



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

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**BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 002A**  
**Series of 2020**

**WHEREAS**, the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board was created by virtue of Executive Order No. 202 on June 19, 2017, as administrative agency with quasi-judicial powers over all public land transportation service;

**WHEREAS**, Baguio City will be celebrating the 25<sup>th</sup> Panagbenga Festival where foreign and local tourists are expected to influx the city to witness the activities during the festival;

**WHEREAS**, the Department of Tourism, has solicited the support of the Board to issue special permit to respond to the expected increase of demand for public transport;

**WHEREAS**, by virtue of the power and authority of the Board vested under Sec. 17 (f), Commonwealth Act No. 146

**“Sec. 17. Proceedings of Commission without previous hearing.** - The Commission (now the Board) shall have power without previous hearing x x x

**(f) To grant to any public service special permits to make extra or special trips within the territory covered by its certificates of public convenience, and to make special excursion trips outside of its own territory if the public interest or special circumstances required it: Provided, however, that in case a public service cannot render such extra service on its own line or in its own territory, a special permit for such extra service may be granted to any other public service”**

**WHEREAS**, in view of the need to promote safety and convenience to commuters attending the Panagbenga Festival, the Board has decided to allow acceptance and granting of special permit subject to the following conditions:

1. The CPC of the unit/s intended to be used must be valid during the period covering the Special Permit or that an Extension of Validity has been duly filed;
2. This shall only cover Public Utility Bus Service (PUB) with valid and effective Passenger Accident Insurance Coverage;
3. The CPC of the unit/s intended to be used is not suspended at the time of the filing and during the period covered by the Special Permit;
4. The proposed units should not be more than ten (10) years old;
5. The fare should be the authorized fare on the applied route;
6. Application for inter-regional Special Permit shall be filed in the Region where the operator is based but approval will be done by the Board;
7. The application must be at least two (2) weeks prior to the start of the duration of the Special Permit;
8. The Applicant should indicate in the application the specific address of the terminals at both ends of the applied route;
9. The duration of the Special Permit shall be two (2) days before and after the schedule of the Grand Street Dance Parade and Grand Float Parade of Panagbenga Festival for the year;

10. The Board may deny the Application if the approval thereof would result in the abandonment of route, or the units requested for Special Permit is more than 25% of the total number of authorized units of petitioner;
11. The original copies of the Special Permit and receipt of payment must always be carried by the driver during the trip;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Board **RESOLVES** as it hereby **RESOLVE** to allow the acceptance of Application for Issuance of Special Permit to PUBs going to Baguio City which shall operate for the duration of the Grand Street Dance Parade and Grand Float Parade, from February 27, 2020 to March 3, 2020.

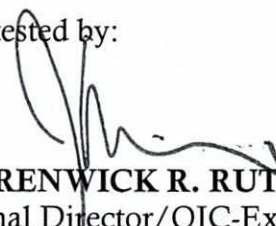
**APPROVED AND SIGNED** by the undersigned Chairman and Board Members, this 30<sup>th</sup> of January 2020, Quezon City Philippines.

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

  
**ENGR. RONALDO F. CORPUS**  
Board Member

  
**P/MAJGEN. ANTONIO N. GARDIOLA, JR (Ret)**  
Board Member

Attested by:

  
**COL. RENWICK R. RUTAQUIO (Ret.)**  
Regional Director/OIC-Executive Director