




Republic of the Philippines

Philippine Economic Zone Authority

MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 2022-061

TO : **ALL REGISTERED BUSINESS ENTERPRISES (RBEs) IN THE IT-BPM SECTOR, ZONE ADMINISTRATORS/ZONE MANAGERS AND OFFICERS-IN-CHARGE (OICs)**

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DATE : **09 September 2022**


SUBJECT : FIRB Advisory No. 007-2022 - Status quo of the 30/70% Work-From-Home (WFH) Arrangement after the expiration of the FIRB Resolution No. 017-22

Please be informed that the FIRB provisionally extended the 30/70% Work-From-Home (WFH) Arrangement of the RBEs in the IT-BPM sector pursuant to FIRB Resolution No. 017-22 dated 21 June 2022, which is set to expire on 12 September 2022.

The provisional extension shall be effective from 13 September 2022 until the FIRB decides on PEZA's request for the extension of the WFH arrangement. Therefore, all WFH LOAs issued to RBEs by PEZA is hereby extended until further notice.

Attached is the copy of FIRB Advisory No. 007-2022 and the memorandum by the Secretary of Finance/Chairperson of the FIRB.

For your information and guidance.


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FIRB Advisory 007-2022

- FOR** : All Heads of Investment Promotion Agencies, Registered Business Enterprises (RBEs) in the Information Technology and Business Process Management (IT-BPM) sector, Bureau of Internal Revenue, and Bureau of Customs
- SUBJECT** : **Circulating the Memorandum of the Fiscal Incentives Review Board (FIRB) Chairperson on the impending expiration of the 30-70 work-from-home (WFH) provisions under FIRB Resolution No. 017-22**
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This Advisory is issued to circulate the attached Memorandum of the FIRB Chairperson on the impending expiration of the 30-70 WFH provisions under FIRB Resolution No. 017-22.

Given that said resolution ends on 12 September 2022 with the next Board meeting set on 15 September 2022, the FIRB Chairperson has deemed it necessary to issue a Memorandum provisionally extending the 30-70 WFH arrangement for RBEs in the Information Technology - Business Process Management sector from 13 September 2022 until the FIRB decides on the Philippine Economic Zone Authority's request to extend WFH arrangement.

The Memorandum embodying the FIRB Chairperson's action on the matter is attached herein.

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Head of the FIRB Secretariat



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MEMORANDUM

FOR : All Heads of Investment Promotion Agencies, Registered Business Enterprises (RBEs) in the Information Technology and Business Process Management (IT-BPM) sector, Bureau of Internal Revenue, and Bureau of Customs

SUBJECT : **Status quo of the 30-70 Work-From-Home (WFH) Arrangement after the expiration of FIRB Resolution No. 017-22**

This Memorandum is issued to provisionally extend the existing 30-70 WFH arrangement for RBEs in the IT-BPM sector pursuant to Fiscal Incentives Review Board Resolution No. 017-22, which is set to expire on 12 September 2022.

The provisional extension is effective from 13 September 2022 until the FIRB decides on Philippine Economic Zone Authority's request to extend the WFH arrangement.

For strict compliance.


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Chairperson, Fiscal Incentives Review Board



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