



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
MARITIME INDUSTRY AUTHORITY

**TO: All Concerned Seafarers, Maritime Training Institutions and Assessment Centers**

**SUBJECT : PROCESSING OF APPLICATIONS FOR CERTIFICATES OF ACCREDITATION AS INSTRUCTORS, TRAINING COURSE ASSESSORS AND COMPETENCY ASSESSORS THROUGH THE MARINA BLOCKCHAIN-ENABLED AUTOMATED CERTIFICATION SYSTEM (MARINA BEST)**

Dear All:

Please be informed that **STARTING 06 JANUARY 2025** all applications for Certificate of Accreditation for Instructors, Training Course Assessors and Competency Assessors, shall be filed and processed through the MARINA BEST System.

**Applications (via walk-in or e-mail) submitted before 06 January 2024** will be processed and issued under the previous procedure and will be issued with actual Certificate of Accreditation (COA), to be released by the MARINA Office where the application was submitted and processed.

For reference, instruction and guidance on how to use and navigate the system, please refer to the QR Code below.



For clarifications and concerns, please notify us through the following:

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➤ ***For issues and concerns on the use of the MARINA-BEST System***

Link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScWKCcr0kdnYa2wQHsbsjHVykPPdjR5ayPPxOW1e4XeaqMLLKQ/viewform?usp=pp\\_url](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScWKCcr0kdnYa2wQHsbsjHVykPPdjR5ayPPxOW1e4XeaqMLLKQ/viewform?usp=pp_url)

For information and guidance.



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