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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. 110, s. 2016

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE CREATION OF A NEW DEPARTMENT OF ENGINEERING SCIENCES UNDER THE COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, VSU MAIN CAMPUS EFFECTIVE UPON BOR APPROVAL

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, 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, Item (a) of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, the Commission of Higher Education (CHED), through the different Technical Committees (TCs) under the Technical Panel for Engineering and Technology Education (TPET), is currently formulating new OBE-based Policies, Standards and Guidelines (PSGs) of the different Engineering and Technology Degree Programs that are compliant with Republic Act 7722;

WHEREAS, under the Proposed PSGs of the different Engineering and Technology Degree Programs, Common and Basic Engineering subjects are to be taken by all engineering students, irrespective of degree program;

WHEREAS, the Common and Basic Engineering subjects are to be taught by competent and trained faculty members;

WHEREAS, the offering of Engineering Graduate Program, TPET, through the different TCs, have already drafted the different PSGs of the different Graduate Programs for implementation in 2018;

WHEREAS, the Visayas State University finds it advantageous to create a separate Department of Basic Engineering Sciences under the College of Engineering, VSU Main Campus;

WHEREAS, the proposal was discussed by the University Administrative Council (UADCO) on the occasion of the 122nd UADCO Meeting held last 01 December 2016 at the 2nd Floor, Center for Continuing Education (CEC) Building, VSU Main Campus, City of Baybay, Leyte and is strongly endorsing the proposal to the VSU Board of Regents for APPROVAL, as presented.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the creation of a new Department of Basic Engineering Sciences under the College of Engineering, VSU Main Campus, as presented.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 14th day of December 2016 at CHED Central Office, C.P. Garcia Avenue, UP Diliman, Diliman, Quezon City.

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Resolution No. 110, s. 2016 – A Resolution Approving the Creation of a New Department of Basic Engineering Sciences under the College of Engineering, VSU Main Campus, effective upon BOR approval.