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BOR RESOLUTION NO. 86, s. 2018

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE OFFERING OF THE MASTER OF SCIENCE IN STATISTICS (MS STAT) PROGRAM AT THE VSU MAIN CAMPUS, EFFECTIVE 1st SEMESTER, SY 2018-2019

WHEREAS, Republic Act 9158 converted the then Visayas State College of Agriculture (ViSCA) into a state university, the Leyte State University, on 11 August 2001 by virtue of R.A. 9158 and later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437;

WHEREAS, Section 7, Paragraph (i) of R.A. 9158 empowers the Governing Board "to approve the curricula, institutional programs and rules of discipline drawn by the administrative and academic councils, as hereby provided";

WHEREAS, Section 11 of R.A. 9158 provides, to wit: "There shall be an Academic Council with the President of the University as Chairman and all members of the instructional staff, with the rank of not lower than Assistant Professor, as members.

The academic council shall have the power to review and recommend the curricular offerings and fix the requirements for admission into the University, as well as for the graduation and the conferment of degrees, subject to the approval of the Board. It shall also have disciplinary power over students and shall formulate policies and rules and regulations on discipline, subject to the approval of the Board*;

WHEREAS, the University Academic Council discussed, reviewed and after due course, have favorably recommended the approval of the offering of the Master of Science in Statistics program to be offered in the VSU Main Campus, city of Baybay, Leyte;

WHEREAS, the University Academic Council strongly recommended to the VSU Board of Regents the offering of the Master of Science in Statistics in the Main Campus, effective 1st Semester, SY 2018-2019 *Provided that* the moratorium on the offering of new graduate degree programs will be lifted by the Commission on Higher Education in time for the 1st Semester, SY 2018-2019.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to approve the offering of the Master of Science in Statistics in the Main Campus, effective 1st Semester, SY 2018-2019 *Provided that* the moratorium on the offering of new graduate degree programs will be lifted by the Commission on Higher Education in time for the 1st Semester, SY 2018-2019.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 5th day of July 2018 at CHED Central Office, Pres. C.P. Garcia Avenue, UP Diliman, Diliman, Quezon City.

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A globally competitive university for science, technology, and environmental conservation

VSU's Mission:

Development of a highly competitive human resource, cutting-edge scientific knowledge and innovative technologies for sustainable communities and environment

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