







Memorandum No. 750 Series of 2024

TO:

Dr. Elwin Jay V. Yu, VPAF

Dr. Julius V. Abela, UDRRMSSO Head

RE:

BOR Resolution No. 62 Approving the DRRM Plan

FROM:

DR. PROSE IVY G. YEPES

University President

DATE:

August 22, 2024

The undersigned is respectfully forwarding to you the BOR Resolution No. 62 Approving the Disaster Risk Reduction Management Plan. This is for your information, dissemination, appropriate action following the university policies, and usual support.

CC:

University/Board Secretary





BOR & UNIVERSITY SECRETARY

114TH BOARD OF REGENTS MEETING

Series of 2024

APPROVING THE VSU DISASTER RISK REDUCTION MANAGEMENT PLAN

WHEREAS, the Leyte State University was created by virtue of Republic Act 9158 which converted the then Visayas State College of Agriculture (ViSCA) into a state university last 11 August 2001 which was later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

WHEREAS, Paragraph (a), Section 7 of R.A. 9158 provides: "To enact rules and regulations, not contrary to law, as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and functions of the University";

WHEREAS, given the increasing regularity and severity of natural disasters, Philippine Government has recognized that a national, coordinated and cooperative effort is required to enhance the country's capacity to withstand and recover from emergencies and disasters;

whereas, Section 12 of RA 10121 requires agencies to formulate and implement a comprehensive and integrated DRRM Plan in accordance with the national, regional and provincial framework;

WHEREAS, the DRRM Plan is in fulfillment of the above-mentioned policy obligation and the university's commitment to provide a safe and secure academic community conducive for habitation, working and learning for all its students and employees;

WHEREAS, the Office of the University Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (OUDRRM) proposed the Disaster Risk Reduction Management Plan to serve as guideline in the application of disaster risk reduction policies and strategies to prevent new disaster risk, reduce existing disaster risk and manage residual risk, contributing to the strengthening of resilience and reduction of disaster losses;

WHEREAS, in its meeting on February 29, 2024, the University Administrative Council favorably endorsed approval of the VSU's DRRM Plan;

Now, therefore, on motion, duly seconded, and unanimously approved, be it;

Resolved, as it is hereby resolved, that the Board of Regents of Visayas State University approves the proposed Disaster Risk Reduction Management Plan, further details of which are reflected in the document hereto attached and made part hereof.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 7th day of June 2024 at VSU, Baybay City, Philippines.



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