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DEPARTMENT OF **ECONOMICS**

May 23, 2025

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President
Visayas State University
Baybay City, Leyte

Thru: **Dr. Rotacio S. Gravoso**
Vice President for Academic Affairs & Chairman,
Scholarship and Fellowship Committee

Dear President Yepes,

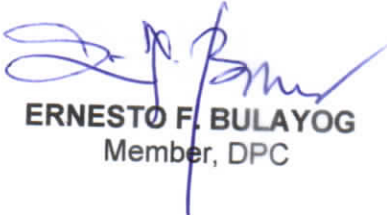
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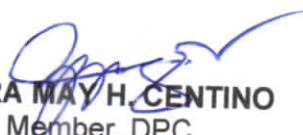
The Personnel Committee of the Department of Economics is pleased to endorse and recommend **Ms. Mary Cris F. Pleños** for the pursuit of her Ph.D. in Agricultural and Resource Economics starting in the first semester of School Year 2025-2026.

Ms. Pleños is a recipient of the ASEAN Student Scholarships to study in Ph.D. program in Agricultural and Resource Economics (International Program) at Department of Agricultural and Resource Economics, Faculty of Economics, Kasetsart University for 2025-2027 academic years. However, the scholarship only includes tuition fee waiver and thesis research grant. In this regard, the Committee respectfully requests that Ms. Pleños's living allowance be supported through the VSU Scholarship/Fellowship Fund (please refer to the attached documents for the scholarship terms). Furthermore, we recommend that she be allowed to continue receiving her monthly salary for the duration of her studies until completion. Hoping for your approval and continued support. Thank you very much

Very truly yours,


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