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To: Dr. Christian Agutaya

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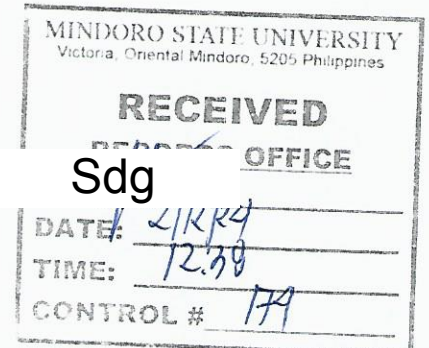
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CHRISTIAN ANTHONY C. AGUTAYA Ph.D.
OIC, Office of the University President

February 7, 2024

Dr. Christian Anthony C. Agutaya
OIC-President
Mindoro State University

Re: Partnership for the MBCC Nursery and Demonstration Farm



Dear Dr. Agutaya,

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Kathy/Lene/S. Cielo
MBCC Manager

Proposal: Collaborative Management of the Nursery and Demonstration Farm at the Mindoro Biodiversity Conservation Center in Dulangan, Puerto Galera

I. Background

A. Mindoro Biodiversity Conservation Center

The center is in Barangay Dulangan, Puerto Galera. Puerto Galera is a Man and Biosphere Reserve declared by UNESCO and is the gateway to the tourism cluster of Mindoro.

It is the physical embodiment of sustainability, benefiting present and future generations by emphasizing the symbiotic relationship between people and natural resources.

In 2020, Mindoro Biodiversity Conservation Foundation Inc. and Mindoro State University (formerly Mindoro State College of Agriculture and Technology) forged an agreement for collaboration related to scientific research and the conservation center, recognizing each party's strengths in conducting studies, project development, and training.

B. Objectives

1. To promote Mindoro biodiversity and conservation in the region and the greater Philippines;
2. To provide facilities for biodiversity conservation education for stakeholders from Mindoro and later for the Philippines;
3. To provide space for the biodiversity collection (preserved specimens from field research done in Mindoro);
4. To provide a rescue/recovery center for endangered animals rescued from illegal traders;
5. To promote habitat restoration and establish a native tree species nursery planted with indigenous and endemic tree species;
6. To provide space to demonstrate and trade handicrafts and products of IP and local communities;
7. To provide an Eco lodge for researchers and training participants.

C. MBCC Components

1. Conservation and Education

The biodiversity center will serve as the “center” for biodiversity conservation and education in Mindoro as it will become the first biodiversity center in the region. The conservation and education component will have the following:

- a. The Library will hold the database collection which contains the published and unpublished articles from and regarding Mindoro. This will also house books, magazines, news, and articles regarding biodiversity and conservation.
- b. The Audio-Visual Room will house facilities for viewing of clips, short films, and videos about biodiversity conservation.
- c. The Conference/ Training room will serve as the function room for capacity building for stakeholders, teachers training, and other biodiversity-related conferences.
- d. The Research Laboratory will cater to different researchers doing studies on Mindoro biodiversity.

2. Museum

Mindoro is one of the major regions for biodiversity conservation. Different research surveys have been done and will still be done in the region. Specimens collected from these surveys can be kept and displayed in the Museum of the Center. The museum could also house paintings, drawings, photographs, and other art collections regarding biodiversity.

3. Wildlife Rescue

A part of the biodiversity center could serve as a Rescue Centre for endangered animals which was previously harmed or illegally traded. This could also serve as a captive breeding facility for threatened and endangered species in the future.

4. Forest Restoration and Nursery

This would feature the native tree species of the Philippines, especially Mindoro. This could provide activities for the visitors to have hands-on experiences in caring for the environment.

- a. Bio-intensive Gardening demonstration sites could provide hands-on experience in organic farming and environment-friendly gardening practices. Fresh produce (fruits and vegetables) harvested from the gardens can be served to visitors.
- b. Native Tree Nursery will feature rainforestation technology for germinating and nurturing seedlings of native tree species.
- c. Forest Restoration Area is a forest habitat rehabilitated using native tree species and rainforestation technology. This will provide visitors with a hands-on experience in tree planting and rainforest site maintenance.

5. Communities and Culture

The biodiversity center will provide space for locals especially IP communities to promote their products. The locals and Mangyans will serve as guides. Visitors could experience cultural immersion with the Mangyan Communities.

6. EcoTourism

- a. A space for an EcoLodge could be provided for those who are going to visit the center for field trips, training, and conferences. This will feature environment-friendly practices (green buildings: energy efficient, rainwater collectors. Solid waste segregation, wastewater management.)
- b. Nature and Museum Field Trip/ Nature Discovery Trail could be offered by providing a trail around the vicinity of the center. A close encounter with Mindoro's biodiversity will help visitors appreciate more our nature and in return will help us in promoting biodiversity conservation.
 - i. Birdwatching activity can be done around the vicinity (with trained locals and Mangyans as guides)
 - ii. The trek will pass through a variety of habitats.
 - iii. Viewing decks and hides may be incorporated throughout the trails with excellent vistas of natural or cultural landscapes or interesting wildlife can be observed.
 - iv. Signages provide interesting information about significant flora and fauna.
 - v. Visitors could also visit Apo Reef Natural Park and other ecotourism sites on the island.

II. Collaborative Management of the Nursery and Demonstration Farm

The nursery and demonstration farm were established under the MISSION Program of MBCFI.

There is a collection of native tree species in the area. Some were planted already in the vicinity, and other seedlings were donated to schools and other tree-planting activities nearby.

Vermicomposting beds were already set and produced more than 500 kg of vermicompost, which are being used as fertilizer for the planted vegetables and trees in MBCC.

Beekeeping was also started in MBCC and constructed a total of twelve (12) boxes, however, the bad typhoon (Paeng) in 2022 destroyed the boxes and lost our stingless bee colonies. The MBCC team is in the process of re-establishing the bee-keeping area and looking for a source of stingless bees in the area.

A. Objectives

1. To provide a learning demonstration area for students;
2. To improve the initial nursery and demonstration farm setups in the MBCC through the expertise of MINSU;

B. Project Management

1. The project should be overall monitored by the MBCC Manager with close coordination with the faculty in charge from MINSU.
2. The overall maintenance will be conducted by the MBCC caretaker.
3. MINSU should regularly provide students in the MBCC as interns to assist in the maintenance and management of the Nursery and Demonstration Farm.

C. List of Activities

1. Maintenance and/ or improvement of the nursery and demonstration farm
2. Regular Inventory of different items in the area
 - a. native tree species
 - b. vegetables
 - c. vermicompost
 - d. other item
3. Development and/or implementation of technology for the nursery and demonstration farm

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Fwd: Partnership for the MBCC Nursery and Demonstration Farm

Kyle Cielo <kathy_s_cielo@mbcfi.org.ph>

Wed 2/7/2024 2:18 PM

To:University President <universitypresident@minsu.edu.ph>

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Nursery and Demonstration Farm Management with MINSU.pdf; 2024 Letter_President Agutaya_MINSU.pdf; MOA_MINSCAT.pdf;

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From: **Kyle Cielo** <kathy_s_cielo@mbcfi.org.ph>

Date: Wed, Feb 7, 2024, 13:35

Subject: Partnership for the MBCC Nursery and Demonstration Farm

To: <universitypresident@minsu.edu>, <mmcrecordsoffice@minsu.edu.ph>, Rainer Magcale <rainer_a_magcale@mbcfi.org.ph>, Jaydee L. Naungayan <jaydee_l_naungayan@mbcfi.org.ph>

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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:

This Memorandum of Agreement (this "MOA") is made and entered into this ____ [MONTH] 2020 by and between:

MINDORO STATE COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND TECHNOLOGY, a state college organized and existing under the laws of the Republic of the Philippines with office address at Victoria, Mindoro Oriental herein represented to by its President, **DR. LEVY B. ARAGO, JR.**, hereinafter referred to as "**MinSCAT**";

