



February 23, 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. GIDEON NIEL D. TAN** as Project staff of the CSIRO-Funded R&D Project entitled: **"Agribusiness-led inclusive value chain development for smallholder farming systems in the Philippines (IVC Philippines)"** effective **March 1, 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 *Supply/Value Chain Development* expert 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,

ANTONIO P. ABAMO
Project Leader

Conforme:

GIDEON NIEL D. TAN
Instructor 1

Certified funds available:

PACIENCIA P. MILAN
Executive Director, VIFARD