



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

BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 03
Series of 2022

WHEREAS, President Rodrigo Roa Duterte signed Proclamation No. 922 entitled “Declaring a State of Public Health Emergency Throughout the Philippines” on 8 March 2020 in view of the reported COVID-19 cases in the country, which was later on extended until 12 September 2022 through Presidential Proclamation No. 1218;

WHEREAS, the Malacañang has announced on 31 December 2021 that Metro Manila will be placed under the stricter Alert Level 3 starting January 3, 2021 to January 15, 2021 due to the sudden exponential spike of COVID-19 cases in the region, which may be attributed to the presence of highly infectious Omicron COVID-19 variant and the decreased compliance of minimum public health standards;

WHEREAS, on the subsequent date, more areas in the country have been placed also under Alert Level 3 due to the continued surge of Covid-19 cases;

WHEREAS, work suspension has been declared in the Central Office, National Capital Region and other LTFRB Offices due to the alarming number of confirmed COVID-19 cases of its employees;

WHEREAS, the work suspension and the imposed 60% work force prescribed by the Inter-agency Task Force for Emerging Infectious Disease (IATF-EID) in areas placed under Alert Level 3, certainly affect all the transactions needed to be processed by the stakeholders in the said offices;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, the Board resolves as it hereby resolved to **EXTEND** the validity and deadline of the following transactions in areas where work suspension has been declared in the LTFRB office:

1. On the Confirmation of Units

PUVs with Plate Numbers ending in 1 or on the month/s which corresponds to the duration of the work suspension, shall have **ten (10) working days** within which to confirm the units, counted from the resumption of work, with **waiver of penalties**.

The corresponding insurance policies under the Personal Passenger Accident Insurance Program (PPAIP) of PUV covered under this item shall be automatically extended until the period of **ten (10) working from the resumption of work** in the concerned LTFRB office. Within the period given, operators are required to secure renewal or updated insurance policies as part of the requirement in the confirmation of their units.

2. On the Filing of Extension of Validity of CPC

The filing of Applications for Extension of Validity of Certificate of Public Convenience for Certificate of Public Conveniences (CPCs) with expiry dates

falling within the period of work suspension, can be filed within **ten (10) working days, counted from the resumption of work** in the concerned LTFRB office, with **waiver of penalties**.

3. On the Issuance of Provisional Authorities and Special Permits

Provisional Authorities and Special Permits with expiry dates falling within the period of work suspension are deemed extended until **ten (10) workings days from the resumption of work** in the concerned LTFRB office, with **waiver of penalties**.

Within the given period, operators are required to process their applications/requests.

4. On the filing of Compliance to Orders/Resolutions/Decisions, and filing Motions within the given or prescribed period

Filing of compliance to Orders/Resolutions/Decisions, and filing Motions which direct operators to comply or file within the given or prescribed period and which period falls within the period of work suspension, filing shall be allowed until **ten (10) workings days from the resumption of work** in the concerned LTFRB office, with waiver of penalties, if there is any.

APPROVED AND SIGNED by the undersigned Chairman and Board Members, this ^{nth} day of January 2022 at Quezon City, Philippines.



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