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T O: All VSU Constituents

R E: Unconditionally No Smoking in All VSU Campuses

In coordination with the Republic Act No. 9211, the CSC Memo Circular No. 17-2009 regarding 100% Smoke-Free Environment Policy, states that **Absolute Prohibition of Smoking** in or on the premises, buildings, and grounds of government agencies providing health, education and/or social welfare and development services such as hospitals, health centers, schools and universities, colleges, etc. **No "Smoking Areas" shall be designated in such places.** In line with this, **SMOKING** of cigarettes, electronic cigarettes, vape, and related products **IS STRICTLY PROHIBITED** in all VSU Campuses, including the VSU market area.

Faculty and staff caught smoking shall be ground for disciplinary action pursuant to Rule XIV (Discipline) of the Omnibus Rules Implementing Book V of EO 292. Moreover, students and guests caught doing the same shall be subjected to a range of penalties, including but not limited to fines and suspension.

For the guidance and strict compliance of all concerned.


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President