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Subject: Queries on the October 2017 CPA Licensure Examination

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Per decision of the Board, the following are the replies to the queries received on matters pertaining to the October 2017 CPA Licensure Examination:

- 1. Can medical apparatuses and devices, such as inhalers for asthmatic persons, be allowed in the examination room for use by the examinee?**

Yes

- 2. Can watches be allowed in the examination room for use by the examinees?**

Yes, for as long as these cannot be used as storage devices, cameras and CANNOT be used for communication or transmittal of data or text .

- 3. Can NON PRGROGAMMABLE calculators that are NOT included in the PRC Memorandum Circular 2009-21 be used by the examinee?**

Yes, for as long as these cannot be used as storage devices, cameras and CANNOT be used for communication or transmittal of data or text.

- 4. Can ear plugs for noise suppression be used by the examinees?**

Ear plugs that are small, wireless, non-electronic, without the need for batteries and made from small foam, silicone or plastic shall be allowed for use.

THE PROCTORS ARE ALSO REMINDED TO MAINTAIN SILENCE. THEY SHOULD ALSO DO A TIME COUNTDOWN OF REMAINING TIME LEFT BY WRITING ON THE BOARD APPROPRIATE 10 MINUTE INTERVALS STARTING WITH "60 MINUTES REMAINING"