

JOINT MANIFESTATION

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This Agreement entered into by and between:

The **VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY (VSU)**, an institution of higher learning established under Presidential Decree No. 470 as amended by Presidential Decree No. 700 and converted into a state university by virtue of Republic Act No. 9158 and renamed as Visayas State University by virtue of Republic Act No. 9347, with principal office at Baybay City, Leyte, duly represented by its President **DR. EDGARDO E. TULIN** and **DR. SUZETTE B. LINA**, Head of the Department of Soil Science (DSS), hereinafter referred to as the **FIRST PARTY**;


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ORMOC-KANANGA MILL DISTRICT DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL (MDDC), with principal office address at HISUMCO Compound, Montebello, Kananga, Leyte, duly represented by its Chairman, **MR. JONATHAN A. AVILES**, and Vice-Chairman, **ATTY. ROY BERNARD C. FIEL**, along with the other Board of Trustee Members of MDDC, hereinafter referred to as the **SECOND PARTY**;

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the PARTIES have entered into a settlement agreement to resolve the issues and concerns raised by MDDC of the donated equipment and laboratory materials by the Sugar Regulatory Administration (SRA) to VSU during the virtual meeting on November 5, 2021;

WHEREAS, the Visayas State University particularly the Department of Soil Science is among of the three (3) State University and Colleges (SUC) recipients of the program on Enhancement of Soil and Plant Analysis Laboratory by the Sugar Regulatory Administration;

 **WHEREAS**, the soil laboratory was primarily established to enable the sugarcane planters in the Ormoc-Kananga and Bogo-Medellin Mill Districts to have an easy access of the services it provides;

 **WHEREAS**, the Visayas State University will also benefit the improved laboratory facilities at DSS for use by the faculty and students and widening their knowledge in laboratory procedures;

NOW, THEREFORE, premises considered, the parties hereby agree as they have agreed to amend the terms and conditions that the MOA dated ____ by and among SRA, VSU and Ormoc-Kananga MDDC, as follows: