



VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY

6521-A Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte, Philippines

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 59, s. 2008

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE INCREASE IN LABORATORY FEES IN SUBJECTS OFFERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AG. ENGINEERING EFFECTIVE 2nd SEMESTER, SCHOOL YEAR 2008-2009

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 and was later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

WHEREAS, Section 7 of R.A. 9158 specifically empowers the Board of Regents of the University to exercise all the powers granted to the Board of Directors of a corporation under Section 36 of Batas Pambansa Blg. 68, otherwise known as the Corporate Code of the Philippines;

WHEREAS, among other powers granted to the Board of Regents is the power "*to fix the tuition fees and other necessary school fees and charges such as, but not limited to, matriculation fees, graduation fees and laboratory fees, as it may deem proper and reasonable to impose after due consultations with the involved sectors*" as stipulated in Item (d), Section 7 of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, there is a need to increase laboratory fees of subjects offered by the Department of Ag. Engineering in view of the increasing cost of maintenance and supplies;

WHEREAS, AE 131 – *Engineering Graphics*, GEng 135 – *Introduction to GIS and Database Management*, and GEng 153 - *Photo Interpretation and Remote Sensing* extensively use computers and the present laboratory fee of P500.00/laboratory subject is no longer sufficient for computer maintenance and purchase of replacement parts;

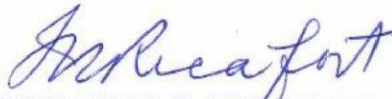
WHEREAS, there is a marked increase in the cost of engineering supplies in non-computer aided engineering courses;

WHEREAS, the University Administrative Council unanimously approved the increase in laboratory fees in AE 131, GEng 135 and GEng 153 from P500.00/laboratory subject to P1,000.00/laboratory subject and P500/unit for all non-computer aided laboratory subjects effective in the 2nd Semester, School Year 2008-2009 during the 72nd UADCO Meeting held last 19 September at the 2nd Floor of the Center for Continuing Education, VSU Main Campus, Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the increase in laboratory fees in AE 131, GEng 135 and GEng 153 from P500.00/laboratory subject to P1,000.00/laboratory P500/unit for all non-computer aided laboratory subjects effective in the 2nd Semester, School Year 2008-2009.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 8th day of October 2008 at Visayas State University, Visca, Baybay, Leyte.

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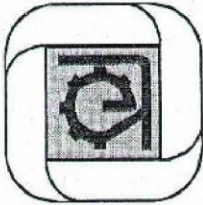
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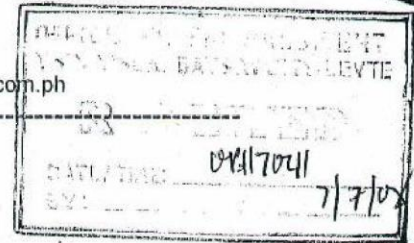
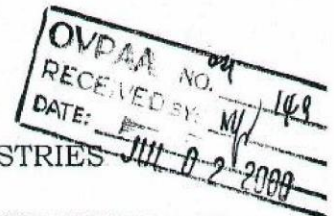


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30 June 2008

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President
Visayas State University
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Through: **Dr. Oscar B. Posas**
Vice President for Academic Affairs
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Baybay City

Dear **Dr. Bacusmo**,

The laboratory fee of all laboratory subjects offered in the department is currently assessed at P500/laboratory subject irrespective whether the laboratory subject is a 1-unit or a 2-unit course.

With the above situation, the undersigned would like to present the following proposals:

- a. The laboratory fee of AE 131 (Engineering Graphics 11), GEng 135 (Introduction to GIS and Database Management) and GEng 153 (Photo Interpretation and Remote Sensing) be augmented to P1,000/laboratory subject since the laboratory activities in these subjects involve the use of computers. The same amount is currently charged by the Department of Computer Science and Technology (DCST) to non-Computer Science students taking computer science subjects (CS 21, etc) which utilize the use of computers in the laboratory.
- b. The laboratory fee of other subjects offered in the department (ESci 122, AE 135, GEng 111, etc) which do not utilize the use of computers be assessed at P500/unit.

Hoping for your affirmative response to the above proposals.

Thank you for your usual support to the department.

Very truly yours,

MANUEL E. CASANGCAPAN
Officer-in-Charge

Noted:

ANTONIO P. ABAMO
Dean, CEAI

Recommending Approval:

OSCAR B. POSAS
Vice President for Academic Affairs

APPROVED:

JOSE L. BACUSMO
President