

**MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR**  
**NO. 09-07-96**

**SUBJECT: AMENDING MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 11-21-88**

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Pursuant to Act No. 3846 as amended, the implementing rules and regulations of the Personal Radio Service (PRS) as provided under MC No. 11-21-88 and in view of the vague definition of the intended users of this service, the following amendments to MC No. 11-21-88 and clarificatory information for the purpose of screening applicants in this service are hereby issued:

A. A.1 Section 2 of Memorandum Circular No. 11-21-88 is hereby amended to Include the following definitions as follows:

A.1.1 Qualified Persons - are those person who are engaged in the exercise of his/her profession (such as doctors, engineers, lawyers, accountants, etc.) and maintaining with five (5) persons or less, a shop, clinic or office without adequate telecommunications facilities.

A.1.2 Small Business Entities - are those entities conducting small business that consist of at least five (5) organic personnel which paid-up capital does not exceed Five Hundred Thousand Pesos (P500,000.00) and is located in a place with inadequate telecommunications facilities.

A.2 Section 4 of said Circular is likewise amended as follows:

Basic requirements of Applicants:

A.2.1 Qualified Persons:

Must be a Citizen of the Philippines  
Must be at least 18 years of age and with good moral character  
Must have update government license to practice his/her profession  
(from PRC and/or Supreme Court license)

A.2.2 Small Business Entities



- A.2.2.1 Must be organized and/or incorporated under Philippines Laws
- A.2.2.2 Must have an updated Mayor's Permit issued

B. It is further clarified that:

1. An application for PRS shall be filed at the respective Regional Office, which has jurisdiction over the "service area" of the applied network.
2. An application by a qualified person be accompanied by the relevant updated license issued by the Professional Regulations Commissions or the Supreme Court, as the case may be.
3. An application by a small business entity shall be accompanied by a Mayor's Permit and the proper Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) or Department of Trade in Industry (DTI) registration issued as the case may be.
4. Amateur or Non Type-accepted radio equipment shall not be allowed under this service.

This Order shall take effect immediately and supersedes and/or amends other Circulars and Orders inconsistent herewith.

Quezon City, Philippines, 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1996.

**SIMEON L. KINTANAR**  
Commissioner

