



RESOLUTION NO. 3
Series of 2001

ESTABLISHING A COMMON STANDARD IN THE QUALIFICATION OF ASSESSORS AT THE NATIONAL ASSESSMENT CENTER (NAC), PROFESSIONAL REGULATION COMMISSION (PRC), TECHNICAL EDUCATION AND SKILLS DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY (TESDA), COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION (CHED) AND NATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATION COMMISSION (NTC)

WHEREAS, the existing standards in the qualification of assessors are provided under paragraph 7, Part V of PRC Memorandum Circulars No. 99-15 to 99-16, Section 9A of CHED Memorandum Order No. 38, Series of 1998, Section 5.3 of TESDA Circular No. 09, s-2000, Paragraph 2.2 of NTC Memorandum Circular No. 10, Series of 1998, Annex 2 of MTC Resolution No. 03, Series of 1998 and Section 4 of MTC Resolution No. 10, Series of 2000;

WHEREAS, there is a need to establish a common standard in the qualification of assessors in accordance with the requirements of paragraph 6 of Section A-1/6 of the 1978 STCW Convention as amended;

WHEREAS, Section 1.1 of Executive Order No. 242 dated 12 May 2000 provides that the Council shall ensure that all legal and administrative measures taken and provided by the concerned government agencies and instrumentalities are appropriate and compliant to the Convention, as amended;

NOW THEREFORE, resolve as it is hereby resolved that:

Section 1. Qualification of Assessors. Any person conducting in-service assessment of competence of a seafarer, either on board or shore, which is intended to be used in qualifying for certification under the Convention shall:

1. have an appropriate level of knowledge and understanding of the competence to be assessed;
2. be qualified in the task for which the assessment is being made;
3. have received appropriate guidance in assessment methods and practice;

4. have gained practical assessment experience, and
5. if conducting assessment involving the use of simulators, have gained practical assessment experience on the particular type of simulator under the supervision and to the satisfaction of an experienced assessor.

Section 2. Registry of Assessor. A registry of qualified assessors under this Resolution shall be maintained by the Maritime Training Council, inputs to be provided by Professional Regulation Commission, Technical Education and Skills Development Authority, National Assessment Center, National Telecommunication Commission and Commission on Higher Education.

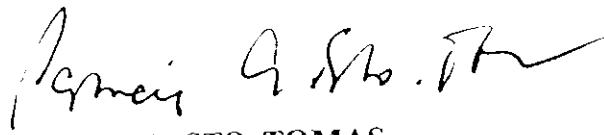
Section 3. Assessors in Maritime Schools and Training Centers. Assessors in public and private maritime schools and training centers conducting in-service assessment of competence of seafarers, either on board or ashore, which is intended to be used in qualifying for certification under the convention shall also meet the provisions of Section I of this Resolution.

Section 4. Implementing Guidelines. The MTC Secretariat in coordination with the representatives of afore-mentioned agencies shall prepare the implementing guidelines.

Section 5. Effectivity. This resolution shall take effect upon approval.

Done in the City of Manila this 13 day of JULY, 2001.

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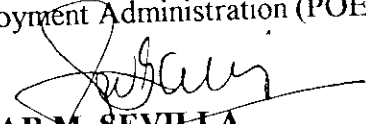
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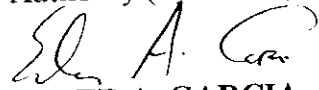
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