



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Transportation

LAND TRANSPORTATION FRANCHISING & REGULATORY BOARD
East Avenue, Quezon City

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NO. 2022-059

**SUBJECT: AMENDMENT TO MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2022-033,
ALLOWING REMAINING INDIVIDUAL OPERATORS TO JOIN WITH
THE EXISTING CONSOLIDATED JURIDICAL ENTITIES**

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;

WHEREAS, one of the powers and functions of the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board under Executive Order No. 202 is to promulgate, administer, enforce and monitor compliance of policies, laws and regulations of public land transportation services;

WHEREAS, one of the main components in the implementation of the Public Utility Vehicle (PUV) Modernization Program is the Industry Consolidation where Individual Operators are required to consolidate into a juridical entity;

WHEREAS, pursuant to Memorandum Circular No. 2022-033, which was issued on 25 March 2022, individual operators on a particular route who failed to consolidate or join with the existing consolidated legal entity by 1 April 2022 can no longer join existing consolidated entity, and their CPC shall be subject to cancellation proceedings once the consolidated entity on that route completes the required number of units;

WHEREAS, clamors from the remaining individual operators have reached the attention of the Board, appealing to allow them to join the existing consolidated entity until 31 March 2023;

WHEREAS, the LTFRB Regional Directors have shown support to the appeal of the individual operators, as a way of helping them to join and comply with the PUV Modernization Program amidst the COVID-19 pandemic;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the foregoing, in having to encourage more operators to join the consolidation requirement under the PUVMP, the Board hereby allows individual operators to join the existing consolidated entity operating on their authorized route until **31 March 2023 ONLY**.

Accordingly, during above given period, while the consolidated entities are not yet allowed to complete the required number of units, it may instead accept additional members from the individual operators who intend to join or consolidate with its entity.

All other issuances inconsistent herewith are deemed modified or superseded accordingly.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect immediately following its publication in at least one (1) newspaper of general circulation. Let three (3) copies hereof be filed with the UPLaw Center – Office of National Administrative Registrar (ONAR).

SO ORDERED.

APPROVED by the undersigned Chairman and Board Members, this ___th day of _____ 2022 at Quezon City, Philippines.

16 JUN 2022



ATTY. MARTIN B. DELGRA III
Chairman



~~P/COL. JOEL C. PERNITO (RET.)~~
Board Member


ENGR. SHERWIN MYLIL S. BEGYAN
Board Member

Attested by:


MARIA KRISTINA E. CASSION
Executive Director

EFFECTIVITY
DATE: 20 JUN 2022