



March 1, 2022

**Dr. Edgardo E. Tulin**  
President  
Visayas State University  
Visca, Baybay City, Leyte

**Thru: Dr. Maria Juliet C. Ceniza**  
VP for REI

**Dear Dr. Tulin:**

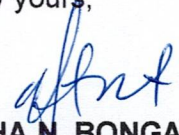
This is to recommend the appointment of **MR. ALJAY D. VALIDA** as Project staff of the ACIAR-Funded R&D Project entitled: "**Identifying Appropriate Value-Chain Approaches for Small Island Agriculture: Citrus Fruits in Homonhon Island project site**)" effective **March 03, 2022 - June 30, 2022, without honorarium.**

As Project staff, he is expected to perform the following responsibilities with appropriate workload unit equivalent:

- Acts as the *Postharvest specialist* in the overall R&D implementation activities of the project,
- Works with the project leader in leading and supervising the project's value chain development and market research activities.
- Coordinates with other project team members in ensuring smooth implementation of all project activities.
- Submits terminal report and other deliverables as required in the project's work plan.

In case of any changes in the title, methodology, project site, and/or budget, the university president's approval should first be sought upon recommendation by the concerned College Dean or Center Director and the Vice President for Research and Extension.

Very truly yours,

  
**HADASHA N. BONGAT**  
Project Leader

Conforme:

Certified funds available:

**ALJAY D. VALIDA**  
Instructor III

**PACIENCIA P. MILAN**  
Executive Director, VIFARD