



Republic of the Philippines  
**Department of Education**  
 REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

October 7, 2020

**OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

No. **401**, s. 2020

To: Schools Division Superintendent } Division of Calbayog City  
 Regional Office Division Chiefs  
 Section/Unit Heads  
 All Others Concerned

**CLOSURE OF THE SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL OF SAMAR COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INC. (SCSTI), CALBAYOG CITY DIVISION WITH SCHOOL ID. NO. 406902**

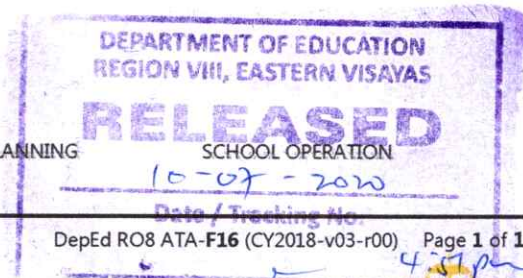
1. The Department of Education, Regional Office VIII through the Quality Assurance Division (QAD) announces the **CLOSURE** of the **SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL (SHS) of SAMAR COLLEGE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY INC. (SCSTI)**, Calbayog City Division, Regional Office VIII with School ID No. **406902**, effective School Year 2020-2021. The closure of such curricular program is through voluntary withdrawal of Permit under section 34 of DepEd Order No. 88, s. 2010 per communication received from Olimpio C. Pedradoja Jr., Board of Trustees (BOT) Vice President/Officer In-Charge and endorsed by the Schools Division Superintendent of Calbayog City Division. The said school has been greatly affected by the escalating health crisis brought about by the novel corona virus resulting to have a very low turnout of enrolment and that the BOT decided to close the SHS.
2. The Schools Division Superintendent is hereby directed to inform the concerned school to submit all pertinent documents to the division office for safekeeping.
3. Immediate dissemination of and strict compliance with this Memorandum are desired.

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 Director IV

QAD-SST

Enclosure: As stated  
 Reference: Communication received from SDS Cervantes  
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