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Dear Maam:

We hope this letter finds you well. We are writing to formally request the use of the Licor Portable Photosynthesis System of the Department of Forest Science- ACIAR Project for our short-term research in the AGRO 318 (Stress Physiology of Field Crops) and AGRO 323 (Pasture and Forage Physiology) subjects.

The Licor PPS is essential for our research activity, particularly in gathering physiological data. Using the instrument, we aim to delve deeper into the photosynthesis, stomatal conductance, and transpiration rate of rice under soil moisture fluctuations. Moreover, the same physiological data will be gathered in assessing the forage quality of adlay as influenced by cutting interval and height. Hence, the instrument will play a pivotal role in enhancing the quality and depth of our research outcomes.

We understand the importance of this instrument to the Department of Forest Science. Thus, we assure you that said instrument will be handled with utmost care and we will follow the protocol set by your department regarding the utilization of this instrument.

Thank you very much, and we are hoping for your favorable response to this humble request.

Sincerely,


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