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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, Baybay, Leyte

BOR REFERENDUM NO. 01, s. 2012

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE
MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT (MOA)
BETWEEN THE VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY
AND THE COMMISSION ON HIGHER EDUCATION
FOR THE DISBURSEMENT ACCELERATION PROGRAM (DAP)**

WHEREAS, the Commission on Higher Education (CHED), is an agency of the National Government organized and established under Republic Act No. 7722 otherwise known as the "Higher Education Modernization Act of 1994" with office address at HEDC Bldg., C.P. Garcia Ave., U.P. Diliman, Quezon City, and represented by its Chairperson, Patricia B. Licuanan, *PhD*;

WHEREAS, the Visayas State University is a public Higher Education Institution created with the conversion of then Visayas State College of Agriculture into the Leyte State University through Republic Act 9158 dated 11 August 2001 and later renamed Visayas State University (VSU) by virtue of R.A. 9437 with principal address at Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte, and represented by its President, Jose L. Bacusmo, *PhD*;

WHEREAS, the CHED has made representations with the National Government for the additional allotment of P3.059 billion otherwise known as the "Disbursement Acceleration Program (DAP) for CHED as Additional Support to SUCs" for the implementation of high impact and fast disbursing projects of State Universities and Colleges (SUCs), through the Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH), in support of the Administration's thrust towards alleviating poverty and improving the country's competitiveness;

WHEREAS, part of the DAP is the implementation of the "Infrastructure and Facilities Upgrading for Leading SUCs";

WHEREAS, the CHED issued CMO No. 09, s. 2012 "*Guidelines on the Grant and Allocation of the Disbursement Acceleration Fund for State Universities and Colleges of the Reform Agenda for Public Higher Education*";

WHEREAS, the CHED had evaluated and classified all the SUCs in the country and has classified VSU as one of the 22 Leading SUCs in the country;

WHEREAS, CMO No. 09, s. 2012 provides for a budgetary release of P17 million as Capital Outlay for SUCs classified as "Leading Universities and Colleges" *Provided*, that the SUC shall submit a Project Proposal to the CHED and *Subject to* the usual evaluation and approval process of the Project Screening Committee (DAP);

WHEREAS, the VSU intends to use the P17 million DAP funding for the construction of the New University Library – Phase II;

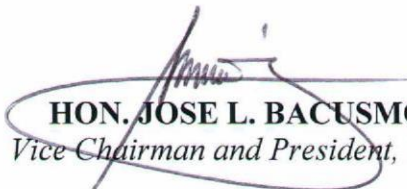
WHEREAS, the VSU will abide and be bound by all the stipulations indicated in the proposed Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the CHED and the University.

NOW, THEREFOR, BE IT RESOLVED, AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED to Approve the proposed Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) between the Commission on Higher Education (CHED) and the Visayas State University (VSU) providing for the release of P17 million as Capital Outlay funds under the “Disbursement Acceleration Fund for State Universities and Colleges of the Reform Agenda for Public Higher Education” and which will be used solely for the construction of the New University Library – Phase II.

IN WITNESS of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 12th day of September 2012 at Visayas State University, City of Baybay, Leyte.

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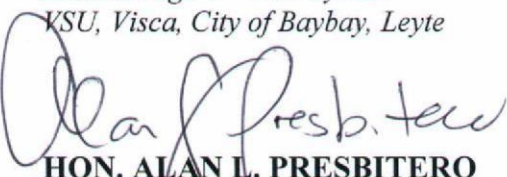
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