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DECLARATION FOR SAGY INITIATIVE

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The All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) is a statutory body established by an Act of Parliament for coordinated and planned development of technical education in the Country under Department of Higher Education, Ministry of Human Resource Development. The Council has accorded approval to around 10,300 institutes with intake capacity of 3.7 million students.

AICTE has organized a 2 days' National conference on "Developed Village - Developed Nation" on 29th and 30th October, 2017 for the villages adopted by Hon'ble Members of Parliament – Prime Minister's Dream Project. Approximately 300 active members of All India Panchayat Parishad, Dialogue India, Maulik Bharat, Prithvi Foundation, News 1 India and other Associates / Member Organizations participated and contributed to make the event successful. The challenges of our times Like Unemployment, over depending on the Government, Ecology, UNDP priorities, sluggish progress in actions and impractical approaches were the key issues addressed in the conference.

It has been decided that the AICTE approved institutions located in a particular district will be connected with adopted village under SAGY for technological intervention and networking with for holistic transformation by identifying the possibilities of localized employment, convergence, cost reduction, full use of constitutional provisions for Panchayati Raj, Youth and Women partnership etc.. The students will work on 7 I's - Innovative, implementable, investigative, and inclusive ideas for India; as well as 6P's - public, private, panchayat, profitable, progressive, partnership. The students shall also work on 5C's - convergence, co-ordination, cost reduction, clarity, and capital output ratio.

The major support of the students will be provided through the networking with the following: Followings are the salient points of deliberations in the conference:

- The National Research Development Corporation will provide all the research and technological support along with EDP programs as a Knowledge Partner.
- African-Asian Rural Development Organization (AARDO) is going to share the good practices from the member countries.
- Associating private universities to take forward the entire program of SAGY with AICTE, to accelerate Grama Swaraj resulting minimum 20 to 25 job creation year on year at about 8000 blocks

- MA-BAAP (MASS AWAKENING AND BLOCK ADOPTION AND ADAPTATION PROGRAM) for facilitation by local resource holders and stake holders.
- To Build a momentum by involving the humanitarian and spiritual based institutions with Panchayati Raj and the other civil societies for grass root strengthening and egalitarian civil developmental, transparent happy society.
- Various service providers, rural technology providers, Associations, Councils, NRIs and productivity professionals etc.; to be brought on common platform to facilitate this transformation of rural India by using existing and innovative programmes.
- International Chamber of Media & Entertainment Industry (ICMEI) has volunteered to integrate AICTE – SAGY initiative with the Media & Entertainment Industries of all the Nations of the World for the achievement of international co-operation, peace and prosperity. Other chambers of commerce, Industry associations and similar national and international organizations could also be invited for making the initiative successful.
- To bring out the best of the ancient and modern practices through ancient practices like the role of naturopathy, Ayurved, Unani, Siddha, Homeopathy etc. Ministry of AYUSH will be associated.
- All India Panchayat Parishad and all well-wishers of Vibrant India offered their wholehearted active co-operation in implementing all 29 subjects of Panchayati Raj.

Some of the action points discussed for accelerating the speed of holistic development:

- To conduct Rural Hackathon (Technology Intervention) to find solution of local problem.
- To give awards to Student, Senior Citizen, Teacher, Institute, etc. for working in adopted villages for:
 - Creation of more than 25 jobs at least in 4 categories
 - ❖ Helping local schools to achieve 12th Result 100% and their enrolment in Higher/Technical /Vocational Education
 - Preparing an actionable DPR for Doubling the village Income
 - Devolving Sustainable Water Management system
 - Motivating and achieving a target of reverse trend of around 5 youth in a year from City to Village
 - Developing and implementing Low Cost Sanitation facilities
 - Tourism Promotion Innovative Approaches
 - Promotion of Three Appropriate Technologies
 - Per Capita reduction in Energy Consumption by at least 25%
 - Skill to 100 (Minimum 30 Girls) People Resulting into Rs. 6,000 Job
 - Developing localized techniques for up to 50% Reduction in Housing Cost
 - Facilitating 100% Digitized money transactions
 - Setting of Information imparting club for women leading to contribution in social and economic issues
 - Developing and managing Efficient garbage disposable system

Methodology

AICTE will coordinate this program under the guideline set up by the extended committee being constituted by AICTE at national and state level. Volunteers will be identified and trained to align with our objectives as per the declaration to so that we can take forward the entire program of SAGY. Local Workshops, brainstorming sessions from time to time will be organized to take these joint moves forward. Using the facilities of existing training, research institutions on the 6 P's model for localized plan making with Panchayats and monitoring them. All training centers for schemes like Model villages, MPLAD schemes. Mera Gaon Mera Gaurav etc., may adopt area or block and earn income on turnkey consultancy. Voluntary Action Cell (VAC) division, Panchayati Raj advisor, Rural Development adviser from NITI AYOG along with others must join the steering group for documenting the SOPP models. Non operative schemes or backward areas, tribal areas could be as weak areas of India are taken up with us for joint planning and action research for replication. All these will be Localized initiatives with local leaders and resources markets.

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