AND

MINDORO BIODIVERSITY CONSERVATION FOUNDATION, INC. (MBCFI), a non-stock, non-profit corporation duly organized and existing under Philippine laws, with principal address at Gumamela Street, Barangay Suqui, Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro and Manila Office Unit 406 Richville Corporate Center, 1314 Commerce Ave. Extension, Madrigal Business Park, Alabang, Muntinlupa City 1770 represented herein by its Chairman, **SEBASTIAN C. QUINIONES, JR.**, hereinafter referred to as "**MBCFI**";

And further referred herein collectively as "**PARTIES**";

THE PARTIES AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, **MinSCAT** was established on May 25, 1995 by virtue of Section 2 of Republic Act 8007, which mandates a State College to provide higher vocational, professional and technical instructions and trainings, including the promotion of research, advanced studies and progressive leadership that is responsible in fostering agricultural, fishery and industrial development,

WHEREAS, **MBCFI** has established its primary purpose to enable the conservation of Mindoro's unique and threatened environment, biodiversity and natural resources into perpetuity, through the establishment of integrated biodiversity conservation and development programs, which include improved dissemination of knowledge, management practices and the active participation and collaboration of relevant stakeholders, particularly those who are dependent upon the natural resources of the region;

WHEREAS, **MBCFI** primarily manages on programs that focuses on conservation research, community-based efforts, and awareness advocacies to sustain Mindoro's biodiversity, particularly the natural habitats and its wildlife, including those who are dependent upon the natural resources, which is supported by relevant stakeholders through collaborative conservation projects and activities;

WHEREAS, **MBCFI**'s efforts on conservation research is accomplished under the core program Resources, Environment, Species, and Ecological Assessment for Responsible Change ("**RESEARCH**"), which is involved in biodiversity and socioeconomic profiling, habitat and/or species-focused research studies on ecological services and functions, and regular biodiversity monitoring;

WHEREAS, MBCFI's RESEARCH also establishes partnership with research and academic institution and/or other interested and competent organizations in the implementation of the program;

WHEREAS, MBCFI's priority thrusts can be effectively achieved through the realization of the proposed Mindoro Biodiversity Conservation Center (MBCC) to be located in the locality of Puerto Galera, Oriental Mindoro;

WHEREAS, MBCFI's MBCC will have the following objectives:

1. To promote Mindoro biodiversity and conservation in the region and the greater Philippines
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5. To provide space to demonstrate and trade handicrafts and products of indigenous peoples and local communities
6. To provide an eco-lodge for researchers and training participants
7. To provide a rescue/recovery center for endangered animals rescued from illegal traders/turned over to the DENR;

WHEREAS, MBCFI's MBCC will have a natural history museum that will house specimens collected from researches done in Mindoro and have paintings, drawings, photographs, other art, and exhibits regarding biodiversity;

WHEREAS, MBCFI recognizes **MinSCAT** as a center for training students to become professionals and responsible change agents through the adoption of feasible technologies, establishment of extensive and relevant linkages and networks, and continuous organizational development;

WHEREAS MinSCAT and MBCFI hereby affirm their mutual desire and commitment to sustain and develop their close collaboration and partnership in this joint endeavor, whilst also broadly delineating their various responsibilities, accountabilities, contributions, and functions;

NOW, THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the above premises and of the mutual understanding hereinafter set forth, the Parties do hereby mutually agree on the following:

ARTICLE 1

Description

The Parties have acknowledged that the limited number of institutes engaged in biodiversity conservation is one of the key issues in Mindoro Island, which will be addressed through the establishment of a consensus/cooperation between **MinSCAT** and **MBCFI** that will initiate/encourage other colleges and relevant organizations to be more involved, particularly of such activities mentioned above in **RESEARCH** and **MBCC**.

