



MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR
NUMBER 2003-014

Subject : **IMPOSITION OF STANDARD FARE RATES
ON VEHICLE-FOR-HIRE SERVICE**

The Board had approved numerous applications for air-conditioned PUJ service and applications for conversion from Garage & Rent-a-Car services into Vehicle-for-Hire service, the fare rates authorized therein having been proposed by the operators themselves.

However, considering the mounting complaints from the riding public that exorbitant fare rates have been charged by the operators/drivers of air-conditioned PUJ and vehicle-for hire services, the Board hereby resolved to impose a standard schedule of fare rates for air-conditioned PUJ and vehicle-for-hire services to be charged as follows:

- P 6.00 - for the first five (5) kilometers; and
- P 1.00 - per succeeding kilometer.

All existing air-conditioned PUJ and vehicle-for-hire operators, except those on rent-a-car business, are hereby directed to follow strictly this Memorandum Circular. For failure to do so, the Board may impose the following penalties:

- First Offense - Fine of P5,000.00;
- Second Offense - Suspension of operator's CPC; and
- Third Offense - Cancellation/Revocation of operator's CPC

All operators of air-conditioned PUJ and vehicle-for-hire services are, likewise, directed to follow strictly the terms and conditions of their CPCs and the operating characteristics of the services granted to them.

All other Memorandum Circulars inconsistent with this circular are hereby amended and/or repealed.

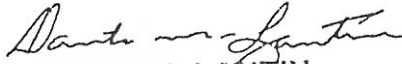


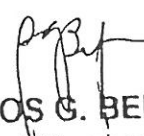
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This Memorandum Circular takes effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in the Official Gazette or in a newspaper of general circulation or by filing of three (3) copies of the same with the U.P. Law Center pursuant to Presidential Memorandum Circular No. 11 dated October 9, 1992.

EFFECTIVITY DATE - JULY 16, 2003
Quezon City, Metro Manila, 27 June 2003.


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