

Regulation of the Council of Engineers

on Registration as ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE)

(No. 3)

B.E. 2563 (2020)

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) and the Council of Engineers Board Meeting No. 10-10/2562 dated 10 October B.E. 2562 (2019), the Board of the Council of Engineers hereby issues the following Regulation.

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. 3), B.E. 2563 (2020).”

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

Clause 3 Clause 3 of the Regulations on Registration as ACPE, B.E. 2557 (2014) is repealed and replaced by the following:

“Clause 3 Any person who wishes to obtain recognition and benefits as an ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE) shall submit an application for registration together with a self-assessment of engineering competence, and pay the prescribed registration fee, to the Office of the Council of Engineers, in the form attached hereto, together with the evidence and supporting documents specified by the Board.”

Clause 4 Clause 6 of the Regulations on Registration as ACPE, B.E. 2557 (2014) is repealed and replaced by the following:

“Clause 6 An applicant who has presented evidence of continuing professional development in accordance with the prescribed criteria and has passed preliminary screening by the Subcommittee shall submit a summary report of his/her professional engineering experience within the period specified by the Subcommittee.

An applicant who is unable to present within the specified period may, on a case-by-case basis, submit a request to postpone the presentation through the Office of the Council of

Engineers, at least three days prior to the scheduled presentation date, unless prevented by force majeure, and provided that no more than two postponement requests may be made.

The Subcommittee may notify the applicant to revise or supplement the submitted work or to provide additional documentary evidence as appropriate, and the applicant shall present his/her work within the period specified by the Subcommittee.

If the applicant fails to complete the registration process within the time limits prescribed herein, the application shall be deemed withdrawn by the applicant.

Where, upon examination, the Subcommittee finds that the applicant meets the qualifications under Clause 4 or Clause 5, it shall recommend to the Board of the Council of Engineers that such person be registered as an ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer (ACPE), and the Office of the Council of Engineers shall notify the applicant in writing within sixty days from the date of the Board's resolution. Such notification may be made in electronic form as the applicant may request.

Upon the applicant's payment of the registration fee and upon endorsement by the ASEAN Chartered Professional Engineer Coordinating Committee (ACPECC) pursuant to the ASEAN Mutual Recognition Arrangement on Engineering Services, the Office shall issue a Certificate of ACPE Registration to the applicant."

Clause 5 Applications filed prior to the effective date of these Regulations shall continue to be processed under the Regulations on Registration as ACPE, B.E. 2557 (2014) and the (No. 2) B.E. 2560 (2017) amendment until completion.

Promulgated on 2 September B.E. 2563 (2020)

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