



Republic of the Philippines
Professional Regulation Commission
Manila



RESOLUTION NO. 1777
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**FIXING THE DATES AND PLACES OF THE 2024 SPECIAL
PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS (SPLE) FOR OVERSEAS
FILIPINO WORKERS (OFWs) IN THE MIDDLE EAST COUNTRIES
AND SINGAPORE**

WHEREAS, Section 7 (d) of Republic Act (R.A.) No. 8981, also known as the "PRC Modernization Act of 2000", empowers the Professional Regulation Commission (Commission) to administer and conduct the licensure examinations of the various Professional Regulatory Boards (Boards) in accordance with the rules and regulations it may promulgate and to determine and fix the places and dates of examinations and adopt measures to preserve the integrity and inviolability of the licensure examinations;

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 835 dated October 06, 2009 was issued directing the Professional Regulation Commission (Commission) and other government agencies through the Department of Labor and Employment (DOLE) to conduct yearly Special Professional Board Licensure Examinations (hereinafter referred to as Special Professional Licensure Examination (SPLE), when so warranted, in the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates and other Middle East countries;

WHEREAS, in accordance with R.A. No. 8981, the Commission also conducts licensure examination in countries other than the Middle East;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the above provisions of R.A. No. 8981 and Executive Order No. 835, the Commission issued Resolution No. 2017-1034 dated April 7, 2017 entitled: "2017 Revised Guidelines on the Conduct of Special Professional Licensure Examinations (SPLE) for Overseas Filipino Workers (OFWs);

WHEREAS, the Philippine Professional Organizations (PPOs), through the Migrant Workers Offices (MWOs), Department of Migrant Workers, and/or Philippine Embassies in the Kingdom of Bahrain, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, Qatar, State of Kuwait, United Arab Emirates and Singapore, have submitted their recommendations on the dates and places of examinations;

WHEREAS, the PPOs, MWO, DMW and Philippine Embassies recommend that the SPLE be administered in June of this year, in time for the Eid Al-Adha, which is most convenient for all OFW examinees;

WHEREAS, the Commission conducted a consultative meeting on December 12, 2023 with the Professional Regulatory Boards of Accountancy, Architecture, Chemical Engineering, Civil Engineering, Dentistry, Electrical Engineering, Electronics Engineering, Environmental Planning, Geodetic Engineering, Interior Design, Master Plumbing, Mechanical Engineering,

Medical Technology, Midwifery, Nursing, Physical Therapy, Professional Teachers, Psychology, Radiologic Technology, Real Estate Service, Respiratory Therapy, Sanitary Engineering, Social Workers and Veterinary Medicine to determine the professional licensure examinations to be administered in the SPLE for 2024;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commission **RESOLVES**, as it is hereby **RESOLVED**, to fix the dates and places of the SPLE in the Middle East and Singapore for the year 2024 as follows:

I. DATES OF EXAMINATIONS

JUNE 16, 17 and 18, 2024 (Sunday, Monday and Tuesday)


II. LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS AND PLACES OF EXAMINATION

LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS	TESTING CENTERS
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Architects 2. Certified Plant Mechanics 3. Certified Public Accountants 4. Chemical Engineers 5. Chemists 6. Civil Engineers 7. Electronics Engineers 8. Electronics Technicians 9. Environmental Planners 10. Geodetic Engineers 11. Interior Designers 12. Master Plumbers 13. Mechanical Engineers 14. Medical Technologists 15. Midwives 16. Nurses 17. Physical Therapists 18. Professional Teachers 19. Psychometricians 20. Radiologic Technologists 21. Real Estate Brokers 22. Registered Electrical Engineers 23. Registered Master Electricians 24. Respiratory Therapists 25. Sanitary Engineers 26. Social Workers 27. Veterinarians 28. X-Ray Technologists 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Manama, Bahrain 2. Al-Khobar, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia 3. Jeddah, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia 4. Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia 5. Al Ahmadi, Kuwait 6. Doha, Qatar 7. Abu-Dhabi, United Arab Emirates 8. Dubai, United Arab Emirates 9. Singapore
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 29. Professional Mechanical Engineers 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Doha, Qatar

Let a copy of this Resolution be furnished the Office of the President, DOLE, DMW, DFA, Philippine Embassies/Consulates, Filipino professional organizations in Manama, Bahrain; Al-Khobar, Jeddah and Riyadh, Kingdom of Saudi Arabia; Doha, Qatar; Al Ahmadi, Kuwait; Abu Dhabi and Dubai, United Arab Emirates; and Singapore.

Done in the City of Manila, this 16th day of February 2024.

(on leave)
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Chairperson


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Commissioner
Officer-in Charge


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