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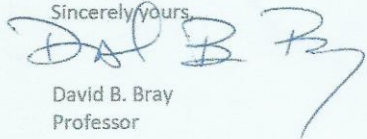
Dear Mr. Marquez Salcido:

I hereby confirm that Dr. Javier Hernández Salas participated in an Academic and Research visit to Florida International University from the 15th to 19th of September, 2014. The visit included the following activities:

- Visit to Lake Okeechobee, source of the Everglades
- Visit to Highland Hammocks State Park, Sebring, Florida. To see original Florida vegetation.
- Visit to University of Florida at Gainesville:
 - Forest Experimental Area-Austin Carey Forest
 - Center of Latin American Studies
 - School of Forest Resource and Conservation
 - Seminar by the Academic Group UACH-CA-15 Sustainable Agroforestry
- Visit to Florida International University:
 - Research meeting with Professors of the Department of Earth and Environment / College of Arts and Sciences
 - Seminar by the Academic Group UACH-CA-15 Sustainable Agroforestry
 - Meeting for conclusions

I am very pleased to have hosted his visit, which I think was very productive.

Sincerely yours,



David B. Bray
Professor