Republic of the Philippines VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY Visca, Baybay City, Leyte

CONTRACT OF SERVICES

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This contract is made and entered into by and between:

The Visayas State University, an institution of higher learning established under Presidential Decree No. 9158 with principal office at Visca, Baybay City, Leyte, duly represented by the University President **DR. EDGARDO E. TULIN**, hereinafter referred to as the FIRST PARTY.

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MS. KIMBERLY V. CAINGCOY of legal age, Filipino, single and a resident of VSU, Visca, Baybay City, Leyte hereafter referred to as the SECOND PARTY:

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WHEREAS, the FIRST PARTY is engaged not only in instruction but also in research and extension;

WHEREAS, the FIRST PARTY is a grantee of research funds from other government agencies such as PCARRD, DA, and other private institutions;

WHEREAS, the FIRST PARTY is in need of personnel who possess the necessary technical know-how in the field of agricultural research to conduct researches or assist the researchers in the conduct of research activities;

WHEREAS, the SECOND PARTY possess the required technical know-how in agricultural research and willing to participate in any research and development activities:

NOW, THEREFORE, premises considered, the parties hereto have hereunto agreed on the following terms and conditions to wit:

That the **FIRST PARTY** hires the services of the SECOND PARTY as Science Research Assistant in OVPRE-ATR effective January 1, 2018 – June 30, 2018 unless sooner terminated:

That the **SECOND PARTY** has the following duties and responsibilities:

- 1. Act as Editorial Assistant of the Annals of Tropical Research Journal.
- 2. Assists the Editorial Board in the production of the ATR Journal (article review, proofreading, editing, presswork).
- 3. Assists in the maintenance of the ATR website (i.e., updating of journal information, uploading of issues, etc.)
- 4. Facilitate the day-to-day operations of the ATR office (i.e. local and foreign correspondence, manage journal financial matters and subscriptions).

That in consideration of the services of the SECOND PARTY, the FIRST PARTY binds itself to pay the former a total amount of P113,916.00 only representing salary including PERA and ACA payable at least twice a month at VSU, Visca, Baybay City, Leyte upon presentation of the certificate of service rendered duly attested by the representative of the FIRST PARTY;

That the **SECOND PARTY** authorizes the **FIRST PARTY** to deduct from the former's monthly salary the amount corresponding to personnel contributions for GSIS, RLIP, Medicare, ECIP and PAG-IBIG premiums.

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That the **FIRST PARTY** grants the **SECOND PARTY** the necessary expenses for travels made officially in connection with the project and duly approved by the **FIRST PARTY** or his duly authorized representative upon presentation of pertinent supporting papers and subject to usual accounting and auditing rules and regulations;

That the **SECOND PARTY** shall be entitled to leave benefits as provided for by Joint CSC and DBM Circular No. 99-7 dated December 29, 1999. However, since monetization of leave credits and payment of terminal benefits of contractual employees are chargeable only to the lump sum appropriation of the agency, the **SECOND PARTY** should enjoy all leave credits within the year it's earned.

That the **SECOND PARTY** hereby undertakes to treat all research results derived from the research conducted or those information divulged by the researcher of which he has access to by reason of his duties and responsibilities as **highly confidential** albeit the possible presence of other available sources relative thereto.

That the **SECOND PARTY** will not claim as his own project-derived intellectual property as a result of the task assigned to him though he shall be duly acknowledged for the success of the same.

That the **SECOND PARTY** hereby undertakes to refuse employment, which involves or may involve the disclosure or use of the confidence, reposed on him by the researcher.

That the **SECOND PARTY** agrees to the reservation of a right of the **FIRST PARTY** to terminate the services of the former in the event that the performance of the **SECOND PARTY** is prejudicial to the smooth and efficient operation of the **FIRST PARTY** in achieving the purpose, for the lack of funds, or for other just cause;

That in case either party desires to terminate this contract before its expiration date, written notice shall be served to the other party at least thirty (30) days before effectivity of the termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we hereunto set our hands on this ____ JAN 2 3 2018 day of _____ 2018 in VSU, Visca, Baybay City, Leyte.

VISAYAS STATE UNIVERSITY

Visca, Baybay City, Leyte

By:

EDGARDO E. TULIN University President (First Party)

(Second Party)

Signed in the presence of:

OTHELLO B. CAPUNO Vice President, R & E

LOURDES B. CANO Director, ODAHRD