

March 22, 2024

Mr. Peter John Belen

Portfolio Management Specialist International Rice Research Institute (IRRI) Los Baňos, Laguna, Philippines

Dear Sir,

The collaborators from the Department of Agronomy, Visayas State University (VSU), Baybay City, Leyte requesting your beloved institution for the approval of the no-cost extension of the OneRicePH project which will be completed on March 26, 2024, to May 31, 2024. We request full support on this project extension to facilitate the maintenance, harvesting and processing of harvested seeds of the dry season field experiment on the DELS – Irrigated stage 2 trial.

In this regard, we may further request approval for the extension of our project even without the additional budget provided by your office. This is because we aim to deliver honest, reliable, and truthful undertakings to cater to the needs of our international partner, the International Rice Research Institute (IRRI). Rest assured that all the necessary data and other pertinent documents will be submitted, we would very much appreciate it if you could provide the utmost consideration and approval of this request

Thank you very much and more power to all of you.

Respectfully yours,

DIONESIO M. BAŇOC

Project Leader Visayas State University (VSU) ED ALLAN L. ALCOBER

Study Leader

Visayas State University (VSU)

Approved:

PROSE IVY G. YEPES

University President Visayas State University



