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Regulation of the Council of Engineers

on Registration as ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE)

(No. 2)

B.E. 2560 (2017)

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Registration as ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE), B.E. 2557 (2014).

By virtue of Section 33(3) of the Engineers Act, B.E. 2542 (1999) and pursuant to the resolution of the General Meeting of the Council of Engineers No. 1/2560 dated 6 July B.E. 2560 (2017), the Board of the Council of Engineers hereby issues the following Regulations:

Clause 1 These Regulations shall be called "Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Registration as ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE) (No. 2), B.E. 2560 (2017)."

Clause 2 These Regulations shall come into force on the day following their publication in the Royal Thai Government Gazette.

Clause 3 The provision of Clause 4 of the Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Registration as ACPE, B.E. 2557 (2014) is repealed and replaced with the following:

"Clause 4 An applicant for registration as an ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE) in a regulated engineering discipline shall possess the following qualifications.

- (1) Be a natural person of Thai nationality and hold a license to practice the regulated engineering profession in the branch applied for.
- (2) Have not less than seven years of professional engineering experience as of the application date.
- (3) Have not less than two years of responsible professional engineering experience in the relevant regulated engineering branch.
- (4) Have obtained Continuing Professional Development (CPD) under the Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Knowledge Development of Members, as prescribed by the Board; and
 - (5) Have not been ordered to have the license suspended or revoked.

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Clause 4 The provision in subparagraph (4) of Clause 4 of the Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Registration as ACPE, B.E. 2557 (2014) is repealed and replaced with the following:

"(4) Have obtained Continuing Professional Development (CPD) pursuant to the Regulations of the Board of the Council of Engineers on Knowledge Development of Members, as prescribed by the Board."

Clause 5 The following provision shall be added as Clause 9 of the Regulations of the Council of Engineers Committee on the Registration of ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineers B.E. 2557 (2014):

"Clause 9 The Council of Engineers Committee shall have the power to revoke the registration if it is found that the registered ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer lacks any qualification or possesses any prohibited characteristic as stipulated in Clause 4 or Clause 5."

Clause 6 The following provision shall be added as Clause 10 of the said regulations:

"Clause 10 The registration shall be terminated upon the occurrence of any of the following circumstances concerning the registrant:

- (1) Death
- (2) Suspension or revocation of the professional engineering license.
- (3) Failure to renew registration; or
- (4) Revocation of registration by a resolution of the Council of Engineers Committee.

A person whose registration has been terminated under (2) shall not be eligible to reapply for registration as an ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer."

Clause 7 Any certificate of registration as an ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer issued prior to the effective date of these regulations shall remain valid until its expiry date.

Promulgated on 31 July B.E. 2560 (2017)
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