

**CONTRACT OF CONSULTANCY****KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:**

This contract made and entered into by and between the:

**PHILIPPINE RICE RESEARCH INSTITUTE**, a government-owned and controlled corporation with original charter, and with office address at Maligaya, Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija, herein represented by **JOHN C. DE LEON**, Acting Executive Director, hereinafter referred to as "**PhilRice**";

-and-

**RAVINDRA C. JOSHI**, of legal age, Filipino, and with residence address at 23-3 Mendoza Drive, Holy Angel Village-Phase 3, Telebastagan, City of San Fernando, Pampanga hereinafter referred to as "**Senior Consultant**";

-WITNESSETH-

Whereas, **PhilRice** needs the services of the **Consultant** that cannot be provided by the regular personnel of **PhilRice**;

Whereas, the **Consultant** possesses the requisite education, experience, training, and skills, and is ready, willing, and able to efficiently provide the services as prescribed, and attests that he is not related within the third degree of consanguinity or affinity to the Executive Director of **PhilRice**, the signatories to this contract, the requisitioner, or the immediate supervisor; and has not been previously dismissed from the government service;

Now, therefore, for and in consideration of the foregoing premises, **PhilRice** and the **Consultant** agree to the following terms and conditions of the contract:

**1. The Consultant shall render the following services for the period July 1 to December 31, 2020**

- Implement research on the control and early preparedness techniques/methods for Fall Army Worm infestations;
- Provide technical assistance/support in the conduct of research for Fall Army Worm Management in areas of infestations;
- Mentor and motivate the young generation of researchers (CES and branch stations) from the field of crop protection for R&D skills, competencies, results orientation, innovation and outlook;
- Serve as research adviser to the Crop Protection Division;
- Offer support and provide response to queries on crop protection related issues and concern;
- Assist in the analysis of gender sensitiveness of the crop protection researches; and
- Comply with the Institute's Integrated Management System (IMS) policy.

**2. The Consultant shall comply with the PhilRice Intellectual Property Policy and its implementing guidelines, and specifically, to: Disclose promptly to PhilRice any intellectual property or any information thereto which he may solely or jointly with other discover, generate or create in the performance of this contract, or with use of PhilRice funds,**

facilities, or services: to do all things necessary to assist PhilRice in protecting and commercializing the intellectual property: use any proprietary information on any intellectual property of PhilRice only in the performance of this contract and employ all reasonable precautions to assure that they are not disclosed to unauthorized persons or used in an unauthorized manner, both during this contract or affiliation: and for a period of five (5) years after this contract.

3. In consideration of services actually rendered by the **Consultant** as certified by the Executive Director, in accordance with the time and schedule to be imposed, **PhilRice** shall pay the **Consultant** the amount of **TWENTY THOUSAND PESOS (P 20,000.00)** per month, payable by check and to be collected from the PhilRice Cashier once a month.
4. The **Consultant** shall be entitled to per diem whenever required to travel, subject to existing rules and regulations. The **Consultant** shall also be entitled to support for the conduct of approved research work.
5. This contract does not create an employer-employee relationship between **PhilRice** and the **Consultant**; the services rendered not considered as Government service; and that the **Consultant** is not entitled to benefits enjoyed by the regular personnel of **PhilRice**. **PhilRice**, however, is not precluded from granting incentives due to excellent organizational performance from time to time, provided, the grant of such incentives shall not be construed as to have established an employer-employee relationship between **PhilRice** and the **Consultant**; subject to availability of funds, and the existing auditing rules and regulations.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, both parties have hereunto set their hands this \_\_\_\_<sup>th</sup> day of \_\_\_\_\_ at Maligaya, Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija.

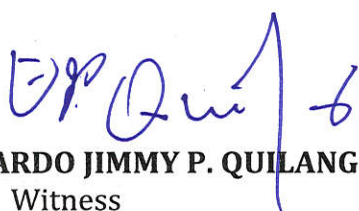
  
**JOHN C. DE LEON**  
PhilRice

  
**RAVINDRA C. JOSHI**  
Consultant

PhilRice ID No.: 90-0501  
Date Issued: May 16, 1990  
Place Issued: Science City of Muñoz, Nueva Ecija

CTC No.: 27816322  
Date Issued: October 3, 2019  
Place Issued: City of San Fernando, Pampanga

Signed in the presence of:

  
**EDUARDO JIMMY P. QUILANG**  
Witness

  
**GENARO S. RILLON**  
Witness

Certified Funds Available


  
**MARY GRACE DG. CORPUZ**  
Head, Finance and Management Division



ACKNOWLEDGMENT

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Province of Nueva Ecija ) S.S.  
Science City of Muñoz )

BEFORE ME, this 28<sup>th</sup> day of AUG 28 2020 personally appeared **JOHN C. DE LEON** and **RAVINDRA C. JOSHI** with their valid IDs appearing below their respective names, personally known to me to be the same persons who executed the foregoing instrument consisting of three (3) pages duly signed by them and their instrumental witnesses on each and every page, and who acknowledged the same to be their own free voluntary act and deed.

  
RODOLFO T. TOBIAS  
Notary Public  
Until December 31, 2020  
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