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Office of the Secretary of the University
and of the Board of Regents

EXCERPT FROM THE APPROVED MINUTES OF THE
15th LSU Board of Regents Meeting
16 March 2004 * LNU, Tacloban City

**Proposal to Standardize Testing Fees for Administering
the LSU Entrance Scholarship Examination**

Board Resolution No. 23, s. 2004

Approving the proposal to standardize testing fees for administering the LSU Entrance Scholarship Examination, effective upon Board approval.


1. Approved Testing Fee: **P 100.00**
(for all examinees)
2. Income Tax Return (ITR) of Parents is not required

BOARD ACTION: **APPROVED**

Date : 16 March 2004

ATTACHMENT: **I**

Certified True and Correct:


DANIEL M. TUDTUD JR.
Board Secretary

cc: OVPA *comel 6-39*
OVPAF *ab 6/29*
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The Honorable Chairman and
Members of the LSU Board of Regents

Ladies/Gentlemen:

I am hereby endorsing the **"Proposal to Standardize Testing Fees for Administering the LSU Entrance Scholarship Examinations"**. The said proposal has been deliberated and approved by the University Administrative Council during its March 4, 2004 meeting.

I am, therefore, recommending the same **FOR APPROVAL** by the Board of Regents.

Very truly yours,


PACIENCIA P. MILAN
President

BOARD ACTION : _____
DATE : 16 March 2004

Proposal to Standardize Testing Fee for Administering the LSU Entrance Scholarship Exam

RATIONALE:

Late last year (October – December 2003) the Office of the Curriculum and Instructional Materials Development and the Office of Admissions conducted the LSU Entrance Scholarship Examination to senior high school students in the Visayas and Mindanao areas. One of the requirements of the said examination was the payment of a socialized exam fee which was higher for children of high-income families. Such socialized exam fee was approved by the BOR on September 11, 2002 per BOR Resolution No. 75, s 2002, and it was the first time that it was implemented last year. However, it was found that the socialized exam fee was too high and tasking on the part of the examinees and local test coordinators. There was a burden of the examinees to submit parents' income tax return (ITR) to support payment of the examination fee. In fact, the reasons for the decrease in number of examinees is the increased test fee from P25.00 to P50.00 – P150.00 and the requirement to submit parent's ITR. In view of these considerations, it is proposed to standardize testing fee so that many senior high school students could take the exam and many scholars from different sectors of society could be recruited.

Existing (Per BOR Approval)	Proposed
<p>I. Examination Fees</p> <p>a. P50.00 – for students with family income of not more than P60,000.00 per annum.</p> <p>b. P100.00 – for students with family income of between P60,001.00 to not more than P80,000.00 per annum.</p> <p>c. P150.00 – for all other students including faculty and staff dependents with family income of more than P80,000.00 per annum.</p>	<p>P100.00 – for all examinees</p>
<p>II. Income Tax Return (ITR) of Parents</p>	<p>no ITR</p>