

## Republic of the Philippines Professional Regulation Commission Manila



## **INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS OFFICE**

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Dear Mr./Ms. Tilva:

This has reference to your inquiry if you will be permitted to take the Physician Licensure Examination (PLE) being an Indian national, and the requirements for such licensure exam.

Please be informed that the PRC issued Certification dated 30 March 2023 states that the Doctor of Medicine degree, conferred to Indian medical graduates from a College of Medicine recognized by the Philippines' Commission on Higher Education, is eligible for registration to take the Physician Licensure Examination as a requirement to practice medicine in the Philippines, pursuant to the pertinent provisions of the Philippine Medical Act of 1959 and other regulations of the Professional Regulation Commission and the Board of Medicine.

Verily foreign, including Indian medical graduates, may register to take the Physician Licensure Examination (PLE), upon compliance with the requirements of the law, rules, and regulations.

Herein attached is the application form for reference (see Annex A).

Kindly refer to the "Public Advisory on the Applications of Foreign Nationals Intending to take Philippine Licensure Examinations for Various Regulated Professions" at <a href="https://prc.gov.ph/article/public-advisory-applications-foreign-nationals-intending-take-philippine-licensure">https://prc.gov.ph/article/public-advisory-applications-foreign-nationals-intending-take-philippine-licensure</a> for further information on the matter.

Should there be further clarification on the matter, you may reach the International Affairs Office-Qualification Recognition Division at the following:

Email address: <u>qrd2@prc.gov.ph</u>Telephone number: 8244-7674

We hope to have clarified your concerns.

ATTY. MELISA JANÉ B. COMAFAY

Very truly yours,

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