

### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE BOARD AND THE UNIVERSITY

## Republic of the Philippines VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY

Visca, Baybay, Leyte

#### BOR RESOLUTION NO. 99, s. 2015

# A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROPOSAL TO AVAIL OF A 15 MBPS (E-1) LEASED-LINE FROM GLOBE TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. SUBJECT TO EXISTING POLICIES, RULES AND GUIDELINES ON THIS MATTER

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 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**, 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, VSU Main Campus is currently subscribed to four (4) Digital Subscriber Lines (DSL) from Globe Telecommunications, Inc. with a combined bandwidth of 40 Mbps download speed and 2.5 Mbps upload speed;

**WHEREAS**, the current DSL subscriptions have data-usage limits, which "throttlesdown" the internet speed to 64 kbps once the data usage limits are breached which usually happens every day considering the number of devices accessing the NET;

WHEREAS, a leased-line service is needed to replace our current subscription;

WHEREAS, Globe Telecommunications Inc. (Globe Lines) is offering a 15 Mbps leased-line (E-1) which will be a dedicated line ensuring less (internet) traffic, less downtime and centralized telephone systems (IP/PBX) as well as a host of other benefits such as: (a) symmetric download and upload speeds (15 Mbps); (b) maximized data upload and livestreaming coverage; (c) ability to host VSUs web-based systems like websites and on-line services; and (d) provide a much easier connectivity with the University's External Campuses;

WHEREAS, the proposal was discussed and approved on the occasion of the 116<sup>th</sup> UADCO Meeting held last 16 November 2015 at 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Center for Continuing Education Building, VSU Main Campus, Visca, City of Baybay, Leyte and the UADCO is strongly endorsing the proposal for Approval by the VSU Board of Regents.

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**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED** to approve the proposal to avail of a 15 Mbps (E-1) leased-line from Globe Telecommunications Inc., subject to existing policies, rules and guidelines on this matter.

**IN WITNESS** of our approval thereof, we hereby affix our signatures this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 2015 at the Commission on Higher Education – Central Office, C.P. Garcia Avenue, UP Diliman, Diliman, Quezon City.

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