



## PHILIPPINE ROOT CROP RESEARCH& TRAINING CENTER

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**Dr. Edgardo E. Tulin**President
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Thru: Dr. Beatriz S. Belonias

VP for Academic Affairs &

Chairman, Academic Personnel Board (APB)

Dear Dr. Tulin,

This is with regards to the forthcoming early retirement of Prof. Ramon R. Orias. He is currently holding a Professor II position of PhilRootcrops. He will be retiring and vacating the position on February 25, 2022. Prof. Orias has instructional load in the Department of Agriculture and Biosystem Engineering. He also handled Agriculture Engineering related research at PhilRootcrops and at the same time, he is the center's Mechanization Division head.

In this regard, we would like to request permission to post a position with lower qualifications (MS graduate) to get more applicants from the new graduates. We need younger researchers who are trainable, motivated, and output-driven who will replace him.

We hope that this request will be favorably granted. Thank you very much.

Very truly yours,

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