## [ MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2018-016, August 10, 2018 ]

## SUSPENSION OF ACCEPTANCE OF NEW APPLICATIONS FOR TRANSPORT NETWORK COMPANY ACCREDITATION FOR TNVS

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WHEREAS, per Department Order No. 2015-011 dated 08 May 2015 issued by the Department of Transportation and Communications on "Further Amending Department Order No. 97-1097 to Promote Mobility" allows Transport Network Companies (TNCs) to set the fare for Transportation Network Vehicle Service (TNVS) to wit:

"xxx subject to oversight from the Land Transportation Franchising and Regulatory Board (LTFRB) in cases of change in the market, whether actual or imminently threatened, shortage of electric power or other source of energy, strike, civil disorder, war, military action, national or local emergency, or other cause of an abnormal disruption of the market which results in the declaration of a state of emergency by the President. xxx"

**WHEREAS,** on 18 January 2018, the Board issued Memorandum Circular No. 2018-003 which lifted the moratorium on the acceptance of applications for the issuance of a Certificate of Public Convenience (CPC) to operate TNVS after which, there was an influx of applications for TNC accreditation and as result thereof six (6) TNCs were accredited, namely:

- a) Hype Transport Systems, Inc.
- b) GoLag, Inc.
- c) iPara Technologies and Solutions, Inc.
- d) Hirna Mobility Solutions, Inc.
- e) Micab Systems Corporation
- f) E-Pick Me Up, Inc.

Two (2) TNCs whose applications for Accreditation were denied to wit:

- a) Out-of-Town Cars Corp.
- b) Mober Technology PTE Inc.

Two (2) pending Extensions of Validity for Accreditation namely:

- a) MyTAXI.PH
- b) U-HOP Transportation Network Vehicle System, Inc.

One (1) applicant pending for resolution of the Pre-Accreditation Committee: