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Highlights

1. Price bracket for concession on aviation services

On 30 June 2022, the Minister of Transport issued Circular No.13/2022/TT-BGTVT on price bracket for concessions on air services.

Accordingly, the price bracket for concession on aviation services is regulated as follows:

- (a) Concession on the right to operate international passenger terminals: From 15% - 24%;
- (b) Concession on the right to operate goods terminals and warehouses: From 1.5% - 4.5%;
- (c) Concession on the right to exploit commercial ground engineering services: From 1.5% - 4.5%;
- (d) Concession on the right to operate, repair and maintain aviation facilities and equipment: From 1% - 3%;
- (e) Concession on the right to operate aeronautical techniques: From 1% - 3%;
- (f) Concession on the right to provide airline meals: VND 75,000/flight - VND 225,000/flight;
- (g) Concession on the right to supply aviation oil and gasoline: VND28,000/ton - VND84,000/ton.

This Circular shall take effect on 1 September 2022.

2. Additional process for changing the location of the commercial bank's headquarters

That is one of the new contents in Circular No. 06/2022/TT-NHNN dated 30 June 2022 (“Circular 06”), amending Circular 50/2018/TT-NHNN on the order of and procedures for approval for a number of changes for commercial banks and foreign banks’ branches.

Accordingly, for a change of head office location, in addition to procedures for approval and change of licenses, Circular 06 has provided for an additional step of checking and assessing the expected location of headquarters.

- (a) The Banking Inspection and Supervision Agency shall be responsible: Within 03 working days from the date of receipt of the written request for change of the head office location, to request the State Bank branch of the province or centrally-run city where the headquarters shall be located to check whether the conditions are met.
- (b) The said State Bank branch shall be responsible: Within 07 working days from the date of receipt of the written request from the Inspection

and Supervision Agency, to check whether the conditions are fully satisfactory and give written opinion to the Banking Inspection and Supervision Agency.

The application for change of the head office location in the License submitted before 15 August 2022 will be handled according to the laws at the time of application.

This Circular shall take effect on 15 August 2022.

3. A contract on the Bid invitation documents according to the EVFTA

On 30 June 2022, the Minister of Planning and Investment issued Circular No. 15/2022/TT-BKHDT, detailing the preparation of construction and installation bid invitation documents for bidding packages within the scope of application of CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA.

Accordingly, a contract on the Bid invitation documents under the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA must be as follows:

- (a) Bid invitation documents must include: Contract template and detailed regulations on its terms and conditions for the contractor to use as the basis for bidding and for the parties to negotiate, finalize and execute the contract.
- (b) The contract includes:
 - (i) General Conditions;
 - (ii) Specific Conditions;
 - (iii) Contract template.

Depending on the size and nature of each bidding package, the investor may decide to amend accordingly.

Where necessary, the investor can apply the construction contract templates issued by the International Association of Consulting Engineers (FIDIC) but not contrary to domestic laws.

- (c) The contract executed between the investor and the contractor must be made according to the Contract Template;

The contract conditions specified in the bid invitation documents and the amendments proposed by the contractor shall be approved by the investor during the course of contract negotiations and finalization, provided that they are not inconsistent with:

- (i) Provisions of the laws on bidding;
- (ii) Provisions of CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA;
- (iii) Other provisions of the relevant laws.

This Circular shall take effect on 25 August 2022.

4. Instructions for handling bidding packages under the CPTPP Agreement which have opened bids before 25 August 2022

On 30 June 2022, the Minister of Planning and Investment issued Circular No. 12/2022/TT-BKHDT, detailing the preparation of goods procurement bid invitation documents for bidding packages within the scope of application of the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA (“Circular 12”).

Accordingly, for bidding packages within the scope of application of the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA, bids opened before the effective date of Circular 12 (25 August 2022): Evaluation of bidding documents and approval of the bid winning must comply with the provisions stated in the bid invitation documents but must ensure that it is not contrary to the provisions of the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA.

In addition, for the bidding packages within the scope of application of the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA, documents have been approved and released before 25 August 2022, but the bid closing date is after 25 August 2022 and it is not yet time to close the bid:

- (a) In the case where the contents are not satisfactory with or contrary to the instructions stated in the Bid Invitation Dossier accompanying Circular 12, they must be amended accordingly.
- (b) In case of amendment of bid invitation documents after issuance, the investor, the bid solicitor shall give the bidders a reasonable period of time to allow the bidders to prepare their bidding documents accordingly.

Bidding packages covered by the CPTPP Agreement, EVFTA, and UKVFTA whose bid invitation documents have been approved before 25 August 2022 but the bid invitation documents have not yet been issued, must be amended according to the Bid Invitation Dossier accompanying Circular 12.

This Circular shall take effect on 25 August 2022 and replaces Circular No.09/2020/TT-BKHDT dated 27 November 2020.

5. List of potentially unsafe goods managed by the Ministry of Transport

This is the content of Circular No. 12/2022/TT-BGTVT dated 30 June 2022, providing for the list of products and goods having risk of unsafety under the State management responsibility of the Ministry of Transport (“Circular 12”).

Accordingly, the list of products and goods that must be certified before customs clearance (for import) and before being placed on market (for production and assembly) according to Appendix I includes:

- (a) Products and goods in the field of road transport, including:
- (i) Automobiles, trailers and semi-trailers, for example: Tractor trucks (used to pull semi-trailers); Passenger cars (10 or more seats, including drivers); Concrete mixer truck; etc.
 - (ii) Motorcycles (including sidecars); Motorized bicycles; Electric Bicycles; Motor bikes.
 - (iii) Special-use motorcycles.
 - Wheel cranes (wheel cranes) - having cockpit and control room with different working mechanisms;
 - Wheel crane vehicle (wheel crane) - having cockpit and control room with the same working mechanisms.

[Currently, according to Circular 41/2018/TT-BGTVT dated 30 July 2018 (“**Circular 41**”), special-use vehicles include: Forklift; Bulldozers (bulldozers); Excavator (excavating machine; Dredger (Dredging machine); Tractor Loader Backhoe (TLB) (TLB machine), Vibrating roller; Other rollers; Drilling truck (drilling machine)].

- (b) Products and goods of the railway sector, including:
- (i) Diesel locomotives;
 - (ii) Passenger wagons, not self-propelled; Public service wagons, power generation.

See detailed list in Circular 12, which shall take effect on 15 August 2022, replacing Circular 41.

6. Data on tax upon transfer of off-plan property

On June 29, 2022, the Government of Vietnam promulgated Decree No. 44/2022/ND-CP on development, management and use of the system of information on housing and real estate market (“Decree 44”).

According to the new Decree, data about tax upon transfer of some properties prescribed in Points a, b and c, Clause 3, Article 12 of Decree No. 44 include:

- (a) Total collected tax on transfer of property.
- (b) Total transaction of transfer, purchase, and sale of property in an area.
- (c) Total value of transfer, purchase, and sale of property in an area.

In particular, the types of property prescribed in Points a, b and c, Clause 3, Article 12 of Decree 44 (provisions on data of off-plan property) includes:

- (a) Detached houses (villas, semi-detached houses).
- (b) Condominiums/Apartments for living.
- (c) Land for construction of homes (as plots and sale of plots).

This Decree shall come into force on 15 August 2022 and replaces Decree No. 117/2015/ND-CP dated 12 November 2015.

7. Amended regulations of Vietnam on issuance of invoices when Value-Added Tax is reduced to 8%

On 20 June 2022, the Government of Vietnam promulgated Decree No. 41/2022/ND-CP on Amendments to Decree No. 123/2020/ND-CP on invoices and records and Decree No. 15/2022/ND-CP on the policy on Value-Added Tax (VAT) reduction from 10% to 8%.

According to the new Decree, the amendments to regulations on issuance of invoices when the VAT is reduced to 8% are as follows:

- (a) With respect to business entities paying VAT by the credit-invoice method with different tax rates, their value-added invoices must state the tax rates of each commodity and service.
- (b) With respect to business entities paying VAT by the direct method (as a percentage (%) of revenue), their invoices must state the reduced amount as prescribed.

Additionally, from 1 February 2022 to 20 June 2022, business entities which have followed the mentioned regulations are still eligible for VAT reduction and exemption without invoice amendment required and are not fined for it.

This Decree shall come into force on 20 June 2022.

8. Five types of Insurance Policies according to the Law on Insurance Business 2022

This is the notable content in the Law on Insurance Business 2022, approved at the 3rd meeting of the 15th National Assembly of Vietnam on 16 June 2022.

According to the Law on Insurance Business 2022, there are 5 types of Insurance Policies:

- (a) Life insurance policy;
- (b) Health insurance policy;
- (c) Property insurance policy;
- (d) Damage and loss insurance policy;
- (e) Liability insurance policy.

Among them, property insurance policies, damage and loss insurance policies, and liability insurance policies are non-life insurance.

Therefore, compared to the current regulations, the Types of Insurance Policies have been expanded by the Law on Insurance Business 2022 as the Law on Insurance Business 2000 only stipulates:

- (a) Personal lines insurance policies;
- (b) Property insurance policies;

- (c) Civil liability insurance policies.

Maritime Insurance Policies shall comply with the Maritime Code; contents that are not specified in the Maritime Code shall follow regulations of the Law on Insurance Business 2022.

The Law on Insurance Business 2022 shall come into force on 1 January 2023, except for Clause 3 Article 86, Clause 4 and Clause 5 Article 94, Article 95, Clause 3, and Clause 4 Article 99, Articles 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, and 116 of the Law, which will come into force on 1 January 2028.

9. **New about co-authors in Law 2022 amending the Intellectual Property Law**

On 16 June 2022, the National Assembly passed the Law amending the Law on Intellectual Property at its 3rd session of XV Legislature.

Accordingly, the Law 2022 amending the Law on Intellectual Property provides for authors and co-authors as follows:

- (a) The author is the person who directly created the work.

Where two or more people directly co-create a work with the intention that their contributions are combined into a complete whole, those persons are co-authors.

(Currently, according to Decree No. 22/2018/ND-CP dated 23 February 2018, co-authors are authors who jointly create a part or the whole of literary, artistic and scientific works).

- (b) The person who supports, gives suggestions or provides materials for other people to create works is not the author or co-author.
- (c) The exercise of moral and property rights in/to a work with co-authors must be agreed upon by the co-authors, unless the work has a separate part that can be separated for independent use without the consent of the co-authors and without prejudice to the part of other co-authors or otherwise provided by law.

This Law shall take effect on 1 January 2023.

10. **Simplification of application dossiers for issuance of inland water transport licenses**

On 16 June 2022, the Minister of Transport promulgated Circular No. 08/2022/TT-BGTVT, amending Circulars related to business operations in the field of maritime (“Circular 08”).

According to the new Circular, an application for issuance of an inland water transport license for transport of passengers and luggage from cruise ships to the mainland comprises:

- (a) The application form as defined in Appendix I accompanying Circular No. 50/2016/TT-BGTVT dated 30 December 2016 (“**Circular 50**”);
- (b) 1 copy of the certificate of sea-going vessel registration;
- (c) 1 sea-going vessel’s inspection dossier, including the copies of the certificates of technical safety and environment protection for sea-going vessel as prescribed in the Circular No. 55/2019/TT-BGTVT dated 31 December 2019;
- (d) 1 copy of the original or a copy and the original for countercheck or a legal electronic copy issued by the competent authority of one of the following documents:
 - (i) Agent contract; or
 - (ii) Foreign ship owner’s representative agent appointment letter (in case where the organizational applicant is a foreign ship owner’s representative agent);
- (e) A detailed plan on the transport of passengers and luggage between cruise ships and the mainland.

Circular 50 currently provides that there must be a notarized copy of the agent contract or a certified copy of the foreign ship owner’s representative agent appointment letter.

Circular 08 also provides that electronic copies of agent contracts or foreign ship owner’s representative agent appointment letters may be used instead of physical copies.

This Circular shall come into force on 16 June 2022.

11. Guidance on annual overtime hours

This is the content of Official Dispatch No. 4359/TLD-QHLD issued by Vietnam General Confederation of Labour on 16 June 2022, providing guidelines for implementation of Resolution No. 17/2022/UBTVQH15 (“Resolution 17”) on overtime hours.

Accordingly, to implement Resolution 17, Vietnam General Confederation of Labour directs affiliated Unions together with relevant agencies to note the following contents:

- (a) Cases where employers may assign their employees to work overtime of up to 300 hours/year are specified in Clause 1, Article 1 of Resolution 17 and Clause 3, Article 107 of the Labour Code 2019 (“**Labour Code**”);
- (b) All of the cases eligible for overtime work of up to 300 hours/year may apply the overtime hour of 40 to 60 hours/month as of 1 April 2022;
- (c) Enterprises that organize overtime work of 200 to 300 hours/year shall notify it to the Department of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs

as prescribed in Clause 4, Article 107 of the Labour Code and Article 62 of Decree No. 145/2020/ND-CP dated 14 December 2020;

- (d) The overtime limits prescribed in Resolution 17 shall apply until the end of 31 December 2022, unless extension is approved by the National Assembly.

12. Application roadmap for online investor selection

On 15 June 2022, the Ministry of Planning and Investment issued Circular No. 10/2022/TT-BKHĐT, providing guidelines for provision and posting of information and investor selection on the national bidding network system, in which a road map for applying online investor selection is stipulated.

Ministries, ministerial-level agencies, Governmental agencies, People's Committees of provinces and centrally-run cities organize online investor selection according to the following schedule:

- (a) From 1 June 2023, the provision and posting of information for projects subject to bidding according to specialized laws and laws on socialization shall be conducted on the System.
- (b) From 15 August 2023, the issuance of E-KSQT, E-HSMST, E-YCSBNLKN and submission of E-HSQT, E-HSDST, and E-Proposals for PPP projects and investment projects using land is conducted on the System.

In there:

- (i) E-KSQT is a notice surveying the interest of PPP project investors;
- (ii) E-HSMST is an online invitation for PPP project prequalification;
- (iii) E-YCSBNLKN is an online preliminary requirement for capacity and experience in investment projects using land;
- (iv) E-HSMT is an online dossier of interest in implementing a PPP project;
- (v) E-HSDST is an online application for PPP project prequalification;
- (vi) The E-Proposal is an online application for registration of implementation of an investment project using land.

