



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
Department of Transportation
LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING AND REGULATORY BOARD
East Avenue, Diliman, Quezon City

RESOLUTION NO. 206 Series of 2019

(Re: Opening Of Applications For The Issuance Of New CPC Under The Initial Implementation Of The PUVMP Approved During 12th Board Meeting – Application of FIRST NORTH LUZON TRANSIT, INC. & PARTAS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC. on the TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN - LAOAG CITY, ILOCOS NORTE route)

WHEREAS, before this Committee is the application of FIRST NORTH LUZON TRANSIT, INC. and PARTAS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC. for the TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN - LAOAG CITY, ILOCOS NORTE route under Memorandum Circular No. 2019-026;

WHEREAS, FIRST NORTH LUZON TRANSIT, INC. were given a rating of “QUALIFIED” as it fully complied with the Qualification Requirements - Legal, Technical and Financial Capability Qualifications provided under Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013;

WHEREAS, PARTAS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC. were given a rating of “FAILED” because of its failure to submit/provide the following documentary requirements, to wit:

1. Undertaking that the applicant will immediately comply with the approved DOTr rationalization study or LPTRP;
2. Undertaking that the units shall be compliant with the specifications and standards under OFG and DTI-PNS (submitted document was signed by the manufacturer/supplier of the units, not by the applicant);

ALSO, PARTAS TRANSPORTATION COMPANY, INC. submitted/provided undertakings in lieu of the following documentary requirements set forth under the Technical Qualifications of Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013, to wit:

1. Undertaking signed by the President of Partas to secure evidence of formal arrangement with Automatic Fare Collection (AFC) service provider that will offer inter-operable AFC service that is fully compliant with fare media related technical specifications as determined by LTFRB;
2. Undertaking to secure copies of Letter of Support from property owners/managers regarding access to, or use of, each off-street loading and unloading area in both endpoints.

WHEREAS, as per Item No. III Applicant-Operator Qualification Requirements under Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013, all applicant-operators shall pass the minimum qualifications listed under Section III-B (Technical Qualifications);

WHEREAS, upon careful review of Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013, submission of an “undertaking” instead of the actual documentary requirements can be a ground for the applicant-operator to be rated as “failed” for the submission of the aforementioned document;

NOW THEREFORE, premises considered, this Committee resolves to recommend to the Board to **AWARD** the TUGUEGARAO CITY, CAGAYAN - LAOAG CITY, ILOCOS NORTE route in favor of **FIRST NORTH LUZON TRANSIT, INC.**

APPROVED AND SIGNED by the undersigned Chairperson and Members of the 2nd Qualification Committee pursuant to LTFRB Office Order No. 2019-114, this 29th day of JULY 2019 at Quezon City, Philippines.


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