Philippines.


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Chairman




ENGR. RONALDO F. CORPUS
Board Member


ATTY. AILEEN LOURDES A. LIZADA
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Attested by:


ATTY. SAMUEL A.M. JARDIN
Executive Director