



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

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NUMBER 2022 - 016

SUBJECT: OPENING OF APPLICATIONS FOR THE ISSUANCE OF NEW CERTIFICATE OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE (CPC) OF THE APPROVED ROUTES OF GINGOOG CITY, MISAMIS ORIENTAL LOCAL PUBLIC TRANSPORT ROUTE PLAN (LPTRP) UNDER THE IMPLEMENTATION OF PUBLIC UTILITY VEHICLE MODERNIZATION PROGRAM (PUVMP)

WHEREAS, on 19 June 2017, the Department of Transportation (DOTr) issued Department Order No. 2017 – 011 also known as the Omnibus Guidelines on the Planning and Identification of the Public Road Transportation Services and Franchise Issuance adopting the rules and procedures for the issuance of the franchises for public transport routes and services;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 5(a) of Executive Order No. 202, dated 19 June 1987, 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, xxxxx”;

WHEREAS, the DOTr has given LTFRB the authority to deliberate and take appropriate action on proposed new/additional routes pursuant to the Public Utility Vehicle Modernization Program (PUVMP) and Memorandum Circular No. 2018-006;

WHEREAS, the Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP) of Gingoog City, Misamis Oriental was reviewed and evaluated by the third-party consultant, Transport and Traffic Planners Inc. (TTPI), and recommended for the issuance of Notice of Compliance (NOC). On 03 September 2020, the LTFRB RFRO 10 issued NOC to Gingoog City, Misamis Oriental, approved and signed by Regional Director Aminoden D. Guro requesting the Sangguniang Panlungsod to pass a City Ordinance adopting the said LPTRP pursuant to the OFG and the Joint Memorandum Circular (JMC) No. 001, s. 2017 between DOTr and the Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG), or the Guidelines on the Preparation and Issuance of Local Ordinances, Orders, Rules and Regulations concerning the LPTRP;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 4(f) of JMC No. 001, s. 2017 between DOTr and DILG, updating of the LPTRPs may be done by the LGUs at least once every three (3) years after the last approval;

WHEREAS, Sangguniang Panlungsod in the City of Gingoog, Misamis Oriental passed City Ordinance No. 2021-365: “An ordinance adopting the Gingoog City Local Public Transport Route Plan (LPTRP) 2020-2024, providing policies and guidelines for its implementation and for other purposes”, approved and signed by City Mayor Erick G. Cañosa dated 08 February 2021;

WHEREAS, pursuant to said City Ordinance, a total of six (6) rationalized routes have been approved;

NOW THEREFORE, upon the recommendation of the DOTr and LTFRB, the following rationalized routes with corresponding Route Survey Information are hereby approved for the issuance of New CPCs:

ROUTE (Detailed Route Structure)	AUTHORIZED MODE	NO. OF AUTHORIZED UNITS	ROUTE LENGTH (KM)	
RATIONALIZED ROUTES				
1	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. BAL-ASON via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road, Brgy. 19-20-Santiago-Libon-Lawit-Libertad-Bal-ason Road	PUJ Class 2	6	23
2	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. KALIPAY via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road, Brgy. 19-20-Santiago-Punong-Anakan-Tagpako-Malibud-Kamanikan-Kalipay Road	PUJ Class 2	6	25
3	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. MARIBUCAO via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road, Brgy. 19-20-Santiago-Punong-Anakan-Minsapinit-Mimbunga-Maribucdao Road	PUJ Class 2	5	13.5
4	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. MALINAO via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road, Brgy. 19-20-Santiago-Punong-Anakan-Odiongan-Malinao Road	PUJ Class 2	6	19.5
5	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. MIMBALAGON via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan	PUJ Class 2	5	17

	Road, Brgy. 19-20-Santiago-Punong-Anakan-Minsapinit-Mimbunga-Tinabalan-Mimbalagon Road			
6	GINGOOG CITY (POBLACION) – BRGY. LUNOTAN via Don R. Baol Street, Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road, Mercado Avenue, Brgy. 26-Samay-Lunotan Road	PUJ Class 2	5	18
	TOTAL NO. OF ROUTES / NO. OF UNITS	6	33	

Only those units compliant with the OFG and DTI – PNS shall be accepted.

In case there are affected Transport Service Entities (TSEs), due to the results of the LPTRP study, the Regional Franchising and Regulatory Office (RFRO) shall conduct a stakeholders’ consultation meeting to discuss the Transfer Plan and Social Support mechanism, in coordination with the Local Government Unit (LGU).

For **RATIONALIZED** routes, the provisions under MC 2019-066 shall apply except Item I.B.3 thereof. In which case, the existing provisions under MC 2021 - 021 Item I.A.1.v. shall apply, to wit:

- 6 months - 25% of the total number of authorized units
- 9 months - 50% of the total number of authorized units
- 12 months - 100% of the total number of authorized units

The Board shall issue a Certificate of Public Convenience to the applicant when the latter complies with the following required number of units:

- If the number of authorized units (NAU) is more than fifteen (15), the applicant shall have at least fifteen OFG - compliant units;
- If the number of authorized units (NAU) is fifteen (15) or less, the applicant shall comply with all the NAU.

If no existing operator filed for consolidation in the rationalized routes or if the consolidated entities fail to meet the unit requirement, the Board shall open the said route to qualified new entrants for application or to fill/complete the number of authorized units, respectively. In either case, the process of selecting the new entrant shall be governed by the procedures prescribed for NEW routes as provided in the following paragraphs.

The pre-qualification conferences shall be held at LTFRB Regional Office No. 10 on **18 February 2022 at 2:00 PM.**

Letter of Intent and qualification documents shall be submitted **NOT LATER THAN** the indicated deadline below:

Region	Route	Deadline	Venue of Submission
Region 10	All Routes	28 February 2022 @ 9:00 AM	Office of the Regional Director – RFRO 10

Opening of the sealed documents will immediately follow at **10:00 AM of the same date.**

A qualified Applicant may be selected for more than one (1) route and subsequently processed for the grant of CPC following the applicable provisions of Memorandum Circular No. 2019-013 also known as the Consolidated Guidelines on the Process of Issuance of Certificate of Public Convenience (CPC), and Provisional Authority (PA)/Special Permit (SP) under the Omnibus Franchising Guidelines & Public Utility Vehicle Modernization Program (PUVMP) dated 15 March 2019 and Memorandum Circular No. 2021-021 also known as Guidelines for the Issuance of Provisional Authority to Units of Individual Operators with Pending Application for Consolidation and those that Failed to File an Application for Consolidation Pursuant to the Omnibus Franchising Guidelines (OFG) and the Procedure in the Qualification and Selection of Applicants.

In case of failure on the initial qualification process, the Selection Committee shall issue a Resolution declaring the failure on the selection process, with the corresponding date for the resubmission of their Letter of Intent and qualification documents by the interested applicants.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation and the filing of three (3) copies hereof with the U.P. Law Center pursuant to Presidential Memorandum Circular No. 11 dated 09 October 1992.

SO ORDERED.

APPROVED and SIGNED by the undersigned chairman and members of the Board this 2nd day of February 2022, Quezon City, Philippines.

EFFECTIVITY
DATE: 07 FEB 2022

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