This Circular shall take effect on 1 August 2022.

13. Statutory minimum wages applied from 1 July 2022

On 12 June 2022, the Government promulgated Decree No. 38/2022/ND-CP on statutory minimum wages paid to employees working under employment contracts (“Decree 38”) to be applied from 1 July 2022.

Specifically, monthly and hourly minimum wages paid to employees working under employment contracts in 4 regions are as follows:

- (a) Monthly minimum wages:
- (i) Region I: VND4,680,000 per month.
 - (ii) Region II: VND4,160,000 per month.
 - (iii) Region III: VND3,640,000 per month.
 - (iv) Region IV: VND3,250,000 per month.
- (Increased by 6% compared to the current minimum wages).
- (b) Hourly minimum wages:
- (i) Region I: VND22,500 per hour;
 - (ii) Region II: VND20,000 per hour;
 - (iii) Region III: VND17,500 per hour;
 - (iv) Region IV: VND15,600 per hour;
- (These are new regulations)

Notes:

- The list of sub-regions of regions I, II, III and IV is included in the Appendix accompanying Decree 38.
- The sub-regions are also determined according to operating locations of employers as prescribed in Clause 3, Article 3 of Decree 38.

This Decree shall come into force on 1 July 2022 and replaces Decree No. 90/2019/ND-CP dated 15 November 2019.

14. Charter capital to be maintained by credit institutions by 2025

On 8 June 2022, the Government promulgated Decision No. 689/QĐ-TTg, approving Project "Restructuring of the system of credit institutions along with settlement of bad debts in the period of 2021-2025".

According to the new Decision, credit institutions (CIs) must have measures to maintain their charter capital by 2025 as follows:

- (a) For operating CIs (excluding commercial banks (CBs), financial companies (FCs) and finance leasing companies (FLCs)) which are weak/ under special control/undergoing restructuring plans approved by the competent authorities):
- (i) For CBs:
 - Groups of local CBs that have financial potential, competitive capacity and large scale: minimum charter capital is VND 15,000 billion;
 - Groups of local CBs that have financial potential, competitive capacity, small and medium scale and foreign investment: minimum charter capital is VND 5,000 billion;

- (ii) For FCs: minimum charter capital is VND 750 billion;
- (iii) For FLCs: minimum charter capital is VND 450 billion.
- (b) For CBs, FCs and FLCs that are weak/ under special control/undergoing restructuring plans approved by competent authorities: capital raising plans must be approved by competent authorities.

This Decision came into force from the day on which it is signed.

15. List of Vietnam's exported or imported goods

On 8 June 2022, the Minister of Finance issued Circular No.31/2022/TT-BTC on the list of exported or imported goods of Vietnam (“Circular 31”).

Accordingly, the list of exported or imported goods of Vietnam is specified in Appendix I accompanying Circular 31.

The list of Vietnam's exported or imported goods is used to:

- (a) Developing Tariffs applicable to exported or imported goods.
- (b) Developing lists of goods for the State management in accordance with the Government's regulations and the provisions of Clause 4, Article 26 of the Customs Law.
- (c) National statistics on exported or imported goods.
- (d) Serving the State management of export and import of goods and other fields.

This Circular shall take effect on 1 December 2022 and replaces Circular No. 65/2017/TT-BTC dated 27 June 2017 and Circular No. 09/2019/TT-BTC dated 15 February 2019.

16. Deadlines for issuance of C/O's old Form D

On 1 June 2022, the Minister of Industry and Trade of Vietnam promulgated Circular No. 10/2022/TT-BCT, amending the Circulars on implementing rules of origin of products under the ASEAN Trade in Goods Agreement (ATIGA) (“Circular 10”), including regulations on deadlines for issuance of C/O's old form D.

According to the new Circular, the C/O's Form D as prescribed in Appendix II accompanying Circular No. 19/2020/TT-BCT dated 14 August 2020 of the Ministry of Industry and Trade (“Circular 19”) (old form) shall be used until the end of 31 October 2022.

This C/O's Form D have been permitted by Vietnam customs authority within the period prescribed in Article 15 of Appendix I accompanying Circular 19.

The General Department of Customs of Vietnam had previously promulgated Official Dispatch No. 1683/TCHQ-GSQL dated 12 May 2022 on deadlines for conversion to C/O's new Form D, whereby guidelines for C/O's Form D (including C/O transferred through the national single window system (electronic C/O) and physical C/O) are as follows:

- (a) For C/O issued within the transitory period from 1 May 2022 to the end of 31 October 2022, the customs authority shall permit both C/O's old Form D and C/O's new Form D.
- (b) For C/O's Form D issued from 1 November 2022, the customs authority shall only permit C/O's new Form D.

This Circular shall come into force on 16 July 2022.

