**[Appendix 2] ABSTRACT FORMAT [reference sample]**

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*IbINH* positively regulates drought stress tolerance in sweetpotato (Times New Roman, 15 point)

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**Introduction**

The dramatic increase in world population, accompanied by the decrease in arable land, poses a grave challenge for energy and food supplies. Sweetpotato [Ipomoea batatas (L.) Lam] is considered, among major crops, as a crop that produces the most human-edible energy, as much as 194 MJ ha-1 day-1 (Daryanto et al., 2016). --------

**Results**

To examine whether *IbINH* is involved in the regulation of drought stress, we generated transgenic sweetpotato plants overexpressing (referred to as SI plants) or down-regulating the expression (referred to as RI plants) of *IbINH* by *Agrobacterium*-mediated transformation. Twelve independent SI plants were confirmed ------------------------------------------------

**1~2 Figures or Tables (if necessary)**

**Discussion**

Sugars such as sucrose, glucose and fructose have an essential function in plant metabolism. They not only function as metabolic resources and structural constituents of cells, but also act as important regulators in various biological processes in plant growth and development (Koch, 2004). ----------------------------------

**References**

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