

Republic of the Philippines Department of Agriculture BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY 692 San Andres St., Malate, Manila

Biosafety Permit for Commercial Propagation Number 22-001 Propa

Eggplant transformation event EE-1 owned and licensed by the University of the Philippines Los Baños (UPLB), with office address at Office of the Chancellor, UPLB Campus College, Laguna has satisfactorily undergone biosafety assessment for commercial propagation pursuant to the DOST-DA-DENR-DOH-DILG Joint Department Circular (JDC) No. 1, Series of 2021. Further, the permittee has satisfactorily complied with all requirements for the issuance of the biosafety permit for commercial propagation. This permit is hereby issued for the commercial propagation of the said regulated article.

This Biosafety Permit for Commercial Propagation shall not excuse the permittee from complying with relevant regulations of other government agencies.

Issued on **October 18 2022** at the Bureau of Plant Industry, San Andres St., Malate, Manila subject to conditions stated at the back of this permit. This permit shall remain valid unless revoked for any reasons set forth under Section 1.J. Revocation of Biosafety Permit for Commercial Propagation.

GERALD GLENN F PANGANIBAN, Ph.D.

Director

Bureau of Plant Industry

Biosafety Permit Conditions

1. The permit holder must comply with the approved Insect Resistance Management (IRM) Plan, submit regular report of seed sales, and conduct the required technical studies:

2. The permit holder must have a valid Plant Incorporated Protectant (PIP) permit, and must comply with other relevant requirements of the Fertilizer and Pesticide

Authority;

3. The permit holder shall likewise implement the BPI-approved IRM plan, including the conduct of required technical studies and regular monitoring reports, in case a stacked trait product containing the EE-1 Eggplant is developed;

4. The permit holder shall not cause the planting and/or commercial propagation of the regulated article in areas that are not identified as agricultural lands; i.e., those

classified as Alienable and Disposable (A&D) lands;

5. The permit holder shall immediately notify the Director of BPI, in writing, if new information on the regulated article and its effects on human and animal health becomes available, and such information is relevant and significant, the risk assessment shall be readdressed to determine whether the risk has changed or whether there is a need to amend the risk management strategies accordingly; and

6. The permit holder shall not cause the commercial propagation in areas where the local government unit has a known policy or ordinance prohibiting the propagation or entry of regulated articles. For this purpose, it shall include in the labeling of

products that these are not intended for propagation in prohibited areas.

Violation of any condition shall lead to revocation of this permit as provided in the DOST-DA-DENR-DOH-DILG Joint Department Circular No.1, Series of 2021 Article VI, Section 15J. In the event new information becomes available indicating that the regulated article could pose greater risks to human and animal health and the environment as compared to its conventional counterpart, the permit holder shall, on its own, immediately take measures necessary to protect human and animal health and the environment.

I have read and understood the Terms and Conditions herein set forth and I enter in this agreement voluntarily and with my express consent; I hereunto affix my signature with full knowledge of its legal effect.

VOSE V. CAMACHO, XIR / LONG DES 12 TAYLO MINING Signature over printed name of the Technology Developer

18 October 2022