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DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

Botanical Name: *Rhaphis excelsa* (Thunb.) A.Henry

Family: Arecaceae.

Common Name: Bamboo palm, broadleaf lady palm.

Origin: Southern Asia from Japan and Southern China south to Sumatra.

Characters:

- It eliminate air borne contaminants.
- It purifies and improve the quality of air.
- It removes harmful toxin such as ammonia and xylene.
- It is an outdoor plant.
- It has large, hand shaped leaves.
- It has long, glossy, dark green leaflets.
- It has low light tolerance.
- It is beautiful ornamental plant.

