



**Leyte State University**  
Visca, Baybay, Leyte 6521 A  
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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  
**LEYTE STATE UNIVERSITY**  
Visca, Baybay, Leyte

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 12, s. 2007**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE  
CHANGE OF THE PROGRAM TITLE FROM  
MS RURAL SOCIOLOGY TO MS DEVELOPMENT SOCIOLOGY  
AND TO CHANGE ITS CORRESPONDING COURSE NOMENCLATURE  
AND RELATED MATTERS EFFECTIVE 1<sup>st</sup> SEMESTER SY 2007-2008**

**WHEREAS**, Section 4, Paragraph (i) of R.A. 8292 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 10 of Republic Act No. 8292 - The Academic Council - stipulates the powers of the Academic Council to wit: "The academic council shall have the power to review and recommend the curricular offerings and rules of discipline of the university or college subject to the appropriate action of the Board of Regents/Trustees. It shall fix the requirements for the admission of students as well as for graduation and the conferment of degrees, *subject to* review and/or approval of the Board of Regents/Trustees through the President of the university or college";

**WHEREAS**, the College Academic Council of the College of Agriculture of the Main Campus has reviewed and favorably recommended the approval of the proposed change in program title from Master of Science in Rural Sociology (MSc. Rural Sociology) to Master of Science in Development Sociology (MSc. Devt. Sociology) in line with the shift in paradigms of this degree program;

**WHEREAS**, the University Academic Council met on 06 February 2007 for the purpose of reviewing the proposed change in program title from Master of Science in Rural Sociology (MSc. Rural Sociology) to Master of Science in Development Sociology (MSc. Devt. Sociology) and has determined that such change is appropriate at this time and that this academic program is an important graduate offering of the University and favorably recommends to the LSU Board of Regents the offering of the said degree program effective 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, SY 2007-2008;

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the proposed change in program title from Master of Science in Rural Sociology (MSc. Rural Sociology) to Master of Science in Development Sociology (MSc. Devt. Sociology) in the Main Campus, effective 1<sup>st</sup> Semester, SY 2007-2008 *provided that* all other existing policies/requirements attendant to the offering of graduate degree programs are strictly followed.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 9<sup>th</sup> day of March 2007 at LNU Conference Room, Leyte Normal University, Tacloban City, Leyte.

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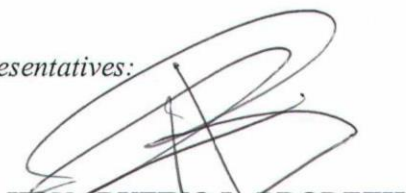
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