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**SUBJECT : GRANT OF AUTONOMOUS AND DEREGULATED
STATUS TO QUALIFIED PRIVATE HIGHER
EDUCATION INSTITUTIONS (PHEIs)**

In accordance with the provisions of CHED Memorandum Order (CMO) No. 52, series of 2006 "New Policies and Guidelines for the Grant of Autonomous and Deregulated Status to Selected Private Higher Education Institutions with Benefits Accruing Thereto", CHED Memorandum Order No. 22, series of 2007 "Supplemental to CMO No. 52, series of 2006", and by virtue of CHED Resolution Nos. 535-2007 & 768-2007, the Commission on Higher Education hereby grants autonomous and deregulated status to the following higher education institutions:

**A. PHEIs Granted Autonomous Status for five (5) years:
November 15, 2007 to November 14, 2012**

REGION	INSTITUTION	
II	1.	UNIVERSITY OF ST. LOUIS, Tuguegarao City
XI	2.	ATENEO DE DAVAO UNIVERSITY, Davao City
CAR	3.	SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY, Baguio City
NCR	4.	ASSUMPTION COLLEGE, Makati City
NCR	5.	ATENEO DE MANILA UNIVERSITY, Quezon City
NCR	6.	CENTRO ESCOLAR UNIVERSITY, City of Manila
NCR	7.	DE LA SALLE UNIVERSITY, City of Manila
NCR	8.	MIRIAM COLLEGE FOUNDATION, Quezon City
NCR	9.	ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE OF QUEZON CITY, Quezon City
NCR	10.	UNIVERSITY OF STO. TOMAS, City of Manila

**B. PHEIs Granted Deregulated Status for five (5) years:
November 15, 2007 to November 14, 2012**

REGION	INSTITUTION	
V	1.	ATENEO de NAGA UNIVERSITY, Naga City
NCR	2.	JOSE RIZAL UNIVERSITY, Mandaluyong City

**C. PHEIs Granted Autonomous Status for one (1) year:
November 15, 2007 to November 14, 2008**

REGION	INSTITUTION	
III	1.	BALIUAG UNIVERSITY, Baliuag, Bulacan
VI	2.	CENTRAL PHILIPPINE UNIVERSITY, Iloilo City
VI	3.	UNIVERSITY OF ST. LA SALLE, Bacolod City

VII	4.	HOLY NAME UNIVERSITY, Tagbilaran City
VII	5.	SILLIMAN UNIVERSITY, Dumaguete City
VII	6.	ST. PAUL UNIVERSITY DUMAGUETE, Dumaguete City
VII	7.	UNIVERSITY OF SAN CARLOS, Cebu City
VII	8.	UNIVERSITY OF SAN JOSE – RECOLETOS, Cebu City
IX	9.	ATENEO de ZAMBOANGA UNIVERSITY, Zamboanga City
NCR	10.	ST. PAUL UNIVERSITY MANILA, City of Manila
NCR	11.	SAN BEDA COLLEGE, City of Manila
NCR	12.	ST. SCHOLASTICA'S COLLEGE, City of Manila

**D. PHEIs Granted Deregulated Status for one (1) year:
November 15, 2007 to November 14, 2008**

REGION	INSTITUTION	
II	1.	SAINT MARY'S UNIVERSITY, Bayombong, Nueva Vizcaya
IV-A	2.	MANUEL S. ENVERGA UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION, Lucena City
V	3.	UNIVERSIDAD de STA. ISABEL, Naga City
VI	4.	UNIVERSITY OF NEGROS OCCIDENTAL-RECOLETOS, Bacolod City
XII	5.	NOTRE DAME UNIVERSITY, Cotabato City
CAR	6.	UNIVERSITY OF BAGUIO, Baguio City
CAR	7.	UNIVERSITY OF THE CORDILLERAS, Baguio City
NCR	8.	ADAMSON UNIVERSITY, City of Manila
NCR	9.	FAR EASTERN UNIVERSITY, City of Manila
NCR	10.	UNIVERSITY OF THE EAST, City of Manila

The objectives, benefits, and conditions of the grant are stipulated in CMO No. 52, series of 2006.

All HEIs granted autonomous status shall ensure that the existing policies and guidelines for the offering of extensions classes, international twinning and linkages, distance education, and transnational education are fully complied with.

Based on Article VII, item 2 of CMO No. 52, s. 2006, all HEIs granted autonomous and deregulated status for one (1) year shall be reevaluated not later than June 30, 2008, to determine retention/withdrawal or upgrading/downgrading of the status. Likewise, HEIs granted autonomous and deregulated status for five (5) years shall be reevaluated not later than June 30, 2012.

Deadline of submission for new applications for the grant of autonomous and deregulated status shall be May 30, 2008. All new applications shall be submitted to the Office of Programs and Standards through the concerned CHED Regional Office.

For information and strict compliance.

Signed this 3rd day of December, 2007, Pasig City, Philippines.

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