



VISAYAS
STATE UNIVERSITY
Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD
OF REGENTS AND OF THE UNIVERSITY

Republic of the Philippines
VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY
Visca, Baybay, Leyte

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 33, s. 2016

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE UNIVERSITY CODE
OF 2016 OF THE VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY AND REPEALING ALL
INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS IN THE ViSCA CODE**

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

WHEREAS, the existing ViSCA Code has been in existence since the conversion of the Visayas Agricultural College (VAC) into the Visayas State College of agriculture (ViSCA) in 1974;

WHEREAS, Section 419 of the ViSCA Code provides, to wit: "*Save as to matters expressly provided by law, any provision of this Code may be amended at any meeting of the Board of Trustees, or of the College Council by two-thirds vote of the members present subject to confirmation by the Board of Trustees. In cases where proposed amendments are to be submitted to the council, copies thereof shall be furnished to all members of the council at least three (3) days before a scheduled meeting, and such amendment shall take effect upon approval by two-thirds vote of those present in the council meeting and confirmation by the Board*";

WHEREAS, among other powers granted to the Board of Regents is the power "*to enact rules and regulations, not contrary to law, as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and functions of the University*" as stipulated in Section 7, Paragraph (a) of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, there is a need to amend the ViSCA Code to current status to take into account the changes that have happened since 1974;

WHEREAS, Section 10 of R.A. 9158 stipulates that it is the duty of the Administrative Council "*...to review and recommend to the Board policies governing the administration, management and development planning of the University*"; and

WHEREAS, the proposal was discussed and approved on the occasion of the 116th UADCO Meeting held last 12 November 2015 at Center for Continuing Education, VSU Main Campus, Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte and the UADCO is strongly endorsing the proposal for Approval by the VSU Board of Regents.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the University Code of 2016 of the Visayas State University and repealing all inconsistent provisions in the ViSCA Code, effective upon Board approval.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 23rd day of June 2016 at CHED Central Office, C.P. Garcia Avenue, UP Diliman, Diliman, Quezon City.

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