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Ms. Elena Marigen V. Bandalan - Secretary

R E: Appointment of LSU's Biosafety Committee

With Dr. Edgardo E. Tulin as Chairperson and Ms. Elena Marigen V. Bandalan as Secretary, you are hereby appointed to constitute LSU's Biosafety Committee effective January 2006 with authority to form a subsidiary committee at LSU's external campus for monitoring related issues and concerns in these campuses.

As a committee, you shall perform the following functions:

- 1. Evaluate project proposals involving organisms and for recommending the same for appropriate action by the National Biosafety Committee (NCBP);
- 2. Supervise, monitor and report to the NCBP the progress of field testing and release undertaken by scientists within the jurisdiction;
- 3. Make sure that the environment and human health are safeguarded in the conduct of any potentially biohazardous activities by the institution or by any of its employees or researchers;
- 4. Inform the surrounding communities of plans for planned released including the concomitant risks thereof, if any;

5. To perform other tasks stipulated in the Biosafety Regulations of the Philippines.

For this assignment, you shall be given appropriate workload by your mother unit/agency.

Please be guided accordingly.



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