



Republic of the Philippines  
**VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY**  
Visca, Baybay, Leyte

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 54, s. 2019**

**A RESOLUTION COURSED THROUGH REFERENDUM APPROVING THE REQUEST OF PROF. JESSICA S. ESPORLAS AND MS. CATHERINE L. CHAN FOR AUTHORITY TO TRAVEL TO MALAYSIA TO ATTEND AND PRESENT PAPERS ON THE OCCASION OF THE 3<sup>RD</sup> INTERNATIONAL MULTIDISCIPLINARY CONFERENCE 2019 AT UNIVERSITI TEKNOLOGI MALAYSIA (UTM) JOHOR, MALAYSIA ON 1-2 MAY 2019**

**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, Paragraph (b) of R.A. 9158 empowers the Governing Board “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”;

**WHEREAS**, The Governing Board passed BOR Resolution No. 25, s. 2017 entitled: Implementing Rules and Regulations in the Availment of Financial Support from the Faculty Development Fund effective SY 2017-2018 which provides financial support to the faculty in the following activities: 1) paper presentation in local, regional, national and international professional and scientific fora; 2) participation in relevant trainings, short courses, conferences, conventions, seminars, workshops, and symposia;

**WHEREAS**, the Office of the CHED Chairperson issued an Unnumbered CHED Memorandum dated 24 July 2018, on the subject: Guidelines in Securing Authority to Travel Abroad for State Universities and Colleges;

**WHEREAS**, the said Unnumbered CHED Memorandum requires the following: 1) Assessment of the International Conference/Meeting issued by the International Affairs Office Staff – CHED Central Office; and 2) Board of Regents’ Resolution;

**WHEREAS**, Prof. Jessica S. Esporlas and Ms. Catherine L. Chan were issued by the CHED IAS, a Certification with Reference No. 19-3-741 dated 20 March 2019 pursuant to the Memorandum from the Office-In-Charge dated 24 July 2018 titled: “**Guidelines for Securing Authority to Travel Abroad for State Universities and Colleges**”;

**WHEREAS**, Prof. Jessica S. Esporlas will be presenting a paper entitled: “**Metacognitive attributes and Self-Regulatory Skills of College Science Teachers**” while Ms. Catherine L. Chan

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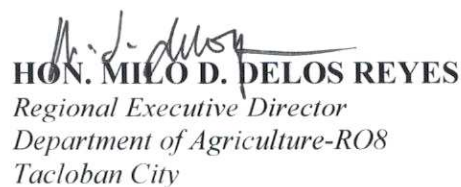
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