



VISAYAS
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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. 116, s. 2017

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE REQUEST OF THE VSU MAIN CAMPUS FOR AUTHORITY TO PURCHASE ONE (1) UNIT MINI SCHOOL BUS FOR USE BY THE VSU MAIN CAMPUS CHARGEABLE AGAINST CY 2018 CAPITAL OUTLAY BUDGET OF THE MAIN CAMPUS SOURCED FROM GENERAL FUND BASED ON THE 2018 NATIONAL EXPENDITURE PROGRAM BUT NOT TO EXCEED P3.0 MIL. *SUBJECT TO EXISTING RULES, REGULATIONS AND GUIDELINES ON THE PURCHASE OF NEW VEHICLES AND FURTHER SUBJECT TO EXISTING RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE COMMISSION ON AUDIT*

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 which 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, Section 7, Paragraph (f) of R.A. 9158 empowers the Board of Regents of the University "*to authorize the ... acquisition of real and personal properties, including necessary supplies materials and equipment ...*";

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 75, Chapter 7, book VI of Executive Order (EO) No. 292 (Administrative Code of 1987) and Section 17 (b) of Republic Act (RA) No. 9970 (FY 2010 General Appropriations Act), no government funds shall be utilized for the purchase of motor vehicles, except:

iv. those which are directly necessary in the business operations or government operations of front-line agencies.

WHEREAS, Section 9 of Administrative Order (AO) No. 233, s. 2008 specifies that vehicles to be purchased should not fall within the category of "luxury vehicles", such as the following:

iv. Sports Utility Vehicle (SUV) with an engine displacement exceeding 2700cc if gasoline-fed; or 3000cc, if diesel-fed; and with an engine exceeding 4 cylinders.

WHEREAS, consistent with existing guidelines embodied in AO No. 233, as implemented by DBM Circular No. 2010-2 dated 01 March 2010, the Office of the President (*of the Philippines*) adopted the following procedural and documentary requirements:

1. All requests, together with supporting documents must be submitted to the Department of Budget and Management (DBM) for evaluation and recommendation.
2. Such requests must be supported by original or certified true copies of the following documents:
 - c. *for* SUCs/GOCCs with National Government (NG) allocation/subsidy
 - i. Evaluation and recommendation by the DBM;
 - ii. Basic letter-request from the Department Secretary or his/her duly authorized representative(s) or from the Head of Office/Agency, with information on the amount, type, number, and specification of motor vehicle(s) and the purpose/justification and deployment for such vehicles will be used;
 - iii. Certification of Availability of Funds by the Chief Accountant or Head of the Accounting Unit, if the allotments/appropriations are already released or already with the concerned department/office/agency;
 - iv. Updated inventory/accounting of all existing motor vehicles showing their status/condition/worthiness (e.g. good, fair, repairable or unserviceable) duly certified by the Property/Supply Officer;
 - v. **Board Resolution approving such purchase;**
 - vi. Approved operating budget (regular/supplemental)

WHEREAS, the desired goal of the acquisition of a Mini School Bus for the VSU Main Campus is *“to improve the mobility of the students when attending academic-related activities, off campus that will be safe and reliable”*;

WHEREAS, the National Expenditure Program (NEP) (pages 138, 1142-1143) provides for funds for Capital Outlay;

WHEREAS, the proposal was discussed by the University Administrative Council (UADCO) on the occasion of the 127th UADCO Meeting held last 24 November 2017 at the 1/F, Conference Room, Office of the Vice President for Administration and Finance, VSU Main Campus, 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 request of the VSU Main Campus for Authority to Purchase of One (1) unit Mini School Bus for use by the VSU Main Campus chargeable against CY 2018 Capital Outlay Budget of the Main Campus sourced from General Fund but not to exceed P3.0 M. *subject to* existing rules, regulations and guidelines on the purchase of new vehicles and *further subject to* existing rules and regulations of the Commission on Audit (COA).

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 7th day of December 2017 at Granda Manor Hotel, Tacloban City.

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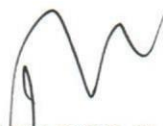
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