

**[ EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 393, December 31, 1950 ]**

**CONVERTING THE PRESENT CENTRAL LUZON AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL INTO THE CENTRAL LUZON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE, CONFERRING THE TITLE OF ASSOCIATE IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND THE DEGREES OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION AND MASTER OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL EDUCATION, PROVIDING FOR A BOARD OF TRUSTEES, DEFINING THE BOARD'S RESPONSIBILITIES AND DUTIES, PROVIDING PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES**

By virtue of the powers vested in me by Republic Act No. 422, I, Elpidio Quirino, President of the Philippines, do hereby order:

SECTION 1. The present Central Luzon Agricultural School, located in Muñoz, Nueva Ecija, Philippines, is hereby converted into the Central Luzon Agricultural College, which will offer not only its present four-year secondary agricultural course, one-year farm mechanics course, and special courses but also a two-year, a four year, and a post graduate courses leading to the title of Associate in Agricultural Education and the degrees of Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education and Master of Science in Agricultural Education, respectively.

SEC. 2. The aim of the said College shall be to provide professional, technical, and special instruction, for special purposes, promote research, extension service, and progressive leadership in the field of agricultural education.

SEC. 3. The head of this institution shall be known as the President of the Central Luzon Agricultural College. He shall be appointed by the President of the Philippines upon the recommendation of the Board of Trustees as hereinafter provided. The powers and duties of the President of the College, in addition to those specifically provided for in this order, shall be those usually pertaining to the office of the president of a college.

SEC. 4. The government of said college is hereby vested in a Board of Trustees of the Central Luzon Agricultural College. The Board of Trustees shall be composed of the Secretary of Education, who shall be exofficio Chairman of the Board, the Chairman of the Committee on Education of the Senate, the Chairman of the Committee on Education of the House of Representatives, the Director of Public Schools, the President of the College, and the President of the Central Luzon Agricultural College Alumni Association.

Members of the Board shall serve without compensation, other than actual and necessary expenses incurred either in attendance upon meetings of the Board or upon other official business authorized by resolution of the Board.

SEC. 5. The Board of Trustees shall have the following powers and duties, in addition to its general powers of administration:

(a) To receive and appropriate to the ends specified by law such sums of money as may be provided by law for the support of the College;

(b) To confer the title of Associate in Agricultural Education and the degrees of Bachelor of Science in Agricultural Education and Master of Science in Agricultural Education to successful candidates for graduation;

(c) To appoint, on the recommendation of the President of the College, instructors, professors, lecturers, and other employees of the College; to fix their compensation, hours of service and such other duties and conditions as it may deem proper; to grant to them, in its discretion, leave of absence under such regulations as it may promulgate, any other provisions of law notwithstanding, and to remove them for cause after an investigation and hearing shall have been had;

(d) To approve the curricula and rules of discipline drawn up by the College Council as hereinafter provided;

(e) To fix the tuition fees required of students, as well as matriculation fees, graduation fees and for laboratory courses, and all special fees, and to remit the same in special cases;

(f) To provide fellowships for faculty members and scholarships to students showing special evidence of merit;

(g) To provide rules for its own government, and to enact for the government of the College such general ordinances and regulations, not contrary to law, as are consistent with the purposes of the College, as defined in section two of this Order;

(h) To receive in trust legacies, gifts, donations of real and personal property of all kinds and to administer the same for the benefit of the College or for aid to any students, in accordance with the directions and instructions of the donor, and, in default thereof, in such manner as the Board of Trustees may in its discretion determine.

SEC. 6. A quorum of the Board of Trustees shall consist of a majority of all the members. All process against the Board of Trustees shall be served on the president or secretary thereof.

SEC. 7. On or before the fifteenth of June of each year, the Board of Trustees shall file with the President of the Philippines a detailed report, setting forth the progress, conditions, and needs of the College.

SEC. 8. There shall be a College Council consisting of the President of the College as presiding officer and of all instructors and professors of the College as members. The Council shall have the power to prescribe the curricula and rules of discipline, subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees. It shall fix the requirements for admission to the College, as well as for graduation and the receiving of a title or a degree. The Council alone shall have the power to recommend students or others to