



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

BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 027-1
Series of 2021

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;

WHEREAS, on 18 July 2019, the Board issued Memorandum Circular No. 2019-032, allowing the RFRO to accept applications for the Two Hundred (200) Premium Taxi units in Cordillera Administrative Region, particularly in Baguio City;

WHEREAS, the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Baguio City has expressed its concern regarding the opening of additional Two Hundred (200) Premium Taxi units, which it claimed might affect the existing traffic and parking problem of the city;

WHEREAS, in the letter dated 22 February 2021 of LTFRB-CAR through its OIC-Regional Director, Engr. Lalaine E. Sobremonte, it strongly recommended for the deferment or suspension of the implementation of MC 2019-032 in the Cordillera Administrative Region on account of the various reactions of LGUs and stakeholders, and the impact of the additional Two Hundred (200) Premium Taxi units in the Region;

NOW THEREFORE, in light of the foregoing, the Board resolves as it hereby resolved to **INDEFINITELY SUSPEND** the implementation of the Two Hundred (200) Premium Taxi Units in the Cordillera Administrative Region under MC 2019-032, until a thorough study is conducted, and after due consultation with the concerned stakeholders, taking into consideration the prevailing public need/demand.

APPROVED AND SIGNED by the undersigned Chairman and Board Member, this 15th day of March 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