



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

BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 014
Series of 2021

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, and under Par. 3.3.3, the route requirement for Tourist Transport Service is set at a minimum of ten (10) units;

WHEREAS, prior to the issuance of D.O. No. 2017-011, the Board has not set a minimum number of units per application, and review of the records will show that considerable number of operators are operating at less than the minimum ten (10) units;

WHEREAS, in order to conform to the existing Omnibus Franchising Guidelines or D.O. No. 2017-011, the minimum number of ten (10) units per operator or application must be set, including those existing CPCs with less than the minimum number of units;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5(a) of Executive Order No. 202, 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;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, the Board resolves and it hereby resolved to set the minimum number of units for Tourist Transport Service at ten (10) units, which shall cover existing CPCs, subject to the following guidelines:

1. Existing CPCs of Tourist Transport Service with less than ten (10) units may be allowed to renew their CPCs under the same number of units at one instance only, provided the units sought to be extended are not yet phased out or not more than 10 years for tourist cars and not more than 15 years for buses as per Memorandum Circular No. 2008-009 and Department Order No. 2017-009. On the next renewal of CPC, the number of units must be increased to meet the minimum with an indorsement from DOT and DOTr;
2. No applications for issuance of new CPC to operate Tourist Transport Service shall be accepted if the number of units be less than the minimum as set herein and the OFG;
3. Applications for New and Existing CPC under a juridical entity must have their LTO Official Receipt (OR) and Certificate of Registration (CR) under the name of the Cooperative or Corporation.

APPROVED AND SIGNED by the undersigned Chairman and Board Member, this 8th day of February 2021 at Quezon City, Philippines.


ATTY. MARTIN B. DELGRA III
Chairman


PCol. JOEL C. PERNITO (Ret.)
Board Member

Attested by:


ATTY. ARMAND B. DIOSO
Executive Director