[PRC RESOLUTION NO. 63, May 31, 1991]

BOARD OF MIDWIFERY THOSE EXEMPT FROM CPE REQUIREMENT

WHEREAS the Board, pursuant to Secs. 4 and 9 of R.A. No. 2644 (the Philippine Midwifery Law) and Sec. 6, par. (a) of P.D. 223, promulgated on November 27, 1985 Board Resolution No. 665 (series of 1985) — "Guidelines for Continuing Education/Accreditation for the Registered Midwives of the Philippines" — which was approved by the Professional Regulation Commission on November 29, 1985 and published on December 16, 1985 (Vol. 81, No. 51, p. 5907) in the Official Gazette;

WHEREAS the afore-mentioned Guidelines does not have a provision on those registered midwives who deserve exemption from the coverage of the requirements for the earnings of Continuing Professional Education (CPE) credit units;

WHEREAS the incorporation of the said exemption provision therein is not only expedient and indispensable but also realistic and appropriate;

WHEREAS the Department of Health personnel should be governed by separate guidelines for CPE credits;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board hereby resolves to amend Board Resolution No. 665, Series of 1985, and, accordingly, to set forth therein the herein provisions:

"REQUIREMENTS

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The Continuing Professional Education (CPE) Units shall not be required from the following registered midwives:

- 1. Sixty-years (60) old or above certificate of live birth,
- 2. Under employment abroad certificates of employment and/or Passport with date of arrival,
- 3. In active military service certificate of employment, and
- 4. Incapacitated medical certificate.

For Department of Health (DOH) Personnel:

After prior approval of program content by the Board of Midwifery, the programs conducted by the Department of Health (DOH) and participated in by DOH's registered Midwives-Employees shall constitute CPE units. The certificate issued by the Department of Health shall be submitted directly to the PRC to be used for