

VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY

6521-A Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte, Philippines

BOR RESOLUTION NO. 76, s. 2008

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PURCHASE OF A BRAND NEW VEHICLE IN SUPPORT OF THE ACIAR-PCARRD-VSU COLLABORATIVE PROJECT ENTITLED "DEVELOPMENT OF A COST-EFFECTIVE VEGETABLE CROPPING SYSTEM IN THE SOUTHERN PHILIPPINES AND AUSTRALIA"

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, among other powers granted to the Board of Regents is the power "to receive and appropriate all sums as may be provided, for the support of the University in the manner it may determine, in its discretion, to carry out the purposes and functions of the University" as stipulated in Item (b), Section 7 of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, the Board of Regents is further empowered "to develop consortia and other forms of linkages with local government units, institutions and agencies, both public and private, local and foreign, in furtherance of the purposes and objectives of the University" as stipulated in Item (s), Section 7 of R.A. 9158;

WHEREAS, the Australian Center for International Agricultural Research (ACIAR), the Philippine Council for Agriculture and Resources Research and Development (PCARRD) and the Visayas State University (VSU) have perfected a Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) in support of a multi-location project entitled "Development of a Cost-Effective Protected Vegetable Cropping System in the Southern Philippines and Australia",

WHEREAS, the ACIAR-PCARRD-VSU collaborative project has set aside the amount of P1,689,714.84 for the sole purpose of purchasing a brand new vehicle that will be used by said project in visiting and supervising the multi-location sites;

WHEREAS, the Chief Accountant of the University has certified that the said amount has been deposited with the Land Bank of the Philippines with Current Account No. 0952-1102-68 under the Trust Funds of the University;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESCLVED to approve the purchase of a brand new vehicle using the funds so provided in support of the ACIAR-PCARRD-VSU collaborative project entitled "Development of a Cost-Effective Protected Vegetable Cropping System in the Southern Philippines and Australia" Provided. That, the cost of the vehicle shall not exceed P1,689,714.84, the amount allocated for this purpose.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 8th day of October 2008 at Visayas State University, Visca, Baybay, Leyte.

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