17. Promulgation of Product specific rules (HS 2017) according to the VKFTA

On 1 June 2022, the Minister of Industry and Trade promulgated Circular No. 09/2022/TT-BCT, amending Circular No. 40/2015/TT-BCT on implementing Rules of origin under the Vietnam - Korea Free Trade Agreement (VKFTA).

Accordingly, the Product specific rules, which have been formulated on the basis of the Harmonized system (HS 2017), are provided in the Appendix accompanying Circular 09 and replace those, which have been formulated on the basis of the Harmonized system (HS 2012) and provided in Appendix II accompanying Circular No. 40/2015/TT-BCT dated 18 November 2015 (“Circular 40”).

In the case where there is any difference between descriptions of this Appendix to Circular 09 and those of legal documents of the Harmonized system developed by the World Customs Organization (WCO), those of the Harmonized system of the WCO shall be applied.

The specific rule, or specific set of rules, which applies to a particular heading or subheading is provided immediately after that heading or subheading.

Where a product is opted to comply with a selected product specific rule, it must comply with that selected rule.

For more details, see contents of the Product specific rules accompanying Circular 09, which shall come into force on 1 August 2022.

Other sectors:

Finance

- Consolidated Document No. 12/VBHN-BTC dated 10 June 2022 of the Ministry of Finance, combining Decrees regulating the rearrangement and disposition of public properties.
- Decision No. 1225/QD-BTC dated 22 June 2022 of the Ministry of Finance, publishing the cancelled administrative procedures in the fields of debt management and external finance under the management function of the Ministry of Finance.
- Decision No. 1224/QD-BTC dated 22 June 2022 of the Ministry of Finance, publishing the List of annual reports in the fields of debt management and external finance under the management function of the Ministry of Finance.
- Circular No. 40/2022/TT-BTC dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance on judicial expertise in the field of finance.
- Circular No. 37/2022/TT-BTC dated 22 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, amending Clause 9, Article 3 and Form 01 accompanying Circular No.109/2016/TT-BTC, on making estimates, managing, using and finalizing expenditures for conducting statistical surveys and National general statistical surveys.
- Circular No. 34/2022/TT-BTC dated 10 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, cancelling Decision No. 83/2005/QD-BTC on the Criteria for Directors of the Departments of Finance directly under the People's Committees of provinces and centrally-run cities.

Banking

- Decision No. 1032/QD-NHNN dated 15 June 2022 of the State Bank of Vietnam, publishing new administrative procedures in the field of credit activities carried out at the single-window service counter within the scope of management functions of the State Bank of Vietnam.
- Circular No. 08/2022/TT-NHNN dated 30 June 2022 of the Governor of the State Bank of Vietnam, providing for the order of and procedures for bank supervision.
- Circular No. 05/2022/TT-NHNN dated 29 June 2022 of the Governor of the State Bank of Vietnam, cancelling the legal documents.
- Circular No. 04/2022/TT-NHNN dated 16 June 2022 of the Governor of the State Bank of Vietnam, regulating the application of interest rate to premature

withdrawal of savings deposited at credit institutions and foreign banks' branches.

Trade

- Decision No. 687/QD-TTg dated 7 June 2022 of the Prime Minister, approving the Scheme on Circular economic development in Vietnam.
- Circular No. 11/2022/TT-BCT dated 27 June 2022 of the Minister of Industry and Trade, providing for allocation of the import quota of sugar by auction.

Labour

- Consolidated Document No. 2092/VBHN-BLDTBXH dated 20 June 2022, combining Decrees on conducting pilot management of labouring, salaries and bonuses of the State-owned economic groups and corporations.
- Decision No. 1973/QD-UBND dated 10 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, approving internal process for administrative procedures within the scope of management functions of the Department of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs of Ho Chi Minh City.
- Decision No. 470/QD-LDTBXH dated 3 June 2022 of the Minister of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs, publishing administrative procedures within the scope of the State management functions of the Ministry of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs in the field of prevention of and dealing with social evils.
- Circular No. 11/2022/TT-BLDTBXH dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs, providing guidelines for implementing sustainable employment assistance under the State's Target Program on sustainable poverty reduction for the 2021-2025 period.

Health

- Decision No. 1803/QD-BYT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, providing guidelines for diagnosis, treatment and prevention of dermatitis caused by larva of dog/cat's hookworm in humans.
- Decision No. 1743/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for title of doctor.
- Decision No. 1736/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of nutrition.
- Decision No. 1735/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of public health.

