



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

**BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 139**  
**Series of 2022**

**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) which aims to provide a reliable, safe, accessible, environment-friendly, dependable, efficient, and comfortable public land transportation throughout the country;

**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 xxx;

**WHEREAS**, on 06 February 2020, the route Butuan City, Agusan del Norte – Pagadian City, Zamboanga del Sur has been authorized through Memorandum Circular No. 2020-008;

**WHEREAS**, on 16 February 2022, the Board issued Memorandum Circular No. 2022-023 also known as, “Resumption of Operations of Provincial Public Utility Buses (PUBs) on Inter-Regional Routes During Community Quarantine”;

**WHEREAS**, upon the evaluation and recommendation of the Regional Project Management Office (RPMO) of CARAGA, in coordination with RPMO 9, together with their respective Regional Franchising and Regulatory Offices, and as validated by the National Project Management Office, the existing route Butuan City, Agusan del Norte – Pagadian City, Zamboanga del Sur via Cagayan de Oro *and vice versa* is proposed to be modified in order to shorten the travel time and serve areas not being served by existing inter-regional routes;

**NOW THEREFORE**, for and in consideration of the foregoing, to ensure the viability of the operations on the route, the Board hereby **MODIFIES** the route from Butuan City, Agusan del Norte – Pagadian City, Zamboanga del Sur via Cagayan de Oro *and vice versa* to ***Butuan City, Agusan del Norte to Pagadian City, Zamboanga del Sur via Claveria, Cagayan de Oro, Iligan City and vice versa*** with the route structure:

ORIGINAL ROUTE STRUCTURE	ROUTE LENGTH OF THE ORIGINAL ROUTE STRUCTURE
Robinsons Place Butuan Bus Terminal - Capitol-Bonbon Road - Butuan Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road - Roxas Avenue - Macapagal Avenue - Linamon-Zamboanga Road - Dobleston-Butadon Road - Pan-Philippine Highway - Tukuran-Karomatan Road - Pan-Philippine Highway - Pagadian City Integrated Bus Terminal	420 km

PROPOSED MODIFIED ROUTE STRUCTURE	ROUTE LENGTH OF THE PROPOSED MODIFIED ROUTE STRUCTURE
Butuan Bus Terminal, Robinson's Place, Butuan City – Capitol-Bonbon Road – Mayor Democrito D. Plaza II Avenue – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Nasipit Terminal – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Carmen Terminal – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Magsaysay Terminal – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Gingoog Terminal – Claveria Road – Villanueva-Claveria Road – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Agora Bus Terminal – Bulua Bus Terminal – Butuan-Cagayan de Oro-Iligan Road – Iligan City Westbound Jeepney and Bus Terminal – Iligan Bus Jeepney Terminal South Bound – Linamon-Zamboanga Road – Dobleston-Butadon Road – Pan-Philippine Highway – Tukuran-Karomatan Road – Pan-Philippine Highway – Pagadian City Integrated Terminal	404 km

The operator shall abide by the results of the LPTRP or the Route Rationalization Study of the PUVMP once completed.

Failure to comply with any of the conditions set forth herein may warrant the imposition of fines and/or cancellation or suspension of the Certificate of Public Convenience or Provisional Authority of the concerned operator as the Board may determine and as provided under Joint Administrative Circular (JAO) No. 2014-001.

All issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby superseded and amended accordingly.

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 Adopted by the undersigned Members of the Board Member this 30 day of June 2022 at Quezon City, Philippines.

30 JUN 2022

  
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 Chairman

  
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