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MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR

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SUPPLEMENTARY GUIDELINES ON THE PROVISION AND DEPLOYMENT OF PROTECTIVE SECURITY PERSONNEL

1. REFERENCES:

- a. Republic Act No. 6975 entitled, "An Act Establishing the Philippine National Police under a Reorganized Department of the Interior and Local Government, and for other purposes"; and
- b. PNP Memorandum Circular (MC) No. 2019-006, entitled: "Revised Guidelines and Procedures Governing the Availment of Protective Security to Government Officials, Diplomats and Private Individuals Authorized to be Given Protection", as amended by PNP MC No. 2020-052 and PNP MC No. 2021-058.

2. SITUATION:

The provision and deployment of protective security is a mere privilege given to qualified protectees, hence, the PNP can prescribe additional guidelines to be observed by all stakeholders concerned. In the same manner, it is the policy of the current leadership that the utilization of uniformed personnel in law enforcement works shall be paramount.

3. RATIONALE:

This MC provides the supplementary guidelines in the provision and deployment of protective security personnel (PSP) to qualified protectees – government officials, diplomats, and private individuals authorized to be given protection.

4. PURPOSE:

The primary purpose of this MC is to properly regulate the provision and deployment of PSP to qualified protectees.

5. GUIDELINES:

In regulating the provision and deployment of PSP, the following guidelines shall be strictly adhered to:

- a. The deployment of PSP to retired police generals shall be for a maximum period of six (6) months reckoned from their initial enjoyment



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of the privilege, except for former PNP Chiefs, those occupying government positions, and those with validated threats due to previous position in the PNP. All PSP who had provided protection to a particular protectee for at least two years, either continuous or accrued, shall be recalled immediately;

- b. The conduct of Threat Assessment (TA) and Complete Background Investigation (CBI) shall be mandatorily undertaken, except to key government officials as defined and categorized under existing rules, regulations, and issuances;
- c. All applications/requests for provision and deployment of PSP shall be submitted to PSPG and its regional units for evaluation. The application, including the results of TA and CBI, shall be forwarded to DI for validation;
- d. In case of urgent deployment of PSP to an applicant, as determined by the RD, PRO or D, PSPG, provisional security detail shall be immediately provided for a non-extendible period of 30 days. Meantime, the application of the individual under threat shall be processed promptly and without delay, which must pass through the DO prior to the disposition of TDCO; and
- e. The sole approving authority on all applications for the provision and deployment of PSP shall be the TDCO. The validity period shall be initially recommended by D, PSPG and concurred by TDI and TDO. The approved application of the protectee shall be furnished to the OCPNP, DPRM, and IAS for reference and monitoring.

6. REPEALING CLAUSE:

The additional provision on retired police generals as stated in second paragraph of Item 7.b.3 and the amendment of para 1.c of Annex C of PNP MC 2019-006 as contained in PNP MC No. 2021-058 dated May 12, 2021 are hereby repealed. All circulars, orders, or issuances or part thereof, inconsistent with this PNP MC are hereby repealed, revised, or modified accordingly.

7. EFFECTIVITY:

This MC shall take effect after 15 days from filing a copy hereof at the University of the Philippines Law Center in consonance with Section 3, Chapter 2, Book VII of Executive Order 292 otherwise known as the "Revised Administrative Code of 1987", as amended.



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