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**ACCESS TO THE DIGITALIZED EXAMINATION PROCESS
OF THE 2020/21 BAR EXAMINATIONS**

The Supreme Court will use a secure examination delivery program for the 2020/21 Bar Examinations. The examinations will be digitalized and taken locally with in-person proctors.

Access to the computer-based testing software shall be available to all applicants conditionally or unconditionally approved to take the 2020/21 Bar Examinations. The lists of applicants conditionally and unconditionally approved are periodically uploaded to [the Supreme Court microsite for the 2020-21 Bar Examinations](#).

While awaiting the release of the lists, applicants should read and understand the Frequently Asked Questions on the Digitalized Examination Process, available at <http://sc.judiciary.gov.ph/files/bar-2021/FAQ-Digitalized-Examination.pdf> on the Supreme Court microsite for the 2020/21 Bar Examinations. All deadlines set in the Frequently Asked Questions are final and non-extendable.

Instructions for accessing the program shall only be sent to the applicants' Bar PLUS-registered e-mail addresses. All approved applicants are advised to regularly monitor their e-mail inboxes for the registration information e-mail. They will be given the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the program's functions and features through the Sample Exams that simulate the digitalized exam-taking experience.

The program was chosen for its ease of use, simplicity of operations, administrative flexibility, and its track record worldwide. We chose its simplest iteration for this year's Bar Examinations.

Be familiar with the program, but do not fixate on it. Instead, focus on the substance of your answers to the examinations. As with everything else, the virtual tools will only assist you. It is the real and tangible things in our lives that will truly matter.

Study well and with passion. While you will take the Bar Examinations by yourself, do not forget that many of the things you do will affect others. Keep fit and safe. Make peace with what you have and what is actually happening.

For your information and guidance.

A handwritten signature in dark red ink, appearing to read 'Marvic M. V. F. Leonen', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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