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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

FOR

THE GROWTH OF GREEN ENTREPRENEURS IN WEST BENGAL

BETWEEN



NETAJI NAGAR COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
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AND



Environment Conservation Society
(SwitchON Foundation)

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THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (hereinafter called as the 'MoU') is entered into on this the (Date, Month & Year) at Kolkata, West Bengal

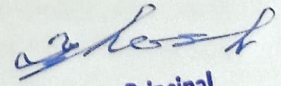
BETWEEN

Netaji Nagar College for Women having its campus at 170/13/1 Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose Road, Regent Estate, Kolkata-700092, hereinafter referred to as the "COLLEGE", represented by **Dr. Tapan Kumar Ghosh, Principal** as the which expression shall unless repugnant to the context or meaning thereof be deemed to mean and include its successors-in-office, administrators, executors, legal representatives and permitted assigns of the **FIRST PART**.

AND

Environment Conservation Society (SwitchON Foundation), Address: Jaju Bhawan, Debendra Lal Khan Rd, Sector I, Bhowanipore, Kolkata, West Bengal 700027, represented by its Senior Project Manager, namely **Mr. Debdoot Chakrabarti**, hereinafter referred to as "Partner" (which




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expression shall, where the context so admits, be deemed to include its successors, executors and administrators and assigns) of the **SECOND PART**.

First Party and Second Party are hereinafter jointly referred to as 'Parties' and individually as 'Party'

WHEREAS:

- A) First Party is a Higher Educational Institution named **Netaji Nagar College for Women**,
- B) the **SECOND PARTY** herein is Environment Conservation Society (SwitchON Foundation) a leading not for profit, established in 2008, working in the space of Renewable Energy Access, Sustainable Agriculture/Livelihoods and Skilling – Education
- C) the **SECOND PARTY**'s initiative of Clean Air and Sustainable Cities programme, supported by the Department of Power, Government of West Bengal to create an ecosystem for green entrepreneurship in Bengal.

Clean Air & Sustainable Cities

In 2010, the Clean Air and Sustainable Communities (CASC) initiative took root as a distinctive program under the umbrella of the SwitchON Foundation. The primary aim of CASC is to promote inclusive public participation, contribute to informed policymaking, and foster collaboration with government authorities. Its overarching mission is to expedite awareness initiatives targeting children, youth, and civil society on crucial issues such as Air Pollution and Climate Change.

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Under the stewardship of SwitchON, the Clean Air Championship Networks have been successfully instituted in more than 150 schools, complemented by the establishment of 13 Clean Air Networks spanning the regions of West Bengal, Jharkhand, and Odisha. These endeavors are made possible through strategic partnerships with esteemed governmental and non-governmental organizations, including WBPCB, JPCB, OPCB, CES, Earth Day Network, WWF, and Energy Swaraj Foundation. Together, these collaborations work harmoniously to elevate awareness and inspire positive actions for cleaner air in the community.

Meaning and significance of CASC Members

CASC Network Members comprise academic institutions, incubators, university entrepreneur programs, technology parks, private non-profits, and private for-profits. The form of the member organization will be dependent on what interested parties are available in each region. Ideally, the CASC Member will be a well-established incubator/innovation center that can administer the CASC programs.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AGREED THAT:

FIRST PARTY AND SECOND PARTY will engage in good faith to create an entrepreneurial culture in the state of West Bengal through the following mutually agreed upon initiatives and interventions.

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CLAUSE 1: CO-OPERATION

- 1.1 Assessing the needs of the and opportunities and developing customized solutions in meeting these needs;
- 1.2 Provide programming (framework and content) developed by the CASC to the Institute at no/low cost;
- 1.3 Sharing best practices with the Institute thus making it more effective in the most cost-efficient manner;
- 1.4 Co-operation in conduction of Student Internship Programme and providing certificates of the same.
- 1.5 Starting a Green Bengal Innovation Movement and involving the Institute in showcasing their activities and initiatives pertaining to innovation and entrepreneurship in the green sector.
- 1.6 The term of Definitive Documents shall be mutually decided between the Parties in joint consultation. Along with the Definitive Documents, this MOU shall represent the entire understanding as to the subject matter hereof and shall supersede any prior understanding between the Parties on the subject matter hereof.
- 1.7 Both parties herein can jointly / individually provide a certificate along with joint signature to the trainee students of First Party.

