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LICENSURE EXAMINATION**

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 - c. Original copy of the Certificate of Mandatory Quarantine for 14 days that shall end within the period **January 31 to February 4**, or its equivalent signed by any of the following: Any government or private physician, or barangay officer visiting the examinee's residence attesting that he/she has been in quarantine for 14 days.
3. Duly accomplished Informed Consent Form and Health Declaration Checklist (Annexes A and B of PRC-DOH-PNP Joint Administrative Order No. 2021-01 downloadable at www.prc.gov.ph).


The PRC-CAR will not photocopy or print your compliance documents so please prepare the documents stated in item numbers 1, 2 and 3.

Refer to the program of examination for other things to bring, uniform, allowed and prohibited items.

Examinees shall submit the Post Examination Health Surveillance Form (Annex C of the PRC-DOH-PNP Joint Administrative Order No. 2021-01) to car_examination@prc.gov.ph 15 days after the examination or on February 21, 2023.

Deferral to take the examination and transfer to another testing center **SHALL NO LONGER BE ALLOWED**.

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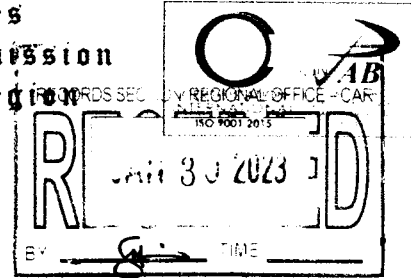

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In the event of failure to take the February 2023 RTLE, examinees may submit a written request with the required supporting documents **on or before February 13, 2023**, and shall be allowed to take the immediately succeeding RTLE subject to the following valid reasons:

- a. **For health-related reasons** – shall be supported with a medical certificate;
- b. **For quarantine-related travel restrictions** – shall be supported with an official certificate of border/travel restrictions issued by the concerned local government unit.

The written request and supporting documents shall be submitted through email at car.application@prc.gov.ph or car@prc.gov.ph. Said examinees are advised to keep their Notice of Admission for use during the next examination.

Examinees and examination personnel are reminded to strictly observe the minimum health standards set in the PRC-DOH-PNP Joint Administrative Order No. 2021-01 dated July 28, 2021 for everyone's safety, and to immediately go home after the conduct of the examination. **With Baguio's weather condition, examinees and examination personnel are advised to use additional layer of clothing, bring rain gears, and flashlights in case of power outage at the testing venue. Examinees are also required to bring packed meals/snacks and sufficient drinking water supply as no one is allowed to go out once inside the examination venue. Concerned examinees are also herein reminded to bring medicine and hygiene kits, and related supplies, when necessary.**

The Commission expresses its gratitude to the officials and staff of the City Government of Baguio, Bureau of Fire Protection, Baguio City Police Office, Saint Louis School, Inc. and examination personnel for their unwavering support and cooperation.

Links of the Entry Protocols to Baguio City, Program of Examination, List of Qualified Examinees, Room Assignment, Allowed Calculators to be used, and PRC-DOH-PNP Joint Administrative Order No. 2021-01 dated July 28, 2021 are posted at www.facebook.com/prc.cordillera. For concerns and queries, you may email car.examination@prc.gov.ph or car@prc.gov.ph.

There may be unscrupulous individuals that name-drop officials and employees of the PRC and the members of the Professional Regulatory Boards for their nefarious activities, please report immediately to car@prc.gov.ph any knowledge of such illegal acts. Checking of test papers is computerized and with no human intervention. Test results are final and there is **NO RE-CHECKING OR VIEWING OF TEST PAPERS** pursuant to PRC Resolution No. 2004-223. **DO NOT BE A VICTIM OF FIXERS.**


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