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

Through: Dr. Elwin Jay V. Yu  
Chairperson, NAPB

Dear **President Yepes**,

This pertains to the BIDANI Network Program's invitation to the upcoming BIDANI National SUC Assembly: Empowering Partnerships towards Community Nutrition and Resiliency, scheduled on July 25-26, 2024 at Central Luzon State University, Science City of Munoz, Nueva Ecija.

In response to your advice, Ms. Melodina P. Edullantes, Science Research Specialist and PNEA Coordinator of the BIDANI extension project, is highly recommended to represent the project team at the said event. While four slots were allotted to VSU, only one project implementer, from the BIDANI team of VSU Villaba, has confirmed her attendance. VSU Main must be represented as we serve as mentors of our partner implementers in the external campuses, who are new implementers of BIDANI. Moreover, Ms. Edullantes' attendance at the assembly meeting will provide us with updates on the status of the BIDANI Bill and the accomplishments of partner SUCs. Of great significance is the research write shop that is part of the event, which will enhance the writing skills of the participants.

Ms. Edullantes' travel expenses shall be charged to our BIDANI extension project fund.

Thank you for being ever supportive of our projects and activities.

Very truly yours,

**LILIAN B. NUNEZ**  
BIDANI Program Leader

Approved:

**PROSE IVY G. YEPES**  
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