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Visca, City of 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  
**VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY**  
Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte

**BOR RESOLUTION NO. 27, s. 2008**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE  
INCREASE OF SCUBA TRAINING FEE INCLUDING  
FULL PAYMENT OF PADI LICENSE AND SCUBA INSURANCE**

**WHEREAS**, the University's Institute of Tropical Ecology – Marine Laboratory (ITE-ML) has been providing Self Contained Underwater Breathing Apparatus (SCUBA) training to the BSc. Biology, major in Marine Biology students who are interested in actual observation of the marine biodiversity;

**WHEREAS**, students possessing SCUBA training have a competitive edge over other applicants for employment in agencies of government including LGUs as well as NGOs tasked with protection of the country's marine biodiversity;

**WHEREAS**, only Philippine Association of Diving Instructors (PADI) accredited diving instructors are authorized to train potential SCUBA divers;

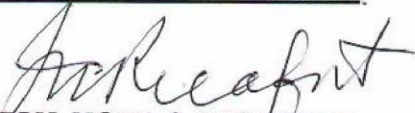
**WHEREAS**, the PADI has indicated that all SCUBA diving graduates be required to actually possess a PADI license which also includes the PADI Diver's Handbook;

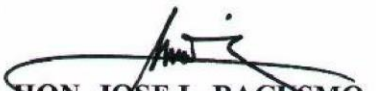
**WHEREAS**, in order to support this vital University service, the ITE-ML is proposing to increase the SCUBA Training Fee charged to students, faculty and outsiders.


**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the proposed increase in SCUBA Diving Training Fee charged to students, faculty and outsiders, as proposed, effective upon BOR approval.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2008 at Naval Institute of Technology, Naval, Biliran.

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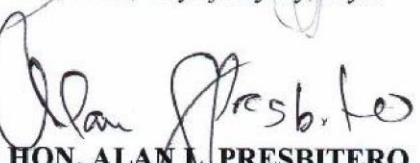
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