



**Visayas State University**  
Visca, Baybay, Leyte  
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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, Baybay, Leyte

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 30, s. 2011**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROPOSAL  
FOR AN ADDITIONAL ITEM UNDER SECTION 15.1 OF THE  
GRADUATE SCHOOL CODE FOR IMMEDIATE IMPLEMENTATION  
THIS 2<sup>ND</sup> SEMESTER, SCHOOL YEAR 2010-2011**

**WHEREAS**, the Visayas State College of Agriculture (ViSCA) was converted into the Leyte State University (LSU) by virtue of Republic Act 9158 last 11 August 2001 and was later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

**WHEREAS**, among other powers granted to the Board of Regents is the power "*to enact rules and regulations, not contrary to law, as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and functions of the University*" as stipulated in Section 7, Paragraph (a) of R.A. 9158;

**WHEREAS**, Section 15.1 of the Graduate School Code was last revised in 2008 with the passage of BOR Resolution No. 18, s. 2008 dated 24 February 2008;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs deems it necessary to harmonize the procedures in the conduct of the Comprehensive Examinations if only to ensure that the same level of excellence is attained across campuses of the University System;

**WHEREAS**, Section 11 of R.A. 9158 stipulates that it is the duty of the Academic Council "*...to review and recommend curricular offerings and fix the requirements for the admission to the University, as well as for graduation and the conferment of degrees, subject to the approval of the Board...*";

**WHEREAS**, the proposal was presented during the 27<sup>th</sup> University Academic Council (UAC) Meeting held last 22/25 February 2011 at the University Convention Center, VSU Main Campus, Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte.


**WHEREAS**, the UAC passed UAC Resolution No. 16, s. 2011 dated 25 February 2011 strongly endorsing the proposal to the VSU Board of Regents for Approval.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the proposal to "*Include an Additional Item Under Section 15.1 of the Graduate School Code for Immediate Implementation this 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester, SY 2010-2011*", as proposed.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 2011 at LNU Conference Room, Leyte Normal University, Tacloban City, Leyte.

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of a large, stylized 'V' followed by a horizontal line and a small flourish.

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