## Republic of the Philippines Department of the Interior and Local Government NATIONAL POLICE COMMISSION Makati City

RESOLUTION NO. 2013-286

## APPROVING THE MINIMUM STANDARD IN THE SPECIFICATIONS FOR GRENADE LAUNCHER CARTRIDGE 40mm, HIGH EXPLOSIVE DUAL PURPOSE – LOW VELOCITY

WHEREAS, Section 14, paragraphs (i) and (m) of Republic Act No. 6975 as amended by Section 5, paragraph (a), sub-paragraphs (5) and (8) of Republic Act No. 8551, empowers the Commission to "approve or modify plans and programs on education and training, logistical requirements, communications, records, information system, crime laboratory, crime prevention and crime reporting as well as prescribe minimum standards for arms, equipment and uniforms and, after consultation with the Philippine Heraldry Commission, for insignia of ranks, awards and medals of honor";

WHEREAS, pursuant to the aforecited legal prescription, the Philippine National Police (PNP), through its Uniform and Equipment Standardization Board (UESB) Resolution No. 2012-35 dated January 16, 2013, has recommended to the Commission the approval of the standard specifications for *Grenade Launcher Cartridge 40mm, High Explosive Dual Purpose – Low Velocity* for the use of the PNP;

WHEREAS, the PNP UESB certified that the proposed specifications for *Grenade Launcher Cartridge 40mm*, *High Explosive Dual Purpose – Low Velocity* are *not tailored fit* to any specific brand product in the market;

WHEREAS, upon thorough review and evaluation, the Commission has determined the PNP UESB proposed specifications for *Grenade Launcher Cartridge 40mm*, *High Explosive Dual Purpose – Low Velocity* is in order, in conformity with the requirements of Republic Act No. 6975, as amended by Republic Act No. 8551, its Implementing Rules and Regulations (IRR), logistics policies and issuances of the Commission, and meets the requirements of the PNP;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Commission in the exercise of its statutory powers to administer and control the PNP, HAS RESOLVED TO APPROVE, AS IT HEREBY APPROVES, the minimum standard in the specifications for *Grenade Launcher Cartridge 40mm*, *High Explosive Dual Purpose – Low Velocity* with modifications, to read as follows:

## I. Specifications:

a. Nomenclature

Ctg. 40x46mm HEDP-LV

b. Weap<mark>on</mark>

: 40mm (GL) Series

c. Projectile Type

: High Explosive Dual Purpose (HEDP)

d. Weight

220-285 grams

e. Overall Length

: 102-106mm

f. Filler Type

: Comp A, A5, RDX or equivalent

g. Fuze

Point Initiating Base Detonating (PIBD)

h. Primer

Percussion

j. Muzzl<mark>e Velocity</mark>

:  $76 \pm 5 \, \text{mps}$ 

j. Armin<mark>g Distance</mark>

: 10 – 40 meters

k. Color and Marking

: Olive drab and yellow ogive, yellow markings.

I. Markings Inher Packing NATO Standard or US Mil Specifications

Date manufactured

Manufacturer-Quantity per box

Standard nomenclature

Lot number

II. Other Requirements

Items must be delivered not more than one

year after date of manufacture and must be

taken from one (1) Lot only.

: The product must be delivered in its Original

Manufacturer's Packaging.

III. Warranty

Manufacturer /Dealer should certify in formal writing that their product are brand new and guaranteed for the minimum of at least one (1) year when stored in a prescribed storage.

IV. Must pass the PNP Test and Evaluation.

RESOLVED FURTHER, that this resolution shall take effect after fifteen (15) days from date of filing of a copy hereof at the University of the Philippines (U.P.) Law Center, pursuant to Executive Order No. 292 of the Revised Administrative Code, as amended.

APPROVED this <u>30th</u> day of <u>APRIL</u> 2013 in Makati City, Metro Manila, Philippines.

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