

Republic of the Philippines  
Department of the Interior and Local Government  
**NATIONAL POLICE COMMISSION**  
Quezon City

**RESOLUTION NO. 2017-395**

**PRESCRIBING THE QUALIFICATION STANDARDS FOR THE POSITIONS  
OF PSYCHOLOGISTS AND PSYCHOMETRICIANS WITH THE  
RANK OF POLICE INSPECTOR, AMENDING FOR THIS  
PURPOSE NAPOLCOM RESOLUTION NO. 2008-323**

**WHEREAS**, the Commission issued Resolution No. 2006-076, as amended by Resolution No. 2008-323, which provides for the qualification standards for appointment as Psychologists to the PNP via lateral entry;

**WHEREAS**, in the absence of a Licensure Examination for Psychologists, the Civil Service Commission (CSC) Professional Eligibility was then prescribed as the eligibility requirement for the position of Psychologist with the rank of Police Inspector.

**WHEREAS**, the Commission deems it necessary to amend said Eligibility requirement in view of the passage of R.A. No. 10029, entitled: "**An Act to Regulate the Practice of Psychology Creating for This Purpose a Professional Regulatory Board of Psychology, Appropriating Funds Therefor and for Other Purpose**", which defines Psychologist as a natural person who is **duly registered and holds a valid Certificate of Registration and a valid Professional Identification Card as Professional Psychologist, issued by the Professional Regulatory Board of Psychologist and the Professional Regulation Commission for the purpose of delivering the different psychological services.**

**WHEREAS**, in connection with its Lateral Entry Program, the PNP requested the inclusion of licensed Psychometricians in the Lateral Entry Program justifying that Licensed Psychologists and Psychometricians assigned with the PNP Health Service are performing similar functions, and that Psychometricians are the front liners and primary workforce of the Neuro-Psychiatric Section, PNP Health Service;

**WHEREAS**, the Commission finds the request of the PNP to include Licensed Psychometricians in the Lateral Entry Program to be in order taking into consideration the vital functions they perform in the PNP Health Service;

**NOW THEREFORE**, the Commission, pursuant to its Constitutional mandate to administer and control the PNP, **HEREBY PRESCRIBE, AS IT HEREBY PRESCRIBES**, the qualification standards for the positions of psychologists and psychometricians with the rank of Police Inspector, as follows:

**PSYCHOLOGIST:**

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| Education   | : | Bachelor's Degree in Psychology  |
| Eligibility | : | R.A. No. 10029   |
| Experience  | : | At least three (3) years professional experience in the practice of psychology |
| Training    | : | Completion of eight (8) hours of relevant training                             |

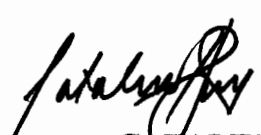
Age : Not below 21 years old but not over 30 years old at the time of appointment  
Height : 162cm (Male)  
157cm (Female)

**PSYCHOMETRICIAN:**

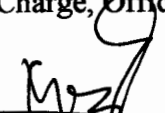
Education : Bachelor's Degree in Psychology  
Eligibility : R.A. No. 10029  
Experience : At least two (2) years professional experience in the practice of psychometrics  
Training : Completion of eight (8) hours of relevant training  
Age : Not below 21 years old but not over 30 years old at the time of appointment  
Height : 162cm (Male)  
157cm (Female)

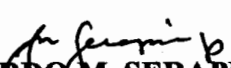
Let the copy of this Resolution be submitted to the Civil Service Commission for its confirmation.

ADOPTED this 20th of JULY 2017 in Quezon City, Metro Manila.

  
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