



DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS

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Thru: **DR. GLENN G. PAJARES**Vice President for Planning and Development
Chairperson, VSU Housing Commission

Dear Dr. Yepes,

Good day!

We, the undersigned, are husband-and-wife who are both faculty members of our beloved institution under the Dept. of Economics and Dept. of Teacher Education, and have been in the service for quite some time already. In 2023, we applied for on-campus housing, and around August or September of last year (2024), we were informed that we were already in the Top 10 of the ranking among the applicants. Apparently, during the same period, we were also approved and granted for a PhD study leave (in UP Diliman and UA&P) under the VSU Fellowship Scholarship, which then hindered us from being granted with a housing unit.

In connection with this, we would like to humbly request from your good office that we may be reconsidered to be granted with a housing unit even though we are on study leave, since all of our classes were only conducted online. In the first semester of our classes, there was no instance where we needed to go to our respective schools, except only during the application for admission and on the enrollment period (for submission and processing of required documents). Also, since the first semester of the school year, we were informed that our classes will just be held online, including the upcoming semesters. Currently, we are renting a unit in Quezon City and we wish to move back to VSU in order to defray the cost of our accommodation and the high cost of living, in general. This would be of great help to us, especially in minimizing our expenses since living in QC is quite expensive. More so that our classes are only held virtually, and we don't see the need to always stay there.

Hoping for your positive response and kind consideration regarding this matter.

Thank you very much and God bless!

Respectfully yours,

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