



Visayas State University
Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte
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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. 73, s. 2009

**A RESOLUTION
APPROVING THE CREATION
OF THE COLLEGE OF NURSING**

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 and 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, the Governing Board (GB) is authorized under Section 7, Item (q) of R.A. 9158 to "*collaborate with other governing boards of state colleges and universities within the Province of Leyte and the Region, under the supervision of the CHED and in consultation with the DBM, the restructuring of the University to become more efficient, relevant, productive and competitive*";

WHEREAS, the University has been offering the undergraduate degree of Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) under the Special Programs Unit of the University;

WHEREAS, CHED Memorandum Order No. 14, s. 2009 specifies that the BSN program should be offered under a College of Nursing and all HEIs including SUCs and LUCs are expected to strictly follow this requirement;

WHEREAS, by April 2011, the University expects to graduate its pioneer batch of BSN students after which the pioneer BSN graduates are expected to apply to take the PRC Licensure Examination for Nurses;


WHEREAS, only College of Nursing graduates of recognized by the CHED will be permitted by the PRC to take the Nursing Board Examination; and

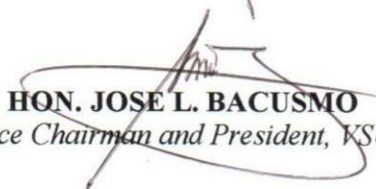
WHEREAS, the creation of a College of Nursing will provide an opportunity to later on offer related fields in allied health and medical services.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the creation of a College of Nursing at the VSU Main Campus, as proposed.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 29th day of October 2009 at CCE Conference Room, VSU Main Campus, Baybay, Leyte.

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