[LTFRB MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2008-001, January 08, 2008]

MODIFYING AND AMENDING CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF MC 2006-034

In order to boost tourism industry in key urban centers and its peripheries in the Island of Mindanao and to encourage Transport Operators to apply for a City Tours Service, item nos. 2 and 5 of Memorandum Circular No. 2006-034 dated May 12, 2005 is hereby modified and amended to read as.

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2. The interiors for units allowed in Mindanao shall be luxurious with upholstery and carpeting. Additional Audio/Video amenities and cooler shall be provided for the benefit of the tourists."

3. The engine of the <u>units allowed in Mindanao</u> must be Diesel Fed (2.5) CC minimum displacement/72 HP) and capable to operate dual air conditioning system. It must pass the LTO MViS and PETC for road worthiness and emission standards, respectively.

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5. The fares shall be regulated by the Board and shall not be increased or decreased without the prior approval of the Board. The fares applicable in the Island of Mindanao shall be at Php 10.00 for the first four kilometers and Php 1.60 per succeeding kilometers for regular passengers and twenty percent (20%) discount for senior citizens and children below thirteen (13) years old.

The operator shall set up sales booths where tourists can purchase tickets for the rides. Upon payment, the operator shall issue tickets, as well as brochures indicating the City Tours routes."

All issuances inconsistent herewith are hereby superseded and amended accordingly.

This Memorandum Circular shall take effect fifteen (15) days following its publication in a newspaper of general circulation.

Adopted: 08 Jan. 2008

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