ARTICLE 2

Responsibilities of the Parties

2.1 MBCFI shall:

2.1.1 Do the following for MinSCAT:

- 2.1.1.1 Serve as the lead institute for this understanding;

- 2.1.3 Prepare an overview of the possible list of engagements for faculty members, and/or technical staff of **MinSCAT**;
- 2.1.4 Prepare the training and activity designs and enhance whenever needed;
- 2.1.5 Enhance biodiversity research capacity skills of the said faculty members and/or technical staff;
- 2.1.6 Co-produce collaborative research studies and other technical output; and
- 2.1.7 Co-facilitate in the monitoring and evaluation of the training program impacts.

2.2. MinSCAT shall:

2.2.1 Do the following for MBCFI:

- 2.2.1.1 Prepare counterpart proposal for every activity participated;
- 2.2.1.2 Select appropriate faculty members and/or technical staff that will participate on the mentioned activities;
- 2.2.1.3 Participate on the enhancement of biodiversity research capacity skills of the said faculty members and/or technical staff;
- 2.2.1.4 Select appropriate students that will participate on the mentioned activities;
- 2.2.1.5 Prepare consent forms for the selected students for every activity;
- 2.2.1.6 Co-produce collaborative research studies and other technical output;
- 2.2.1.7 Co-facilitate in the monitoring and evaluation of the training program impacts.

ARTICLE 3

Indemnity

Each Party shall hold the other Party, its directors, officers, shareholders, employees, agents or representatives free and harmless from any and all liabilities, claims, suits, actions, demands, or damages arising from or in connection with acts or omissions of their respective employees, agents or representatives. This provision shall survive the termination or expiration of this MOA.

ARTICLE 4

Representations

Each Party represents and warrants to the other that it has all the requisite power and authority to enter into and perform this MOA; that all necessary actions, consents and approvals corporate or otherwise, for the execution and performance of this MOA have been duly obtained and are in full force and effect; that each person executing and delivering this MOA on its behalf has been duly authorized by it to execute and deliver this MOA; and that the execution and performance of this MOA are done in good faith and will not violate any law, rule, regulation, or any court order, or any provision of any agreement to which each Party is bound. This provision shall survive the termination or expiration of this MOA.

Each Party represents and warrants that the performance of its obligations under this MOA does not pose a conflict of any kind, (contractual, fiduciary or otherwise), with any third party. Each Party agrees that it shall not create nor permit any such conflict with any third party during the term of this MOA. A Party shall immediately notify the other Party in writing of the filing of any action or proceeding against it or any of its directors or officers in relation to the project.

ARTICLE 5

Waiver

No provision of this MOA shall be considered waived by any Party except when such waiver is given in writing. The waiver by any Party of another Party's breach of, or default under, any provision of this MOA shall not be construed as a waiver of any succeeding breach of, or default under, that or any other provision of this MOA, nor shall any delay or omission on the part of any Party to exercise or avail itself of any right or privilege that it has or may have hereunder operated as a waiver of that right or privilege.

ARTICLE 6

Binding Effect, Assignment

This MOA shall bind and inure to the benefit of the respective successors and assigns of the Parties. Except as otherwise stated in this MOA, no Party may assign any of its rights, benefits or obligations hereunder without the prior written consent of the other Party.

ARTICLE 7

Ethics and Compliance

"**Anti-Bribery Laws**" means the United States Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977 and the United Kingdom Bribery Act 2010 (as amended from time to time), MBCFI's Anti-bribery and Corruption manual and all other applicable national, regional, provincial, state, municipal or local laws and regulations that prohibit the bribery of, or the providing of unlawful gratuities, facilitation payments or other benefits to, any Government Official or any other person, as may be amended from time to time.

"**Related Party**" means in relation to a Party

- (i) any of its Affiliates;
- (ii) any person employed by that Party or its Affiliates;
- (iii) any director or other officers of that Party or its Affiliates; and
- (iv) any person acting for or on behalf of that Party or its Affiliates.

A. Conduct of Business

A.1. MinSCAT acknowledges that:

- (a) they have received a copy of the Shell General Business Principles (or alternatively taken note of the Shell General Business Principles at www.shell.com/sghp);
- (b) they have received a copy of the Shell Code of Conduct (or alternatively has taken note of the Shell Code of Conduct at http://www.shell.com/home/content/aboutshell/who_we_are/our_values/code_of_conduct/);
- (c) they have been made aware of the Shell Global Helpline at http://www.shell.com/home/content/aboutshell/who_we_are/our_values/compliance_helpline/.