- Decision No. 1734/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of pharmacy.
- Decision No. 1733/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of medical technician.
- Decision No. 1732/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of midwifery.
- Decision No. 1731/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional titles of nursing.
- Decision No. 1707/QD-BYT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on the Training Program according to the criteria for professional title of doctor of preventive medicine.
- Decision No. 1658/QD-BYT dated 24 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, providing Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of dog tapeworm infection in humans.
- Decision No. 1636/QD-BYT dated 24 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment and prevention of giant intestinal flukes.
- Decision No. 28/2022/QD-UBND dated 24 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, on assignment and decentralization of food safety management in Hanoi.
- Decision No. 29/2022/QD-UBND dated 24 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, on the tasks, objectives, power, and organizational structure of the Department of Health of Hanoi.
- Decision No. 1574/QD-BYT dated 17 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of gnathostoma spinigerum.
- Decision No. 1573/QD-BYT dated 17 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of lung fluke disease.
- Decision No. 1572/QD-BYT dated 17 June 2022 of the Minister of Health, on Guidelines for diagnosis, treatment and prevention of small intestinal fluke disease.

Science - Technology

- Law 2022 amending the Law on Intellectual Property.
- Decision No. 726/QD-TTg dated 16 June 2022 of the Prime Minister, approving the Strategy on the development of Vietnam's chemical industry up to 2030, with an orientation to 2040.
- Decision No. 975/QD-BKHCHN dated 10 June 2022 of the Minister of Science and

Technology, on Scientific research and technology development investigation in 2022.

- Decision No. 935/QD-BKHCH dated 7 June 2022 of the Minister of Science and Technology, publishing the list of periodical reports under the State management of the Ministry of Science and Technology.
- Decision No. 908/QD-BKHCH dated 3 June 2022 of the Minister of Science and Technology, publishing replaced administrative procedures in the field of scientific and technological activities within the scope of management functions of the Ministry of Science and Technology.

Information - Communications

- Decree No. 42/2022/ND-CP dated 24 June 2022 regulating the provision of online public information and services by the State agencies on the network environment.
- Consolidated Document No. 06/VBHN-BTTTT dated 7 June 2022 of the Ministry of Information and Communications, combining Decrees providing guidelines for the Law on Posts.
- Decision No. 1137/QD-BTTTT dated 23 June 2022 of the Ministry of Information and Communications, approving the Plan of the Ministry of Information and Communications to promote the development and use of National digital map platform.
- Decision No. 2089/QD-UBND dated 21 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, publishing the list of administrative procedures in the postal sector within the scope of management functions of the Department of Information and Communications of Ho Chi Minh City.
- Circular No. 08/2022/TT-BTTTT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Information and Communications, providing for codes and standards of professional titles and salary levels for public servants specialized in information technology and information security.
- Circular No. 07/2022/TT-BTTTT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Information and Communications, amending Circular No. 46/2017/TT-BTTTT providing for standards for professional titles of public servants being announcer, broadcaster, film editor and videography technician specialized in Information and Communication sector.
- Circular No. 04/2022/TT-BTTTT dated 22 June 2022 of the Minister of Information and Communications, on statistical reporting of the Information and Communications industry.

- Circular No. 03/2022/TT-BTTTT dated 22 June 2022 of the Minister of Information and Communications, on the System of statistical indicators of the Information and Communications industry.
- Circular No. 32/2022/TT-BTC dated 9 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, amending Circular No. 273/2016/TT-BTC providing for the collection rates, exemption, and mechanism on collection, payment, management and use of telecommunications operation rights charges and fees for granting telecommunications service business licenses and telecommunications professional operation licenses.

Education

- Consolidated Document No. 2021/VBHN-BLDTBXH dated 16 June 2022 of the Ministry of Labour, War Invalids and Social Affairs, combining Decrees on conditions for investment and operation in the field of vocational education.
- Circular No. 09/2022/TT-BGDDT dated 6 June 2022 of the Minister of Education and Training, on the List of statistics of training specialities of higher education.
- Circular No. 08/2022/TT-BGDDT dated 6 June 2022 of Minister of Education and Training, on the Regulation on admission for undergraduate programs in early childhood education sector.

Culture - Sports - Tourism

- Law of Cinematography 2022.
- Circular No. 39/2022/TT-BTC dated 24 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, on business of prize-winning electronic games for foreigners.

Transport

- Decision No. 2122/QD-UBND dated 22 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, approving the internal process of handling administrative procedures within the scope of management function of the Department of Transport of Ho Chi Minh City.
- Decision No. 1036/QD-BKHCHN dated 20 June 2022 of the Minister of Science and Technology, on cancelling the National technical regulation on hot mix Asphalt pavement.
- Decision No. 2059/QD-UBND dated 17 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, on publication of administrative procedures in the field of road

within the scope of management function of the Department of Transport of Ho Chi Minh City.

