## [ PRC RESOLUTION NO. 2010-547, January 07, 2010 ]

## AMENDED GUIDELINES ON THE RELEASE AND PUBLICATION OF THE RESULTS OF TOP-RANKED EXAMINEES IN THE BOARD LICENSURE EXAMINATIONS

WHEREAS, the Commission has the power under Section 7(b) of Republic Act No. 8981 to make such rules and regulations and issue such orders and other administrative issuances as may be necessary in the execution and implementation of its functions and the improvement of its services and under Section 7(d), to approve the results of examinations and release the same; xxx publish the list of successful examinees;

WHEREFORE, the Commission hereby RESOLVES, as it so RESOLVED, to prescribe, issue and promulgate the following guidelines on the release of topnotchers in the professional licensure examinations, viz:

- 1. The name of the examinee, his/her ranking, his/her general average, the name of the educational institution where he/she graduated from, and the ranking of educational institutions shall be indicated in the release of the examination results to be published in a newspaper or newspapers of general circulation.
- 2. Only those examinees taking the examination for the first time in the same profession who garnered a general average of not less than eighty percent (80%) shall be included in the list of topnotchers to be released, indicating the rank of first until the tenth highest general average; Provided, that the successful examinees in the examination shall not be less than fifty (50). The concerned Board may, using its sound discretion, reduce or limit the ranking to less than ten (10) [e.g. from first until the third highest general average] in the event the eighty percent (80%) minimum general average is not achieved by at least ten (10) examinees, or, when the successful examinees in the examination do not exceed fifty (50).
- 3. The release shall also include the top ten (10) ranking of educational institutions in terms of the number of passers produced; Provided, that the number of examinees of the educational institution for the particular examination shall not be less than fifty (50) and the number of passers shall not be less than eighty percent (80%) of the said examinees. The concerned Board may, using its sound discretion, reduce or limit the ranking to less than ten (10) [e.g. from the first until the third] in the event the eighty percent (80%) minimum number of passers is not achieved by at least ten (10) educational institutions, or, when the