Republic of the Philippines
National Mapping and Resource Information Authority
HYDROGRAPHY BRANCH
Personnel Board for Commissioned Officers

NAMRIA COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR PROBATIONARY ENSIGNS

GENERAL INFORMATION

The NAMRIA Personnel Board for Commissioned Officers (PBCO), pursuant to the provisions of RA 2057 and EO 292, announces the holding of the Competitive Examinations for Probationary Ensigns to recruit candidates for appointment as Ensign (Hydrographic Survey Officer) by The President of The Republic of the Philippines with the initial position of Ensign after having served as Probationary Ensign for at least six (6) months. Applicants for the examination must be willing to serve and have loyalty to the Republic of the Philippines. Applicants must possess not only competence in mathematics, oral and written communications, but also the personality essential to the performance of duties of a Hydrographic Survey Officer. They must be willing and able to accept assignments ashore or offshore anywhere in the country where their services may be required. They must be physically fit to travel by land, air or sea and have no medical conditions preventing them from assuming functions of Hydrographic Survey Officers.

Applicants are advised to check the eligibility requirements to ensure that they qualify for admission. No exemptions from the requirements shall be considered. Applicants who are found ineligible or who have submitted incomplete application forms and requirements shall not be allowed to take the examination.

DUTIES OF A HYDROGRAPHIC SURVEY OFFICER

The Hydrographic Survey Officer shall conduct hydrographic, geodetic and magnetic surveys and physical oceanographic observation, act as navigating officer and perform administrative functions among others. His/her duties shall also include gathering, analyzing and reporting hydrographic, environmental and technological information and developments, drafting technical notes and correspondences, as well as working with other government agencies, international organizations and private groups in promoting NAMRIA survey activities and carrying out collaborative projects.

EXAMINATIONS

The 2020 NAMRIA Competitive Examinations is composed of four (4) parts:

(1) Written Examination; (2) Psychological Test; (3) Competency Based Interview; and (4) Medical and Physical Fitness Test
I. Written Examination – **10 May 2020 (Sunday)**

The Written Examinations cover the following subjects with corresponding weights:

1. Mathematics 70%
2. English 30%

Candidates must obtain a passing grade of at least 70% in each of the subjects in order to qualify for the Psychological and succeeding tests.

The testing center for the Written Examinations is the **NAMRIA Hydrography Branch, 421 Barraca Street, San Nicolas, Manila**. However, the Board reserves the right to conduct the Written Examinations in another location depending on the number of qualified applicants. The proposed additional examination center will be in Davao City.

II. Psychological Test – To Be Announced (TBA)

The Psychological Test shall be held in Manila after the results of the Written Examinations have been determined. It may be administered by NAMRIA Human Resource Management Section or any agency authorized by the PBCO. Candidates shall be evaluated and certified as having passed the Psychological Test based on the results. Candidates must have at least Above Average in both IQ and Aptitude to qualify for the Competency Based Interview.

III. Competency-Based Interview - TBA

Candidates shall be interviewed by the PBCO to evaluate their overall potential for becoming Hydrographic Survey Officers.

The Competency-Based Interview shall be held in Manila after the results of the Psychological Test have been determined. It shall include an assessment of the candidate’s oral skills, logical thinking, values and attitude. Previous records, experiences and behavior shall also be considered in determining the candidate’s fitness and aptitude for hydrographic work.

IV. Medical and Physical Fitness Test - TBA

The Medical and Physical Fitness Test may be held immediately after the Competency Based Interview. Applicants who failed to obtain a favorable result shall not be allowed to proceed to the next step and shall be considered failed.

**NOTE:**

Applicants are required to pass all four (4) sequential parts within the prescribed time frame to be considered eligible for appointment to Probationary Ensign. An applicant who fails to
show up or does not take any phase as scheduled shall be deemed to have failed the entire examination. Request for deferment will not be entertained.

Applicants who failed the Physical Fitness Test may take future Competitive Examinations. However, applicants who failed the Psychological Test or Competency Based Interview may only re-take the examinations not earlier than two (2) years from the date of the test/interview in which the applicant failed.

QUALIFICATIONS AND REQUIREMENTS

1. Citizenship - Applicants must be natural-born Filipino citizens of good moral character and concurrently permanent residents of the Philippines.

2. Age - Applicants must not have been born earlier than 10 August 1990.

3. Education – Applicants must be graduates of a Bachelor of Science degree in any of the following fields: Geodetic, Civil, Mechanical, Electrical, Electronics, Mining, or Chemical Engineering, or graduates of a naval or military academy recognized by the government with at least a Bachelor of Science degree. Applicants should have graduated before the Written Examinations, must be able to present their transcript of records, and either diploma, certificate of graduation or its equivalent during the Competency-Based Interview.

4. Eligibility – Applicants must have passed either the Engineering Licensure Examination or the Civil Service Commission (CSC) Career Service Professional Examination and must present proof of passing before the Physical Fitness Test.

5. Physical – Applicants must have 20/20 vision or with corrective glasses, must not be color blind and must be able to perform the physical fitness exercises to be required by The PBCO.

6. Others – Applicants must not have a pending or have been convicted in an administrative, civil or criminal case.

HOW TO APPLY

1. Applicants must fill out the Registration Form online and CS Form 212 Revised 2017 (Personal Data Sheet). CS Form 212 may be downloaded from the CSC website www.csc.gov.ph or requested from the 2020 NAMRIA Competitive Examinations for Probationary Ensigns Secretariat personally or thru email.
2. CS Form 212 shall be duly accomplished by the applicants and submitted to the Examinations Secretariat personally, thru mail or courier or thru e-mail before 1700H on 30 April 2020. Applications submitted beyond the set deadline shall no longer be accepted.

3. The following shall be attached to the completed PDS:
   a. Copy of any of the following identification cards containing the bearer’s signature and picture:
• Unified Multi-Purpose ID
• Social Security System ID
• Professional Regulation Commission ID
• Philippine passport
• Government-issued driver's license
• School ID

b. Two (2) self-addressed and self-stamped envelopes marked as priority mail for those opting to have their results sent thru mail.

Applications with incomplete documentary requirements shall not be accepted.

2020 NAMRIA Competitive Examinations for Probationary Ensigns Secretariat

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Registration Form url: tiny.cc/2020HBCompetitiveExams
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Qualifications
- Natural-born Filipino citizen
- Graduate of an Engineering* course or Graduated from a Naval or Military Academy recognized by the Government
- Licensed Engineer or Civil Service Professional
- Physically fit and does not have color blindness
- Must not have been born earlier than 10 August 1990
- Willing to serve the country and the people

*Chemical, Civil, Electrical, Electronics, Geodetic, Mechanical or Mining Engineering

Why should you apply?
a base pay of P 38,366 monthly plus other allowances!
trainings local and abroad free of charge!
security of tenure in the Gov't!

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You can send your inquiries thru the
2020 NAMRIA Competitive Examinations for Probationary Ensigns Secretariat

email: namria.co.examboard@gmail.com or
call (02) 8 241 3494 to 98 loc. 123

You may look for Ensign Clarizza Blong or Ensign Ivy Cadalo or Ensign Nathaniel España

Deadline for Application
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Date of Examination
10 May 2020

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Take the NAMRIA Competitive Examination for Probationary Ensigns on May 10, 2020
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BENEFITS

- Job security
- Base pay of P 38,366.00 upon entry
- Allowances: Sea Duty Pay, Subsistence Allowance, Quarters Allowance, PERA, Officers Allowance, Provisional Allowance, etc.
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