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Dear Miss,

VISIT TO DOI TUNG

First of all, thank you for accepting our last visit on 10 November 2015. We would like to express our interest in visiting the Doi Tung again on 17 February 2016.

Our team is currently writing the next Johor Forest Management Plan 2016-2015, and we think it would be beneficial for the staff of the department to get some exposure on how other countries, like Thailand are managing the forests. The nearest to us and most convenient is Chiang Mai and Chiang Rai. Therefore we write to you in the hope to obtain your permission to visit and study the ways your foundation is operating.

In Malaysia managing forest had also other priorities beside timber production. We are looking into how forest could be useful in generating income through nature / ecotourism, or as recreation / education forest for local people.

We really hope you could assist to educate us for the visit as planned on the coming 17 February. We are grateful if you could give some lectures and tour around your field stations. Besides we will be happy to see for ourselves and visit how the natives are sustaining themselves on non-timber products of your forest. We have drafted the tentative itinerary and list of participants coming, which is attached at the end of this letter.

If there is any fee that we need to pay please let us know. There will be about 18 people in this visit plan. Our group consist of 16 officers from Johor Forestry Department and 2 officers from University of Tun Hussein Onn Malaysia.

Thank you for your time and attention. We hope for positive response.

Thank you and with best regards.


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