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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: CHRIS HANI OCHIENG' RECOMMENDATION

This to certify that **Chris Hani Ochieng'** was attached in Biotechnology Laboratory of the **Kenya Forestry Research Institute (KEFRI)** from **9th May 2016** to **29th July 2016**.

During his attachment, he had undergone rigorous hands on training on various aspects of tree biotechnology with a bias towards applied forest genetics using molecular marker techniques specifically RAPD. He also acquired new knowledge on tree tissue culture, microsymbionts, specifically rhizobia and nematodes. He learnt and improved his practical skills on general microbiology aspects as well as media preparation, culturing and preservation, identification and manipulation of rhizobia for efficient plant growth promotion, development and production of inoculants. He also worked in Tissue culture Laboratory, where he learnt media preparation and aseptic techniques and general techniques in a tissue culture laboratory.

He has good personal qualities, hardworking, social and good interpersonal working relations. He is also a dedicated team player and also personally highly motivated in addition to his excellent laboratory practice and management.

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