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CLAUSE 2: SCOPE OF THE MOU

2.1 Skill Training in the form of Workshop or Certificate Course: The **SECOND PARTY** will provide skill development and entrepreneurship development Training Programs for the trainee students of **FIRST PARTY** and vice-versa at no cost.

Student groups will be provided by the **FIRST PARTY** to participate in activities, events, and competitions organized by the **SECOND PARTY** with prior mutual consent.

2.2 **FIRST PARTY** may organize events with the assistance of **SECOND PARTY** on a prior approval basis. As part of the relationship, the **FIRST PARTY** will support the **SECOND PARTY** with their faculties and personnel as an event expert, speaker, etc. with travel expenses given to them by the **SECOND PARTY**.

2.3 The **FIRST PARTY** will provide support in making training modules in sustainable thematic areas for the **SECOND PARTY**. The **FIRST PARTY** will assist/support the **SECOND PARTY** in creating training modules and provide trainers based on sustainable themes.

2.4 The **SECOND PARTY** will provide the **FIRST PARTY** at least one short-term live project per year on any CASC-related theme conducted at the **FIRST PARTY's** campus. Under any circumstances., the said project's estimated cost shall not exceed INR 15,000 and will be provided by the **SECOND PARTY** only. Before the allocation of funds, the live projects will be examined and approved by the **SECOND PARTY**.

2.5 Every year, the **FIRST PARTY** will organize at least one event on green entrepreneurship theme aligned with the **FIRST PARTY's** event list, wherein the **SECOND PARTY** will participate as a guest only. The **SECOND PARTY** will support the development and formation of a student representative body and student ambassador on campus. The **FIRST PARTY** will be in charge of maintaining and providing guidance assistance for the program's smooth running by the **SECOND PARTY**.

2.6 The **FIRST PARTY** will support the **SECOND PARTY** by providing their auditorium/College campus as the venue of the event on CASC-related thematic area

2.7 The **FIRST PARTY** shall extend its support to the **SECOND PARTY** by offering its faculty members as resource persons when requested by the **SECOND PARTY**. Conversely, the

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SECOND PARTY shall reciprocate by facilitating the provision of resource persons to the **FIRST PARTY** whenever the **FIRST PARTY** hosts any event or webinar.

2.8 The parties herein will share regular feedback to each other in terms of the lessons learnt and provide necessary resources to achieve the goals of the partnership; respect good business practices by operating transparently, putting in place measures to assure the maximum possible environmental and business practices, and offering high standards of quality, redress and transparency to end users.

2.9 There is no financial commitment on the part of **NETAJI NAGAR COLLEGE FOR WOMEN**, the first party to take up any program mentioned in MoU. If there is any financial consideration, it will be dealt separately.

2.10 Both Parties to obtain all internal approvals, consents, permissions, and licenses of whatsoever nature required.

In addition, all parties agree to:

- Provide regular feedback to the MoU partners of the lessons learnt, provide necessary resources to achieve the goals of the partnership.
- Acknowledge the partnership by appropriate use of the names and logos of the other parties in publications and marketing,
- Respect good business practices by operating transparently, putting in place measures to assure the maximum possible environmental and business practices, and offering high standards of quality, redress and transparency to end users.

Terms of Agreement

- This agreement shall come into force and bind the Parties hereto from the day it is executed.
- This agreement shall continue to be in full force and effect for a period of 1 YEARS, starting from the date of commencement of joint activities.
- The Parties agree to keep confidential the existence and content of this Agreement, as well as any information exchanges between the Parties that is expressly indicated to be confidential.

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Agreement

The undersigned agree to the above terms to work together in establishing a successful and sustainable project.

The partnership can be terminated within one (1) month by either party at any time, with notice given in writing (email included) to all other parties, and one (1) month allowed for dispute resolution.

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Date of signing of MOU

The MOU was entered at **Kolkata, West Bengal** on (Date of signing the MoU)

Signed, Sealed and Delivered

For NETAJI NAGAR COLLEGE FOR WOMEN

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Principal

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For SwitchON Foundation (The Environment Conservation Society)

Mr. Debdoot Chakrabarti

Senior Project Manager

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Witness from FIRST PARTY

Co-ordinator, IQAC

Netaji Nagar College for Women

Witness from SECOND PARTY