



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

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

#### BOR RESOLUTION NO. 59, s. 2017

# A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE AWARD OF THE HONORARY TITLE OF PROFESSOR *EMERITUS* (RESEARCH) ON DR. RUBEN M. GAPASIN, EFFECTIVE UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE UNIVERSITY

WHEREAS, Section 7, Paragraph (k) of R.A. 9158 empowers the Governing Board "to award honorary degrees upon persons in recognition of outstanding contribution in the field of agriculture or any field of specialization within the academic competence of the University; and to authorize the award of certificates of completion for non-degree and non-traditional courses";

WHEREAS, Section 199 of the VSU Code provides, to wit: "A retired professor may be appointed **Professor Emeritus** in accordance with existing approved Board Resolutions, to wit: BOR Resolution No. 103, s. 2003 (dated 02 December 2003); BOR Resolution No. 32, s. 2007 (dated 01 May 2007); and BOR Resolution No. 53, s. 2007 (dated 11 August 2007):

**WHEREAS**, the records of Dr. Ruben M. Gapasin, as a person and as a professional, have been carefully scrutinized by the University Academic Personnel Board;

**WHEREAS**, the VSU Board of Regents, after careful deliberation, is satisfied that all requirements set by the BOR through BOR Resolution No. 53, s. 2007 dated 11 August 2007 attendant to the grant of the honorary title of *Professor Emeritus* (Research) has been met;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the conferment of the honorary title of **Professor** *Emeritus* (Research) on Dr. Ruben M. Gapasin effective upon his retirement from the University.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 2017 at CHED Central Office, C.P. Garcia Ave., UP Diliman, Diliman, Quezon City.

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