



Republic of the Philippines
Judicial and Bar Council
Manila

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Judicial and Bar Council (JBC) announces the re-opening, for application or recommendation, of the following positions:

Legal Education Board Regular Member

1. *Representing the Philippine Association of Law Professors (PALP) vice Hon. Manuel R. Riguera*, whose term ended on 13 January 2017; and
2. *Representing the Philippine Association of Law Schools (PALS) vice Hon. Josefe C. Sorera-Ty*, whose term ended on 14 January 2022.

Interested applicants must visit the official JBC website (www.jbc.judiciary.gov.ph) and access the Online Application Scheduler not later than the deadline for the submission of applications and documentary requirements on **11 September 2023 (Monday)**, from 8:00 o'clock in the morning to 4:30 in the afternoon. After filling in the required information in the Online Application Scheduler, applicants will receive a computer-generated letter of intent in their respective email addresses.

A copy of the letter of intent must be printed out and submitted together with the two (2) complete sets of all the documentary requirements to the JBC, 2nd Floor, Centennial Building, Supreme Court, Padre Faura Street, Manila, on their selected date and time of appointment, which must **not be later than 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon of 11 September 2023 (Monday)**. The date of actual receipt by the JBC of the complete documentary requirements shall be deemed as the date of filing.

Applicants who prefer to send their applications and documentary requirements through registered mail or private courier must ensure that their documents are complete, updated and received by the JBC on the date reserved in the Online Application Scheduler. In this regard, the applicant should send through email a copy of the mailing receipt to oafs.jbc@judiciary.gov.ph on the same day.

THE QUALIFICATION OF APPLICANTS SHALL BE RECKONED AS OF THE DEADLINE FOR FILING OF APPLICATIONS. For the qualification requirements and evaluative criteria, applicants are enjoined to refer to the *2020 Revised JBC Rules*, as amended, in the JBC website.

Applicants who have been found by the Council to have wilfully made false statements, misrepresentations, or concealments of any material information as provided for under the *2020 Revised JBC Rules* may be considered disqualified from being nominated by the Council and may be subject to perjury.

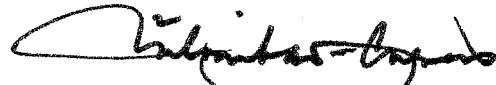
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Likewise, pursuant to Section 2, Rule 7 of the 2020-01 Revised Rules of the Judicial and Bar Council (JBC), a public interview of the following candidates for the position of **Presiding Justice of the Court of Appeals** (vice **Hon. Remedios A. Salazar-Fernando**, who will compulsorily retire on 2 September 2023), shall be conducted by the JBC at the Division Hearing Room, Supreme Court Main Building.

| 16 August 2023 (Wednesday) | 17 August 2023 (Thursday) |
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| <u>9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon</u> 1. ANTONIO-VALENZUELA , Nina G. 2. BATO , Ramon M., Jr. | <u>9:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon</u> 1. GONZALES-SISON , Marlene B. 2. LAMPAS PERALTA , Fernanda |
| <u>1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</u> 3. BRUSELAS , Apolinario D., Jr. 4. CASTILLO , Mariflor P. | <u>1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.</u> 3. SORONGON , Edwin D. |

The public may submit a sworn complaint, report, or opposition against any of the aforesaid candidates (a) by mail in ten (10) legible copies to the JBC, 2nd Floor, Centennial Building, Supreme Court, Padre Faura St., Manila or through the JBC drop box; or (b) by electronic mail to jbc@judiciary.gov.ph not later than 4:30 p.m. of **7 August 2023**.

26 July 2023.



MARIFE M. LOMIBAO-CUEVAS

Clerk of Court & JBC *Ex Officio* Secretary