

Bachelor of Science in Environmental Science

ZSCMST



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ZSCMST
ZAMBOANGA STATE COLLEGE OF MARINE SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY

VISION

A world-class institution for higher learning, research, development and innovation in fisheries, marine sciences, maritime education and technology by 2024.

MISSION

Provide quality education and relevant research and extension to produce globally competitive human capital for fisheries and other marine-based industries.

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The graphic features a background image of a coastal town and a river. At the top, the ZSCMST logo is overlaid on the image. Below the logo, the word "VISION" is written in large, bold, blue letters. Underneath, the vision statement is written in a black, italicized font. Below the vision statement, the word "MISSION" is written in large, bold, blue letters. Underneath, the mission statement is written in a black, italicized font. At the bottom right, there is a small logo and the website address "www.zscmst.edu.ph".



Presidential Decree No. 2020, s. 1986

Signed on January 28, 1986

Malacañang
Manila

PRESIDENTIAL DECREE NO. 2020

CONVERTING THE MINDANAO REGIONAL SCHOOL OF FISHERIES INTO ZAMBOANGA STATE COLLEGE OF MARINE SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY, DEFINING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS, AND DUTIES AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, it is a policy of the state to periodically reorient the educational system to serve as an effective vehicle for an accelerated economic growth and the social well-being of the Filipino people;

WHEREAS, Western Mindanao is endowed with extensive fishing grounds teeming with marine life, vast mangrove areas and swamplands suitable for aquaculture development and fertile lands with unlimited potentials for agriculture and agribusiness concerns that if rationally exploited, utilized and developed would bring progress and prosperity to the region and its people;

WHEREAS, Western Mindanao suffers from low agricultural and industrial productivity and have limited productive employment opportunities attributed to poor and inefficient resource utilization and inadequate skilled manpower and infrastructure support;

WHEREAS, notwithstanding its natural bounties, Western Mindanao remains underdeveloped on account of a dearth of competent leaders trained in the rudiments of science and technology;

WHEREAS, the present Mindanao Regional School of Fisheries which was included as one of the seven project institutes under the Sixth Education Project of the Philippine Government (GOP/IBRD. No. 1786 PH) had significantly improved its institutional capabilities to offer programs in science and technology;

WHEREAS, the present College with its upgraded facilities can produce the manpower needed to rationally exploit, utilize and develop the natural resources of Western Mindanao, thereby accelerating economic growth and improvement of the quality of life of its people.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, FERDINAND E. MARCOS, President of the Republic of the Philippines, by virtue of the powers vested in me by the Constitution, do hereby order and decree:

SECTION 1. Conversion and Establishment. The present Mindanao Regional School of Fisheries, located in Zamboanga City is hereby converted into a Regional State College to be



known as Zamboanga State College of Marine Sciences and Technology, hereinafter referred to in this Act as the State College.

SECTION 2. Composition of the State College. The State College shall be composed of the present Regional Institute of Fisheries, Institute of Marine Transportation, and administrative units of the Mindanao Regional School of Fisheries. The State College will have administrative supervision over all fishery schools in the region under a Regional Fisheries System. An Institute of Marine Sciences, a School and other new departments, centers or units may later be organized to become part of the State College.

SECTION 3. Purpose. The State College shall provide the necessary leadership in professional and technical instruction in Fisheries, maritime technology, marine sciences and development management in line with the manpower requirement and other development needs of Western Mindanao and neighboring regions. The State College shall offer undergraduate and graduate courses in fisheries, maritime technology, marine sciences, computer technology and development management, as well as short-term technical/vocational courses relevant to the needs of fisheries, maritime and other marine resources based industries. It shall promote research in fisheries and marine sciences and in related agribusiness concerns.

SECTION 4. Governing Board. The policy making power of the Zamboanga State College of Marine Sciences and Technology is hereby vested in the Board of Trustees. The Board will be composed of five members, namely: the Minister of Education, Culture and Sports, the Regional Executive Director of the National Economic and Development Authority, the President of the State College, the Regional Director of the Ministry of Agriculture and Food, and the President of the Alumni Association of the College.

The members of the Board shall serve without compensation other than actual and necessary expenses incurred in attendance upon meetings of the Board or upon other official business related to his position as a Trustee authorized by a resolution of the Board.

SECTION 5. Powers and Duties of the Governing Board. Board of Trustees shall have the following powers and duties in addition to its general powers of a corporation provided in Section Thirteen of the Corporation Law.

- 1) To determine and fix the dates and time of their regular meetings as well as special meetings as the need for the same may arise: Provided, That all such meetings shall not be more than twice in a month, nor less than once in any quarter.
- 2) To recommend the President of the State College for appointment by the President of the Philippines, who shall serve for a period of six years, subject to reappointment provided that his term of office shall not extend beyond the age of sixty-five.
- 3) To appoint, upon the recommendation of the President of the State College the Vice-President, Executive Director, the Directors of the different Institutes, Heads of Departments, Professors, professorial lectures, visiting or exchange faculty and other officers and



I. Legal Mandate

1. Presidential Decree No. 2020

On January 20, 1986, President Ferdinand E. Marcos signed into law Presidential Decree No. 2020 "CONVERTING THE MINDANAO REGIONAL SCHOOL OF FISHERIES INTO ZAMBOANGA STATE COLLEGE OF MARINE SCIENCES AND TECHNOLOGY, DEFINING ITS POWERS, FUNCTIONS, DUTIES, APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES".

The ZSCMST is mandated to provide the necessary leadership in professional and technical instruction in fisheries, maritime technology, marine sciences and development management in line with the manpower requirement and other development needs of Western Mindanao and neighboring regions. It shall offer undergraduate and graduate courses in fisheries, maritime technology, marine sciences, **computer technology** and **development management** as well as technical/vocational courses relevant to the needs of fisheries, maritime and other marine resource based industries. It shall provide research in fisheries, and marine sciences and in related agribusiness concerns (Section 3, P. D. No. 2020).

2. Republic Act No. 8292

Republic Act No. 8292 provides for the uniform composition and powers of the governing boards, the manner of appointment and term of office of the president of chartered state universities and colleges, and for other purposes.

The Act enunciates the policy of the State to establish, maintain, and support a complete, adequate and integrated system of education relevant to the needs of the people and society. Towards this end, the composition of the governing boards of chartered state universities and colleges is hereby modified in order to:

- (a) achieve a more coordinated and integrated system of higher education;
- (b) render them more effective in the formulation and implementation of policies on higher education;
- (c) provide for more relevant direction in their governance; and
- (d) ensure the enjoyment of academic freedom as guaranteed by the Constitution.