



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Health
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

CEUE RESOLUTION NO. 2011 – 003

**SUSPENSION OF “HIGH SCHOOL DIPLOMA”
AS REQUIREMENT FOR THE
EMBALMERS LICENSURE EXAMINATION**

WHEREAS, the Committee of Examiners for Undertakers and Embalmers (CEUE) is mandated to regulate the practice of embalming in accordance to the provisions of the Code on Sanitation of the Philippines (PD 856) and Executive Order No. 102 s.1999; hence, ensure that only qualified individuals enter the regulated profession and that the care and services which the embalmers provide are within the standard of practice;

WHEREAS, the approved Administrative Order No. 2010-0033 dated December 10, 2010 entitled Revised Implementing Rules and Regulations of PD 856 Code on Sanitation of the Philippines Chapter XXI “Disposal of Dead Persons”, provides that no person is authorized to practice embalming as a profession in the Philippines without holding a valid certificate of registration issued by the Committee and approved by the Secretary of Health is in full implementation starting January 2011;

WHEREAS, majority of practitioners who were non-high school graduates, appeal to be allowed to take licensure examination;

WHEREAS, in view of the foregoing considerations, the CEUE deemed it necessary to suspend the “high school diploma” as basic requirement for licensure examination, hence, allow the non-high school interested individuals and who have been in the industry for more than five (5) years, to take the licensure examination. **This Resolution shall take effect only from June 2012 to May 2013;**

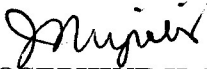
WHEREAS, the CEUE established a requirement of a **Notarized employer’s certificate** indicating that the person has been in active practice for five (5) years or more under his/her establishment which shall be validated by the Committee, in determining as to whether the person is indeed qualified and be allowed to take the embalmers licensure examination.

WHEREFORE, the CEUE resolved as it hereby resolves to declare the suspension of the “high school diploma” as basic requirement in the licensure examination from the period **June 2012 to May 2013.**

This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

Done in the City of Manila this 14th day of November 2011.

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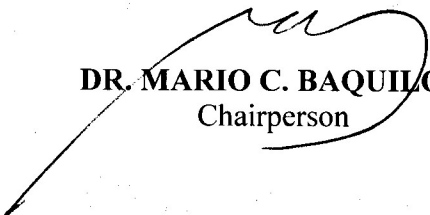

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