A.2. MinSCAT agrees that they and their Related Parties shall adhere to the principles contained in the Shell General Business Principles (or where MinSCAT has adopted equivalent principles, to those equivalent principles) in all its dealings with, for or on behalf of MBCFI

MinSCAT or any of its Related Parties supply staff that work on behalf of **MBCFI** or represent **MBCFI**, **MinSCAT** commit that such staff will behave in a manner that is consistent with the Shell Code of Conduct. **MinSCAT** shall notify **MBCFI** immediately if it becomes aware of any behaviour by **MBCFI** staff, **MinSCAT** or its Related Parties which is, or may be, inconsistent with the Shell General Business Principles, the Shell Code of Conduct or, where the **MinSCAT** have adopted equivalent principles, their equivalent.

B. Compliance with Laws

MinSCAT, in the performance of this MOA and the business resulting therefrom, shall comply, and ensure compliance by its Related Parties, with the Laws.

C. Compliance with Anti-Bribery Laws

C.1. **MinSCAT** represents and warrants that in connection with this MOA or the business resulting therefrom:

- (a) they are knowledgeable about Anti-Bribery Laws applicable to the performance of this MOA and will comply with all such laws,
- (b) neither they nor a Related Party have made, offered or authorised or will make, offer or authorise any payment, gift, promise or other advantage, whether directly or through any other person or entity, to or for the use or benefit of any person where such payment, gift, promise or other advantages would (i) comprise a facilitation payment; and/ or (ii) violate the Anti-Bribery Laws;

C.2. **MinSCAT** undertakes to immediately notify **MBCFI** if in connection with this MOA or the business resulting therefrom it receives or becomes aware of any request from any person for any payment, gift, promise or other advantages of the type mentioned in Clause C.1(b).

C.3. **MBCFI** confirms that its expenditures to **MinSCAT** were expressly made on the basis that Anti-Bribery Laws and the Shell General Business Principles would not be violated. **MinSCAT** acknowledges that the contents of this MOA may be disclosed by **MBCFI** to third parties for the purposes of demonstrating compliance with this Clause.

C.4. **MinSCAT** represents and warrants that neither they nor any of their Related Parties is a person who could assert illegal influence on behalf of **MBCFI** or its Affiliates.

C.5. **MinSCAT** shall indemnify, defend, and hold harmless **MBCFI** and its Related Parties from and against any and all losses, damages, claims, expenses, fines and penalties arising out of **MinSCAT**'s representations in this Clause C being untrue or arising out of **MinSCAT**'s breach of any of its warranties or undertakings in this Clause C.

D. Termination Rights

Immediately by written notice to **MinSCAT**, if in **MBCFI**'s reasonable opinion, **MinSCAT** or any of their Related Parties when performing work in connection with this MOA:

- (a)
 - (i) commits any or causes **MBCFI** or any of its Related Parties to be in breach of applicable Anti-Bribery Laws;
 - (ii) breaches Clause C.5 of this MOA;
 - (iii) commits any or causes **MBCFI** or any of its Related Parties to be in breach of applicable competition laws; or
 - (iv) commits a material breach of the Laws not mentioned in paragraphs (i) and (iii) of this Clause [i.e. (i) and (iii) immediately above]; or

- (b) any conflict of interest arises between **MinSCAT** or any of its Related Parties and **MBCFI** or any of its Related Parties unless accepted in writing by **MBCFI**.

If this MOA is terminated the provisions of Clauses C.5, E.2, E.3 and E.4 shall survive the termination or expiry of this MOA.