- Decision No. 27/2022/QĐ-UBND dated 17 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, cancelling Decision No. 47/2008/QĐ-UBND and No. 48/2008/QĐ-UBND.
- Decision No. 759/QĐ-BGTVT dated 16 June 2022 of the Minister of Transport, publishing amended administrative procedures in the maritime field within the scope of management functions of the Ministry of Transport.
- Decision No. 19/2022/QĐ-UBND dated 6 October of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, amending Decision No. 15/2021/QĐ-UBND on management of waterway tourism transportation activities in Ho Chi Minh City.
- Decision No. 2506/QĐ-TCĐBVN dated 9 June 2022 of the General Director of Directorate for Road of Vietnam, publishing Basic standards on survey and design of road embankment foundation on soft ground.
- Decision No. 699/QĐ-BGTVT dated 2 June 2022 of the Ministry of Transport, publishing amended administrative procedures in the railroad sector within the scope of management functions of the Ministry of Transport.
- Circular No. 15/2022/TT-BGTVT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Transport, on amendments to the 1:2022 QCVN 89:2015/BGTVT National technical regulation on inland waterway ships' new building, conversion, repair, and reconstruction manufacturers.
- Circular No. 11/2022/TT-BGTVT dated 29 June 2022 of the Minister of Transport, on amendments to the set of rules and regulations on Civil aviation safety in the field of aircraft and operation of aircraft.
- Circular No. 10/2022/TT-BGTVT dated 23 June 2022 of the Minister of Transport, amending Circular No. 29/2018/TT-BGTVT providing for quality inspection, technical safety, and environmental protection of the means of railway transportation.
- Circular No. 09/2022/TT-BGTVT dated 22 June 2022 of the Minister of Transport, providing guidelines for contents on methods and criteria for evaluating bidding documents for investor selection under the public-private partnership model and the form of a build-operate-transfer contract in the Transport industry.
- Consolidated Document No. 24/VBHN-BGTVT dated 20 June 2022, combining Circulars providing guidelines for the Agreement and the Protocol implementing the Road Transport Agreement between Vietnam and Cambodia promulgated by the Minister of Transport.

- Consolidated Document No. 23/VBHN-BGTVT dated 17 June 2022, combining Circulars providing guidelines for implementation of some articles of the Agreement and the Protocol implementing the Agreement on facilitation for road motor vehicles to cross the border between Vietnam and Laos promulgated by the Minister of Transport.
- Consolidated Document No. 22/VBHN-BGTVT dated 16 June 2022, combining Circulars providing guidelines for implementation of some articles of the Agreement on Facilitation of the Movement of Goods and Persons Across Borders of the Greater Mekong sub-region promulgated by the Minister of Transport.
- Consolidated Document No. 21/VBHN-BGTVT dated 16 June 2022, combining Circulars providing for management and provision of flying activities promulgated by the Minister of Transport.
- Circular No. 36/2022/TT-BTC dated 16 June 2022 of Minister of Transport, on amendments to Circular No. 199/2016/TT-BTC providing for collection rates and mechanism on collection, submission and management of fees for granting of quality and technical safety satisfaction certificates for machinery, equipment and means of transport subject to strict safety requirements.
- Circular No. 35/2022/TT-BTC dated 16 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, providing for the mechanism on management and depreciation of road infrastructure structures as fixed assets.
- Consolidated Document No. 19/VBHN-BGTVT dated 9 June 2022, combining Circular providing for driver training, driving tests and issuance of licenses for driving road motor vehicles promulgated by the Minister of Transport.
- Consolidated Document No. 18/VBHN-BGTVT dated 7 June 2022, combining Circulars providing for operation and management of automobile transport and services auxiliary to road transportation promulgated by the Minister of Transport.

Construction - Real Estate

- Decree No. 43/2022/ND-CP on management, use, and exploitation of clean water supply infrastructure assets.
- Decision No. 1014/QD-BTTTT dated 2 June 2020 of the Minister of Information and Communications, approving the Scheme on ensuring information safety for smart cities in the 2022-2025 period.
- Decision No. 26/2022/QD-UBND dated 14 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, amending the Regulations accompanying Decision No.12/2017/QD-UBND and replacing Decision No. 24/2018/QD-UBND.

- Circular No. 38/2022/TT-BTC dated 24 June 2022 of the Minister of Finance, providing for collection rates and mechanism on collection and submission of fees for granting of construction permits and practising certificates for architects.

Natural Resources - Environment

- Consolidated Document No. 17/VBHN-BTNMT dated 20 June 2022 of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, combining Decrees on sanctioning administrative violations on the field of hydrometeorology.
- Consolidated Document No. 16/VBHN-BTNMT dated 9 June 2022 of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, combining Decrees on sanctioning administrative violations in the field of topography and cartography.
- Consolidated Document No. 15/VBHN-BTNMT dated 7 June 2022 of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, combining Decrees providing guidelines for the Law on Topographic and Cartographic.
- Decree No. 37/2022/ND-CP dated 6 June 2022, on amendments to Decrees on sanctioning administrative violations in the fields of national defense and cryptography; management and protection of the national borders; on territorial waters, islands and continental shelf of Vietnam.
- Decision No. 1310/QD-BTNMT dated 17 June 2022 of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment, publishing cancelled administrative procedures in the field of geology and minerals within the scope of management functions of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.
- Decision No. 721/QD-TTg dated 16 June 2022 of the Government, approving plan of simplifying the business-related regulations within the scope of the State management functions of the Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.
- Decision No. 1250/QD-BTNMT dated 9 June 2022 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, on Plan to carry out Resolution No. 04/NQ-CP on promoting hierarchical classification and decentralization of the State management.
- Decision No. 1838/QD-UBND dated 1 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, publishing the List of new administrative procedures; list of amended administrative procedures list; list of replaced administrative procedures; and list of cancelled administrative procedures in the field of Minerals, Water resources, Hydrometeorology, Cartography, and Remote Sensing under the management authority of the Department of Natural Resources and Environment of Hanoi; district-level People's Committees in Hanoi city and agencies connected with the

