PLANT FACT SHEET

Chelyocarpus chuco (Mart.) H. E. Moore

GENUS *Chelyocarpus* **FAMILY** Arecaceae

EDIBLE PARTS AND USES

Edible parts: Fruit

The fruit is fermented to make an alcoholic drink.
Caution: Alcohol is a cause of cancer.

DESCRIPTION

A palm.

HABITAT

It is a tropical plant

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