

## **Implementing Guidelines of the VSU Rice Production Project**

### **I. Qualification of the Rice Farmer Cultivator**

1. The rice cultivator should preferably be a job order laborer or a retired employee of VSU, with a minimum of two years of experience in rice production.
2. The farmer cultivator should preferably be residing at the barangay or adjacent barangays where the VSU rice farm is located.
3. The interested farmer should submit their application to the rice production manager and await the scheduled interview before contract signing.

### **II. Prescribe Rice Farming Practices by the Rice Farmer Cultivator**

1. The farmer cultivators should adopt the VSU rice production technology especially on the use of quality seeds of recommended variety in Region 8.
2. The farmer cultivators must inform VSU, through the designated production manager at least three (3) days before planting and harvesting. No harvesting shall be scheduled on a weekend or holiday.

### **III. Palay Sharing Scheme between VSU and the Rice Farmer Cultivator**


1. A palay sharing of 1:3 ratio taken from the gross palay yield will be followed, where VSU as the owner of the rice production area will receive one (1) share for every 3 shares received by the rice farmer cultivator.
2. The cultivator must turnover to VSU its intended palay share no more and no less during harvesting.

### **IV. Renewal and Termination as Rice Farmer Cultivator**

1. The cultivator should inform the designated production manager of their intent to renew the contract thirty (30) days before its termination.
2. VSU has the right to terminate the contract if and when the rice farmer-cultivator fails to implement the prescribed VSU production technologies.
3. VSU has the right to terminate the contract at any time should the rice farm be needed for research, production, or construction purposes.

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