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Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte 6521 A  
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Office of the Secretary of the University  
And of the Board of Regents

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

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 50, s. 2008**

**A RESOLUTION  
APPROVING THE OFFERING  
OF THE LADDERIZED BACHELOR OF  
SCIENCE IN MECHANICAL ENGINEERING (BSME) AT THE  
VSU ISABEL CAMPUS EFFECTIVE 1<sup>st</sup> SEMESTER SY 2008-2009**

**WHEREAS**, Section 4, Paragraph (i) of R.A. 8292 empowers the Governing Board "to approve the curricula, institutional programs and rules of discipline drawn by the administrative and academic councils, as hereby provided";

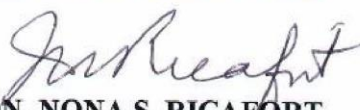
**WHEREAS**, Section 10 of Republic Act No. 8292 – The Academic Council - stipulates the powers of the Academic Council to wit: "The academic council shall have the power to review and recommend the curricular offerings and rules of discipline of the university or college subject to the appropriate action of the Board of Regents/Trustees. It shall fix the requirements for the admission of students as well as for graduation and the conferment of degrees, *subject to* review and/or approval of the Board of Regents/Trustees through the President of the university or college";

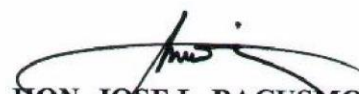
**WHEREAS**, the University Academic Council met on 28 May 2008 for the purpose of reviewing the proposed Ladderized Mechanical Engineering Program leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (BSME) and has determined that such an academic program is indeed important and appropriate at this time and favorably recommends to the University Board of Regents the offering of the said degree program effective 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, SY 2008-2009;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the offering of the Ladderized Mechanical Engineering Program leading to the degree of Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering (BSME) in the Isabel Campus, effective 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, SY 2008-2009 *provided that* all other existing policies/requirements attendant to the offering on new degree programs are strictly followed.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 2008 at LNU Conference Room, Leyte Normal University, Tacloban City, Leyte.

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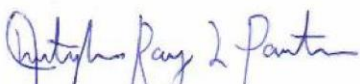
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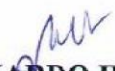
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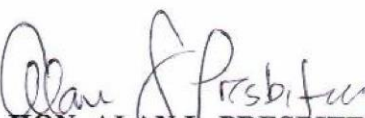
  
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