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Office of the Secretary of the University And of the Board of Regents

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

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 82, s. 2007

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE SABBATICAL LEAVE APPLICATION OF DR. VICTOR B. ASIO

WHEREAS, Dr. Victor B. Asio has a Letter of Invitation from Dr. Zueng-Sang Chen, Associate Dean of the College of Bioresources and Agriculture, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan for the conduct of research on Soil-Landscape Relationship in Taiwan which is funded by the National Science Council of the Republic of China, Taiwan;

WHEREAS, the Visayas State University has an existing tie-up with the National Taiwan University for the exchange of faculty especially for the purpose of academic pursuits;

WHEREAS, the National Science Council of Taiwan will pay for the cost of the round trip air tickets, nine months of local living allowance and research budget requested by Dr. Asio during his Sabbatical Leave;

WHEREAS, it is expected that the research results will redound to better understanding of the ecological researches being conducted by VSU in Mt. Pangasugan, Leyte since the conditions are very similar with that in Taiwan;

WHEREAS, the research collaboration between VSU and NTU will be greatly enhanced with the conduct of the research by Dr. Asio in Taiwan;

WHEREAS, the University Academic Personnel Board is strongly recommending the approval of the Sabbatical Leave application of Dr. Victor B. Asio;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the Sabbatical Leave of Dr. Victor B. Asio to the Natinal Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan effective 01 November 2007 until 31 October 2008.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 23rd day of November 2007 at LNU Conference Room, Leyte Normal University, Tacloban City, Leyte.

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