



## MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

#### BETWEEN THE

# EASTERN VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY AND SAVE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL

WHEREAS, on November 08 2013, super Typhoon Yolanda struck Eastern Visayas. This resulted in 5,789 individuals dead, 26,123 injured and 983 missing; a total of 521,800 families (2,723,960 persons) were affected in 4,387 barangays, 7 cities in the provinces of Region 8; a total of 420,197 houses were reported damaged;

WHEREAS, as an aftermath, many residents lost jobs and means of livelihood, while those who had stable jobs had prioritize their budget for the rehabilitation of homes, purchase of basic personal and home items to replace those washed out or destroyed during the typhoon and for their daily subsistence.

WHEREAS, given this situation, agencies of government were called to initiate programs aimed at contributing to the rehabilitation and rebuilding of lives, communities, infrastructures and the economy in the typhoon-affected areas;

WHEREAS, the EASTERN VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY (EVSU), in its effort to help contribute in the rehabilitation and rebuilding of programs of government has to collaborate with various local government agencies and international non-government agencies/ humanitarian organizations;

WHEREAS, the SAVE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL- SCI an international aid organization provides various humanitarian and development aid programs to children and their families in developing and calamity stricken countries;

WHEREAS, SAVE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL- TACLOBAN Field Office is offering shelter in the form of cash grants and repair materials to 4000 households in 2 municipalities in Leyte, namely, Mayorga and Mac Arthur,

WHEREAS, SAVE THE CHILDREN INTERNATIONAL- TACLOBAN Field Office is committed to capacitate carpenters in the said municipalities.

WHEREFORE, in the spirit of unity and development and to expedite the rehabilitation and rebuilding process of Eastern Visayas, EVSU enters into this Memorandum of Agreement with the Save the Children International- Tacloban Field Office in the implementation of a Technology and Skills Transfer Program to identified residents and carpenters of the Municipalities of Mayorga and Mac Arthur in the province of Leyte, that involves the following:

- 1. The conduct of a series of (3 days) Trainings on Carpentry Skills and Disaster Risk Reduction to a total of 300 carpenters from the Municipalities of Mayorga and Mac Arthur;
- 2. Faculty members from the College of Technology (Woodwork Department) will handle said classes (at designated final date/time and venue);

- 3. EVSU COT Faculty Members/Trainers will conduct appropriate practical tests to gauge participant's comprehension and absorption of the lessons and issue their certificates of completion;
- 4. SCIT will cover all costs related to this collaborative undertaking

The parties to this MOA shall have the following responsibilities:

### EVSU:

- 1. The College of Technology and the College of Education at the Main Campus of EVSU will identify Trainers for this Skills Transfer Program;
- 2. The College of Technology will constantly collaborate with SCTIT in the planning, implementation, monitoring, evaluation and over-all management of said collaboration.

### STCIT

- Coordinate with the College of Technology regarding the overall implementation of the
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Program;	
Provide all the logistical support relative to	this partnership.
Signed on this 29 <sup>th</sup> day of March, 2013 in th	e City of Tacloban.
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