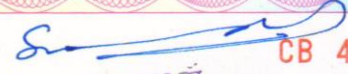


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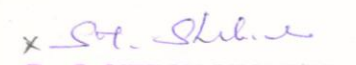



**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as the "MoU") is made and executed on this 12th June, 2020 in Madurai.

BETWEEN

Environmental Information System (ENVIS) (funded by the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, GOI New Delhi), Thiagarajar College of Engineering (a Govt. aided Autonomous Institution affiliated to Anna University) and having address at Thiruparankundram, Madurai - 625 015, Tamil Nadu, India (hereinafter referred to as "TCE")

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PG and Research Department of Botany, Thiagarajar College (a Govt. aided Autonomous Institution, affiliated to Madurai Kamaraj University) and having address at 139-140, Kamarajar Salai, Madurai, Tamil Nadu, 625 009, India (hereinafter referred to as "TC").

The expressions "TCE" and "TC" shall, collectively be referred to as "Parties" and individually as "Party".

NOW THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH AND IT IS AGREED BY AND BETWEEN THE PARTIES AS UNDER:

**1. Objective**

Sharing of knowledge, skill development, collaboration in the fields of Academic and Research programmes, consultancy and advocacy, on the core area of 'Waste Management' is the ultimate objective of the MoU between parties. Curriculum development, introduction of academic courses, suits to the participating Higher Education Institutions, to enrich the existing knowledge for the benefit of stakeholders, cross cutting the edge of several disciplines including Botany, Biotechnology, Zoology, Microbiology, Chemistry, industrial engineering and technology, Material Sciences, Computer Science and allied subjects.

**2. Scope**

i) The mutual cooperation includes designing of curriculum for offering courses related to 'Waste Management, Waste Recycling and Reuse' and to exchange expertise in knowledge sharing, imparting skills to the learner groups and stakeholders. Efforts will be undertaken to expose the learner communities to the industries to acquire the adequate knowledge and to develop newer innovative methods and management principles, contributing to the core area of waste management through reduction, recycling and reuse of domestic, municipal and industrial wastes materials. This will be undertaken, to develop skills on entrepreneurship self-employment skills and employability, to the beneficiaries of the institutions, through the academic programmes.

ii) The mutual cooperation includes the exchange of faculty members, researchers, research scholars and students between the two collaborating Higher Education Institutions to undertake

  
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the research and extension activities in the thrust areas of solid and liquid waste recycling especially by biological means and reuse of refined materials, following recycling.

iii) The application of research results in terms of scientific publications, patents filing and consultancy projects shall have the proportional benefits to these two collaborating institutes and personnel, depending upon their contribution to the specific tasks undertaken.

### 3. Responsibilities of the Parties

Introduction of curriculum based academic programmes, in these institutions through the combined efforts in framing of Outcome-Based Education syllabi and on the academic framework guidelines of the University and accrediting agencies, under which the collaborating Parties of the Higher Educational Institutions are functioning.

Project proposal preparation and submission to inter institutions and extra mural funding to funding agencies and ministries of state and Indian Government and overseas funding agencies

Budget and utilization of grants for the collaborative projects of Parties between these two institutions will be utilized as per the sanction by the funding agencies. The method of fund utilization will be followed as per the guidelines of the funding agencies as well as the PIs' institutions.

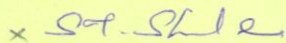
Cooperation will be extended in the handling of research projects in the monitoring of the progress as well as preparation and timely submission of the technical reports and presentation of research results.


### 4. Terms of the MoU

The terms of this MoU is for 3 years commencing from 12th June, 2020. The parties may decide to further extend the term of this MoU by mutual consent on such terms and conditions as may be agreed between them.

### 5. Amendment/Termination

- i. Any amendment to the terms of this MoU can only be made by mutual consent of the parties.

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- ii. This MoU may be terminated by either party, for breach of terms and conditions of the present MoU or otherwise, by a written notice of at least one (1) month in advance. Such notice of termination shall not interfere with the batches underway at the relevant time. Such batches shall be allowed to continue until their conclusion.

#### 6. Further Agreements

The parties agree that, they may mutually discuss and enter into further agreements, if needed.

#### 7. Confidentiality

The Parties agree to maintain strict secrecy and confidentiality regarding any and all Confidential Information exchanged or to be exchanged between them in relation to this MOU

#### 8. Applicable Law and Dispute Settlement

- i. This MOU shall be governed by the Laws of India.
- ii. Any dispute arising between the parties in connection with or arising out of the performance of mutual obligations under this MOU shall be resolved by mutual discussion and consultation. If the dispute remained unresolved even after 30 days, then the dispute shall be referred to Dr.S. Mercy Shalinie, Principal, Thiagarajar College of Engineering and Dr. D. Pandiaraja, Principal, Thiagarajar College. The decision of Dr.S. Mercy Shalinie and Dr. D. Pandiaraja shall be final and binding on both parties.

For Thiagarajar College of Engineering



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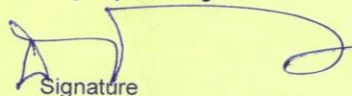
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Witness:

Dr. R. Vasudevan  
Dean - Extra Curricular Activities  
Professor in Chemistry  
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