

**[ REPUBLIC ACT NO. 11281, April 12, 2019 ]**

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CAMPUS OF THE POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY OF THE PHILIPPINES (PUP) IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF BANSUD, PROVINCE OF ORIENTAL MINDORO, TO BE KNOWN AS THE PUP-BANSUD CAMPUS, MANDATING THE PUP TO OFFER THEREAT GRADUATE, UNDERGRADUATE AND SHORT-TERM TECHNICAL-VOCATIONAL COURSES, AND APPROPRIATING FUNDS THEREFOR**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Philippines in Congress assembled:*

SECTION 1. This Act shall be known as the "PUP-Bansud Campus Act".

SEC. 2. There is hereby established a campus of the Polytechnic University of the Philippines (PUP) in the Municipality of Bansud, Province of Oriental Mindoro, to be known as the PUP-Bansud Campus.

SEC. 3. The PUP shall admit students to its Bansud Campus who may avail of graduate, undergraduate and short-term technical-vocational courses within the University's areas of specialization and according to its capabilities as the Board of Regents (BOR) may deem necessary to carry out the University's objectives, particularly to respond to the needs of the province and the rest of the Mindoro, Marinduque, Romblon and Palawan (MIMAROPA) Region.

The PUP is also mandated to undertake research and extension services in the Bansud Campus, and to provide progressive leadership in these areas, including the offering of graduate degrees under the PUP Open University System.

SEC. 4. The PUP-Bansud Campus shall be headed by a Campus Administrator who shall render full-time service and who shall be appointed or designated by the BOR upon the recommendation of the Search Committee and the President, subject to the guidelines, qualification and standards set by the BOR.

SEC. 5. The establishment of the PUP-Bansud Campus shall ensure that the minimum requirements for its operation and program offerings have been complied with as duly prescribed by the Commission on Higher Education (CHED).

SEC. 6. All assets, real and personal, personnel and records of the PUP-Bansud Campus, as well as liabilities or obligations, are hereby transferred to the PUP. The positions, rights, and security of tenure of faculty members and personnel employed at the PUP-Bansud Campus under existing laws prior to integration into the PUP shall be respected.

All parcels of land belonging to the government occupied by the PUP-Bansud Campus are hereby declared to be the property of the PUP and shall be titled under that name: *Provided*, That should the PUP cease to exist or be abolished, or would