E. Audit Rights, Internal Controls and Records Keeping

- E.1. **MinSCAT** and their Affiliates shall maintain adequate internal controls and procedures to assure compliance with Anti-Bribery Laws including but not limited to procedures to ensure that all transactions are accurately recorded and reported in its books and records to reflect truly the activities to which they pertain such as the purpose of each transaction and to whom it was made or from whom it was received.
- E.2. **MinSCAT** shall maintain, either physically, by electronic media or on microfilm, all records and information related to this MOA and/or any work statement in connection therewith for a period of five (5) years after the MOA's end date. Such records and information shall include at a minimum all invoices for payment submitted by **MinSCAT** to **MBCFI** along with complete supporting documentation. **MinSCAT** shall ensure that its Related Parties and third-party contractors comply with the requirements of this Clause E.2.
- E.3. **MBCFI** shall have the right to audit all information, rates and costs and expenses related to this MOA in connection therewith at any time during and within five (5) years after termination of this MOA. **MBCFI** or any person authorized by **MBCFI** may have access at all reasonable times to any place where the records are being maintained and **MinSCAT** shall afford every reasonable facility for this right of access. **MBCFI** shall have the right to reproduce and retain copies of any of the aforesaid records or information. **MinSCAT** shall implement all agreed recommendations arising from the audits within a time scale, mutually agreed with **MBCFI**.
- E.4. Upon **MBCFI**'s request, **MinSCAT** will, as soon as reasonably practical, provide **MBCFI** with all records relating to this MOA and/or any work statement in connection therewith which are created or kept by its Related Parties or third-party contractors.

ARTICLE 8

Amendments

This MOA contains the entire understanding between the Parties with respect to the subject matter hereof and supersedes all prior agreements, oral or written, and all other communications between the Parties relating thereto. This MOA may be amended by the Parties hereto from time to time in writing and signed by their duly authorized representatives.

ARTICLE 9

Effectivity

This MOA shall take effect upon signing hereof and shall be valid for **five (5) years** unless rescinded by any of the Parties involved. Both Parties reserve the right to terminate this MOA with or without cause provided a written notice thereof is given to the other Party at least thirty (30) days prior to the intended date thereof.

Upon any termination of this MOA, neither party shall have any further rights or obligations hereunder except (a) as otherwise provided herein, (b) for rights or obligations accruing prior to the effective date of termination hereof, and (c) those arising out of any breach of, or default hereunder.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties herein have hereunto signed the Memorandum of Agreement at CALAPAN CITY.

MINDORO STATE COLLEGE OF
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MINDORO BIODIVERSITY
CONSERVATION FOUNDATION, INC.

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Levy B. Arago, Jr.
President

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Sebastian C. Quiniones, Jr.
Chairman

SIGNED IN THE PRESENCE OF:

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KATHERINE P. SANCHEZ-ESCALONA
MC DIRECTOR FOR RESEARCH
MINSAT

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES)
CALAPAN CITY CITY

) S.S.

BEFORE ME, a Notary Public for and in CALAPAN CITY personally appeared the following:

Name	Government Issued ID	Place/Date of Issue
LEVY B. ARAGO, JR.	F	Sdg

known to me and to me know to be the same persons who executed foregoing MOA, who acknowledged before me that their respective signatures on the MOA were voluntarily affixed by them for the purposes stated therein, and who declared to me that they have executed the MOA as their free and voluntary act and deed, and that they have the authority to sign on behalf of their respective principals.

WITNESS MY HAND AND SEAL, on the date, year and place first above written.

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Notary Public

ATTY. RAYMOND JOEL L. BALBUENA

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ANNEX A

Specific Deliverables of Each Institution

MinSCAT:

- a. Prepare at least four counterpart proposals for MBCFI research activities per year;
- b. Select at least two faculty members and/or technical staff who will participate in MBCFI research, training for field survey, and monitoring and evaluation activities four times in a year;
- c. Select at least two students who will participate in MBCFI research, training for field survey, and monitoring and evaluation activities four times in a year;
- d. Provide a venue including necessary logistics and participants for a biodiversity conservation talk once a year;
- e. Provide one permanent biodiversity research area or lot for students and teachers per year.

MBCFI:

- a. Prepare at least four trainings and activity designs for two faculty members and two students of MinSCAT;
- b. Provide at least one resource speaker for the biodiversity conservation talk for MinSCAT at least once a year;





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