



JUSTIFICATION

December 10, 2021

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to justify the emergency purchase of the items found in the attached purchase request.

After careful consideration of the timeline of our project entitled, "**Bioactivity and Molecular Characterization of Lead Compounds from Candidate Antidiabetic Indigenous Plants**" with project code **VSU-IP-2021-6**, the team had to directly purchase some of the basic laboratory supplies to start the conduct of experiments. The research project has only a 2-year duration and including these basic items in the university's procurement process will delay the completion of the research project.

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