MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

RAJYA ANAND SANSTHAN

AND

ALL INDIA COUNCIL FOR TECHNICAL EDUCATION (AICTE)

29th July, 2023
This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) entered on this date of 29th July of the year 2023.

By and between

All India Council for Technical Education, Nelson Mandela Marg, Vasant Kunj, New Delhi-110070 (hereinafter referred as AICTE, NCC-IP)

And

Rajya Anand Santhan, Board Office Campus, Bhopal – 462011 (hereinafter referred as RAS).

RAS and AICTE, NCC-IP are referred to individually as a “Party” and collectively as “Parties”. Both Parties have reached the following understanding to collaborate as per below described articles of this MOU.

1. Purpose and Area of collaboration

RAS and AICTE, NCC-IP are interested in working together with mutual collaboration to give each other’s strengths in faculty development programme, student development programme, institutional capacity building, research project developments, pilot projects considering the long term benefits of sharing the knowledge and resources and establish a strong collaboration

The mutually agreed activities by and between the parties are as under:

a) RAS to act as knowledge partner of AICTE, NCC-IP related to faculty & student development, institutional capacity building, research and innovation development and provide its expertise to design and conduct jointly programs accordingly.

b) To organize joint events, workshops, conferences and training programmes

2. Co-ordination and Nodal Officer

Both entities shall mutually decide and designate a nodal officer. The nodal officer will have responsibility for fulfilling the objectives of this agreement and also will carry out all activities mutually agreed by the parties.

3. Scope

The Parties acknowledge and agree that the Areas of Collaboration are not exhaustive in nature and the Parties shall in good faith, negotiate to elaborate upon the Areas of Collaboration, including additional areas of collaboration as may be mutually agreed and the rights, responsibilities and obligations of each Party in relation to each of the Areas of Collaboration.

4. Duration

This MOU shall be valid after its signature from the date of signing till for THREE years and parties may further extend the MOU with mutual written consent.
5. GENERAL TERMS

Financial arrangement for specific project/activities will be separately discussed and after mutual agreed on case-to-case basis.

Proposed Activities

To begin with RAS Proposed to expend the reach of UHV content in the state of Madhya Pradesh. For this purpose following arrangements is mutually agreed upon.

1. AICTE, NCC-IP will Nominate and provide three resource persons to RAS for smooth operation / conduction of “Anand Sabha” program operated on the basis of Universal Human Values (UHV). This program will be made available to all district of MP as well as CM Rise & Excellence school in Madhya Pradesh. The number of resource persons can also be increased or decreased as per the requirement with the consent of both the parties.

2. These resource persons will be appointed in RAS, Bhopal on contract basis for three (3) years, which can be further extended as per requirement and on the basis of consent of both the parties

3. Resource person will work under the direction of RAS and guidance of NCC-IP, AICTE, NCC-IP.

4. These resource persons will be helpful in developing such abilities through training and guidance to Anandks and all the teachers/facilitator who are conducting the Anand Sabha program, so that they can properly present the proposals of universal human value input to the participants.

5. Apart from this, the resource person will provide necessary support for conducting universal human value based program in RAS, Bhopal for general public.

6. Necessary correspondence will be made by RAS with AICTE, NCC-IP regarding the attendance and evaluation of the work of the resource person.

7. Resource person will be paid honorarium amount of Rs.35,000/- and mobile allowance amount of Rs.1000/- per month on the basis of his presence by RAS.

8. RAS will provide free accommodation or Rs. 10,000/- per month accommodation allowance to each resource person for stay in Bhopal.

9. TDS and other deduction will be made on all these payments as per rules.

10. The eligibility for travel expenses and hotel stay facility for the resource person on tour outside the Bhopal/state will be in accordance with the arrangements made by the RAS for District Program Leaders through letter no3771/A./Institution/ 2018.
11. To meet the incidental expenses for programs conducted outside Bhopal resource person will be paid by RAS Rs. 500/- per day as per letter No. 2957/A./Institution/2018.

12. The resource person will be entitled for 13 days casual leave and 3 days optional leave in a year. If the resource person nominated by AICTE, NCC-IP is on leave for more than 15 days, RAS may seek alternate resource person from AICTE, NCC-IP during his leave period. Accordingly, resource person will be made available to RAS by AICTE, NCC-IP as an alternate arrangement.

13. If the work of any resource person is not found in accordance with the activities/programmes of RAS, their services can be returned to AICTE, NCC-IP after giving a prior notice of one month. Accordingly, other resource person will be provided to RAS by AICTE, NCC-IP.

14. The AICTE, NCC-IP has to submit a bill every month to RAS for payment of the amount as per clause 7 & 8 above, based on which RAS will directly transfer (pay) the said amount to AICTE, NCC-IP’s bank account.

6. Confidentiality and Public Announcement:
Both the parties shall not disclose the confidential, proprietary, and trade secret information to any third party. Any public announcement relating to the activities undertaken under this MoU made shall be as agreed by both the parties.

7. TERMINATION
This MoU shall also terminate without liability to either party if otherwise agreed to by the Parties in writing with a notice period of Three months.

8. DISPUTE SETTLEMENT
All disputes arising out of or related to this MoU, including without limitation all matters connected with its performance, will be governed by, and construed and interpreted under the Indian laws. The decision in this regard by the Competent Authority, AICTE shall be deemed as final.

For and on behalf of RAJYA ANAND SANSTHAN, Bhopal

Name: Sh. Satya Prakash Arya
Designation: Director

For and on behalf of AICTE

Name: Dr. R K Soni
Designation: Advisor –II (Admin)
Addendum to Memorandum of Understanding
between
All India Council for Technical Education
and
Rajya Anand Sansthan

There has been some changes in the Memorandum of Understanding between
All India Council for Technical Education (AICTE) and Rajya Anand Sansthan (RAS) signed on 29 July, 2023.

Amended paras are as under:

1. **Purpose and Area of collaboration**
   a) NCCIP to act as an knowledge partner of RAS related to faculty & student development, institutional capacity building, research and innovation development and provide its expertise to design and conduct programs accordingly.

5. **GENERAL TERMS**
   1. NCC-IP will provide list of competent resource persons to RAS for smooth operation / conduction of "Anand Sabha" programs operated on the basis of Universal Human Values (UHV). This program will be made available to all districts as well as CM Rise & Excellence school in Madhya Pradesh. RAS will appoint resource persons on contract basis as per their rules. AICTE has no financial liability on this.
   2. RAS, Bhopal to select & appoint three resource persons from the list provided by NCCIP on contract basis for three (3) years, which can be further extended as per requirement and on the basis of consent of resource person and RAS.
   3. Resource persons will work under the direction of RAS and under the guidance of NCC-IP.
6. Necessary correspondence, on a quarterly basis, will be made by RAS with NCC-IP regarding the progress of work.

13. If the work of any resource person is not found in accordance with the activities/programmes of RAS, NCC-IP will inform the same to RAS and RAS will take necessary action against them as per its rules and will provide alternate resource person from the list provided by NCC-IP.

14. The payment will be made by the Rajya Anand Sansthan directly to the bank account of the resource persons selected by RAS, Bhopal, as per the terms and conditions mentioned in their engagement letters.

8. DISPUTE SETTLEMENT

All disputes arising out of or related to this MOU, including without limitation all matters connected with its performance, will be governed by, and construed and interpreted under the Indian laws. The arbitration will be conducted in accordance with the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, as may be in force from time to time. The arbitration proceedings will be conducted in New Delhi.

For and on behalf of Rajya Anand Sansthan, Bhopal

Name: Shri Satya Prakash Arya,
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