Ministry of Natural Resources and Environment.

- Circular No. 07/2022/TT-BTNMT dated 30 June 2020 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, promulgating the National technical regulation on national fundamental geographical database at scales 1:50.000 and 1:100.000.
- Circular No. 06/2022/TT-BTNMT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, promulgating the National technical regulation on national topographic maps at scales 1:50.000 and 1:100.000.
- Circular No. 05/2022/TT-BTNMT dated 30 June 2022 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, on economic-technical norms for building and updating the national remote sensing database.
- Consolidated Document No. 05/VBHN-BYT dated 6 June 2022 of the Ministry of Health, on the National technical regulation and Regulations on inspecting and supervising the quality of domestic clean water.
- Circular No. 04/2022/TT-BTNMT dated 3 June 2022 of the Minister of Natural Resources and Environment, on the Regulations on inspecting, controlling, and evaluating the quality of aerial hydrometeorological documents, weather radars, ozone, and ultraviolet radiation.

Administration - Judiciary

- Law on Mobile Police 2022.
- Law on Emulation and Commendation 2022.
- Decree No. 40/2022/ND-CP dated 20 June 2022, on amendments to Resolution No. 144/2016/ND-CP, providing for a number specific mechanism relating to investment, finance, budget and management decentralization of Da Nang City.
- Decree No. 39/2022/ND-CP dated 18 June 2022, on Working Regulation of the Government.
- Decision No. 1428/QD-BTP dated 27 June 2022 of the Ministry of Justice, promulgating the Regulation on handling complaints, denunciations, and claims and petitions containing complaint and denunciation contents at the Ministry of Justice.
- Decision No. 1401/QD-BTP dated 21 June 2022, publishing amended administrative procedures in the field of lawyers within the scope of management functions of the Ministry of Justice.
- Decision No. 2104/QD-UBND dated 21 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, publishing the list of administrative procedures in the field of Legal aid within the scope of management function of the Department of Justice of

Ho Chi Minh City.

- Decision No. 20/2022/QD-UBND dated 20 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, promulgating the Regulation on inter-sectoral coordination in handling registration of domestic adoptions and adoptions with foreign elements in Ho Chi Minh City.
- Decision No. 21/2022/QD-UBND dated 20 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, on cancellation of legal documents issued by Ho Chi Minh City.
- Decision No. 2058/QD-UBND dated 17 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Ho Chi Minh City, publishing the list of administrative procedures in the field of anti-corruption within the scope of management functions of the Inspectorate of Ho Chi Minh City.
- Circular No. 04/2022/TT-BTP dated 21 June 2022 of the Minister of Justice, providing guidelines for the Management Board and standards and conditions for appointment and dismissal of members of the Management Board in public non-business professional units in the Justice industry.

Agriculture - Forestry - Fisheries

- Decision No. 2370/QD-BNN-PC dated 27 June 2022 of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development, publishing the list of still valid legal documents in the fields under the State management of the Ministry of Agriculture and Rural Development by the end of 31 May 2022.
- Circular No. 03/2022/TT-BNNPTNT dated 16 June 2022 of the Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development, on amendments to Circular No.05/2018/TT-BNNPTNT, providing guidelines for the Law on Irrigation.

Investment

- Decision No. 1120/QD-BKHDT dated 15 June 2022 of the Minister of Planning and Investment, on the functions, tasks, powers and organizational structure of the Southern Investment Promotion Centre.
- Decision No. 1119/QD-BKHDT dated 15 June 2022 of the Minister of Planning and Investment, on the functions, tasks, powers and organizational structure of the Northern Investment Promotion Centre.
- Decision No. 1100/QD-BKHDT dated 14 June 2022 of the Ministry of Planning and Investment, promulgating the Regulation on organization and operation of the Division of receiving and returning results of administrative procedures at the

Ministry of Planning and Investment.

Miscellaneous

- Law on Insurance Business 2022.
- Decision No. 24/2022/QD-UBND dated 3 June 2022 of the People's Committee of Hanoi, amending the Regulations on auction of land use rights for land allocation with collection of land use levy or land lease in Hanoi City accompanying Decision No. 27/2020/QD-UBND.

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