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ECO-FARM AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT INSTITUTE

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Dr. Prose Ivy G. Yepes
President
Visayas State University
Baybay City, Leyte

Thru: **Dr. Rotacio S. Gravoso**
Vice President for Academic Affairs &
Chairman, Scholarship and Fellowship Committee

Dear **President Yepes**,

Greetings!

The Department Personnel Committee of Eco-Farm and Resource Management Institute (Eco-FARMI) would like to endorse and recommend Mr. Jerome O. Arribado to pursue his PhD in Animal Science, specializing in Animal Production at the University of the Philippines at Los Baños (UPLB), Laguna, effective 1st Semester of SY 2025-2026. Mr. Arribado is scheduled to take a study leave in 2025 (see attached Eco-FARMI faculty development plan for 2024-2028).

In view of this, the committee further requests that Mr. Arribado's graduate study be temporarily charged to the VSU Scholarship/Fellowship Fund while waiting for the approval of his application for scholarship under the DOST-ASTHRDP, and he will be allowed to receive his monthly salary until he finishes his study.

Hoping for your approval and continued support. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

The Department Personnel Committee:

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