



Republic of the Philippines
Supreme Court
Manila

EN BANC

NOTICE

Sirs/Mesdames:

Please take notice that the Court en banc issued a Resolution dated FEBRUARY 15, 2022, which reads as follows:

B.M. No. 850 (Re: Proposed Rules on Mandatory Continuing Legal Education for Active Members of the Integrated Bar of the Philippines).- The Court Resolved to **NOTE** the Letter dated February 14, 2022 of Associate Justice Marvic M.V.F. Leonen relative to the letter from the Mandatory Continuing Legal Education (MCLE) Governing Board, requesting an extension of one (1) year within which to comply with the 7th MCLE Compliance Period.

The Court Resolved, upon the recommendation of the MCLE Governing Board, to

(a) **EXTEND** the 7th MCLE Compliance Period for one (1) year from April 15, 2022 to April 14, 2023, without disrupting the sequence of the established compliance periods under Rule 3, Section 1, Bar Matter No. 850.

No penalty shall be imposed on lawyers who avail of the extension. However, they are required to submit the necessary documentation (Attorney's Compliance Report or Application/Attestation of Exemption) within ten (10) days after the end of the extended period, otherwise, they shall be subjected to the payment of the late filing fee; and

(b) **EXTEND** for a period of one (1) year, or from April 15, 2022 to April 14, 2023, the validity of the certificates of compliance and exemption for the 6th Compliance Period, in view of the extension of the 7th Compliance Period." (29)

By authority of the Court:


MARIFE M. LOMIBAO-CUEVAS
Clerk of Court