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For Whom EPTRI, H.No. 474

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

**JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD
(JNTUH), HYDERABAD
and**

**ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION TRAINING AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE (EPTRI),
HYDERABAD**

FOR THE COLLABORATIVE EDUCATION, RESEARCH & TRAINING

This Memorandum of Understanding signed on ----- between ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION TRAINING AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE, established in 1992 registered under the Societies Registration Act, 1860 and having its registered office at 91/4, Gachibowli, Hyderabad, Telangana 500 032 (herein after known as EPTRI) and JAWAHARLAL NEHRU TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY HYDERABAD, established on 2nd October 1972 by the Legislature of the State of Andhra Pradesh as the first-ever Technological University in the country, having its office at Kukatpally, Hyderabad - 500 085, Telangana (herein after known as JNTUH) is intended to facilitate a collaborative program of Education, Research, Training, in the field of Environment and allied subjects between the two institutions.

Whereas,

- (A) EPTRI is managed by a Board of Governors. mostly representatives of the Government of Telangana and Government of India. The main objective of EPTRI is to provide training, consultancy, applied research services and advocacy in the areas of environmental protection. EPTRI has core strength of professionals from various fields of science and engineering -

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environment, spatial engineering, chemical, physics, Geology, geography, botany, zoology, bio-technology, social sciences, solid waste management and bio-medical waste and management.

(B) JNTUH has been in the forefront during the past forty four years in providing quality technical education of relevance in the State of Andhra Pradesh (in Telangana since 2014) After 37 years of relentless service to the society at Large, JNT University was restructured into four different Universities namely JNT University Hyderabad, JNT University Anantapur, JNT University Kakinada and JNFAU by the Government of Andhra Pradesh vide Government Order No. 13, dated 18 August 2008 and the Act of State Legislature No. 30, dated September 2008. From then, this university was re-designated as Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad (JNTUH), Hyderabad.

Whereas, both EPTRI, Hyderabad and JNTUH (herein after together referred to as parties) are empowered by their bylaws to enter into cooperative agreement of this nature with other universities / institutes in respect to the subjects related to achieve its goals objectives as stated by their bylaws.

NOW THEREFORE PARTIES HERETO AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

To enter into Memorandum of Understanding for a joint collaborative program of Education, Research, Training, in the field of Environment t and allied subjects between the two institutions.

1. PURPOSE

EPTRI and JNTUH desiring to develop cooperation and collaboration in Education, Research, Training and other agreed activities that further the aims and objectives of both parties mutually agreed as follows:

- i. Co-operation on Water conservation activities
- ii. Exchange of information, teaching materials, technological and scientific publications.
- iii. Providing mutual opportunities for faculty members and Researchers to deliver lectures.
- iv. Internships to the students
- v. Cooperation in mutual projects.
- vi. Organization of Lectures, Symposia, Webinars, International Meetings, Conferences, Training Programmes and Workshops.
- vii. Joint Ph D, Thesis, Papers etc.

2. IMPLEMENTATION

- i. All programs or activities implemented under the term of this memorandum of understanding shall be mutually agreed upon in writing, including the necessary budget for the program of activity as the need may arise.
- ii. Both EPTRI and JNTUH shall be fully responsible financially for the activities carried out under its direction or by its staff, except as otherwise agreed by EPTRI and JNTUH



- iii. Both EPTRI and JNTUH will designate one officer each who will develop and coordinate specific programs or activities between them.

3. DURATION AND RENEWAL OF AGREEMENT

The memorandum of understanding will become effective immediately after signature by the representatives of both EPTRI and JNTUH for a period of FIVE years. The MoU may be subject to renewal on mutual consent of both parties, for the period internally agreed upon.

4. AMENDMENTS

- a) This memorandum of understanding may be amended by a written agreement signed by the representatives of both EPTRI and JNTUH.
- b) In the event of any unforeseen incident during collaborative activities both EPTRI and JNTUH agree to negotiate a mutually and acceptable solution.
- c) Should any disagreement arise out of the application, interpretation or implementation of this agreement, the both EPTRI and JNTUH shall endeavor to exercise best efforts to negotiate their differences.

5. FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENT:

There will not be any financial commitment between the parties and cost, if any, for exchange of faculty and students shall be borne by the individual or borrowing organization as the case may be.

6. CONFIDENTIALITY:

1. Each party recognizes that pursuant to this MoU, if, given access to information that is confidential and /or proprietary to the other party; and agrees to undertake not to use any such confidential, proprietary or restricted information for the own purpose without the prior written consent of the other party.
2. Both the parties shall take all reasonable steps to keep confidential (and ensure that its employees, students, associates and agents also keep them confidential), any subject matter and information or material classified as confidential, whether technical or commercial, acquired formally or informally by either party from the other or their staff or students or by the Researcher(s) concerned in the work done or to be done under this agreement.
3. Neither party shall assign and/or transfer any nor all of its rights, obligation and/or interests arising or claimed under or by virtue of this MoU to a third party without obtaining the prior written consent of the other party.



- Both parties agree to subscribe to the principles of equal opportunity and will not discriminate on the basis of gender, age, disability, race, colour, religion, marital status, veteran's status, national or ethnic origin, or sexual orientation.

7. TERMINATION

During the validity of this Agreement, each party shall be entitled to terminate the same at any time, without assigning any reason, after giving six months advance notice to the other party. Notwithstanding such termination, each party shall fulfill all obligations accrued under this agreement prior to the time the termination becomes effective.

8. NOTICES

All notices and other communications required to be served on JNTUH, Hyderabad under the terms of this MoU, shall be considered to be duly served if the same has been delivered to, left with or posted by registered mail to the party at its last known address of business. Similarly, any notice to be given to the EPTRI shall be considered as duly served if the same has been delivered to, left with or posted by registered mail to the EPTRI at its registered address in Hyderabad.

9. LAW & JURISDICTION

This MoU is to develop and promote the student/institutional capacity building/research activities and does not have any legal binding. However, for administrative purposes the parties to this MoU agree to legal jurisdiction of Civil Courts of Hyderabad.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF both the **PARTIES** hereto have signed this MoU on this day, month and year as mentioned herein below;

In representation of

EPTRI, Hyderabad

**Authorized Signatory
DIRECTOR
EPTRI, Hyderabad**

JNTUH, Hyderabad

**Authorized Signatory
REGISTRAR
JNTUH
Hyderabad**

Witnesses:

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