



United States Department of Agriculture

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Saied Mostaghimi
104 Hutcheson Hall
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Dear Director Mostaghimi:

Proposed addition to Appendix E to MRP Project NE-1231 Collaborative Potato Breeding and Variety Development Activities to Enhance Farm Sustainability in the Eastern US covering research at Virginia - Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (VA Tech) has been approved. Name of Scientist: Arancibia, Ramon (raran@vt.edu)

Station: Virginia - Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (VA Tech)

Department: ESAREC

Objects:3,4

Resource Commitments: SY(0.1) PY(0) TY(0)

Program(s): not specified

FTE: 0.1

To process your station's contribution to this multistate project, please complete your project initiation (which included your assurance statement) in REEport which can be accessed at: <http://portal.nifa.usda.gov>.

APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Barbara A. Hewitt".

Accountability and Reporting Leader
for Meryl Broussard
Deputy Director, NIFA

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