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### Board Resolution No. 73, Series of 2025

#### A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE PROPOSED NURSING RELATED LEARNING EXPERIENCE (RLE) STUDENT MANUAL

**WHEREAS**, the University of Southern Mindanao, through its Department of Nursing, upholds the delivery of structured, competency-based, and policy-compliant clinical education aligned with the Policies, Standards, and Guidelines for the Bachelor of Science in Nursing (BSN) under CMO No. 15, Series of 2017;

**WHEREAS**, during the Level II Accreditation visit conducted by the Accrediting Agency of Chartered Colleges and Universities in the Philippines, Inc. (AACUP) from December 9 to 13, 2024, the absence of a standardized Related Learning Experience (RLE) Student Manual was identified as a critical area for improvement under Area III: Curriculum and Instruction;

**WHEREAS**, in response to this recommendation, the faculty members of the Department of Nursing convened on January 13, 2025, and collectively resolved to revise, create, and institutionalize a Nursing RLE Student Manual that outlines policies, procedures, and guidelines for the proper implementation of RLE programs;

**WHEREAS**, the proposed Nursing RLE Student Manual has been duly endorsed by the College Academic Council and presented to relevant stakeholders, affirming its necessity for improving the quality, consistency, and integrity of clinical instruction and ensuring compliance with accreditation and regulatory requirements;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, in view of the foregoing, be it:

**RESOLVED**, as it is hereby RESOLVED, that the Board of Regents of the University of Southern Mindanao approves the implementation of the Proposed Nursing RLE (Related Learning Experience) Student Manual;

**RESOLVED FINALLY**, that the approved manual shall take immediate effect across all year levels upon adoption, and shall serve as the official institutional reference for the conduct of RLE-related activities and policies within the Nursing program.

**APPROVED** this 5th day of August, 2025, during the 160th Regular Meeting of the Board of Regents held at South Cotabato State College, Surallah, South Cotabato.

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*I certify the correctness and the authenticity of the foregoing resolution. Done this 5th day of August 2025, at the Administration Building, South Cotabato State College, Brgy. Dajay, Surallah, South Cotabato*

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 Secretary of the Board of Regents

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