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This Memorandum of Understanding between Deshbandhu College for Girls and Vivekananda College, Thakurpukur, for mutual cooperation fostering collaborative academic growth, program development and research in the subject of Environmental Science.

This Memorandum of Understanding made this 2nd day of May, 2023

BETWEEN

✓ *Anita Chattopadhyay Gupta*  
DR. ANITA CHATTOPADHYAY GUPTA  
PRINCIPAL  
DESHBANDHU COLLEGE FOR GIRLS  
KOLKATA

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Vivekananda College  
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**DESHBANDHU COLLEGE FOR GIRLS**, having address at 45/C Rash Behari Avenue, Kolkata, West Bengal - 700026 hereinafter referred to as the **FIRST PARTY**.

AND

**VIVEKANANDA COLLEGE**, having address at 269, Diamond Harbour Road, Thakurpukur, Kolkata - 700063, West Bengal, India, hereinafter referred to as the **SECOND PARTY**.

**WHEREAS** parties have entered into Memo of Understanding for mutual Co-operation fostering academic growth programme development and research in the subject of Environment Science for a period of 5(Five years) from ..... to ..... and this document establishes the guiding terms and Principles Collaboration. Both the parties named above agreed to abide by the terms and conditions detailed below under which both institutions will work together.

### **I. LEGAL FRAMEWORKS OF THE TWO INSTITUTIONS**

Department of Environmental Science, Deshbandhu College for Girls, 45/C Rash Behari Avenue, Kolkata - 700026, West Bengal, India, represented by its Principal, Dr. Anita Chattopadhyay Gupta, hereinafter referred to as the **FIRST PARTY** (which term or expression shall unless excluded by or repugnant to the context be deemed to mean and include its successor in Office, representatives, administrators, and assigns), Department of Environmental Science, Vivekananda College, 269, Diamond Harbour Road, Thakurpukur, Kolkata - 700063, West Bengal, India, represented by its Principal, Dr. Tapan Kr. Poddar, hereinafter referred to as the **SECOND PARTY** (which term or expression shall unless excluded by or repugnant to the context be deemed to mean and include its successor in Office, representatives, administrators, and assigns). Both these Institutions will be hereafter referred to as **Parties**.

### **II. PURPOSE OF THE AGREEMENT**

Both the Parties are pleased to enter upon an agreement to establish ties of academic cooperation in order to contribute to the achievement of their overall goals as Institutions through the following but not limited to activities :

1. Joint teaching and research projects

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2. Collaboration in the area of academic publications
3. Visit, training and exchange of faculty and students
4. Joint sharing of Laboratory and Library facilities
5. Co-hosting and participation in National/International conferences, seminars/webinars, symposia and workshops including student seminars and/or paper presentations
6. Any other activity that is mutually agreed upon and is beneficial to both.

### III. EXECUTION OF AGREEMENT

The specific activities to be carried out under this agreement will be stated in corresponding specific sub-agreements. Such specific sub-agreements, once approved by both Parties, will be attached as annexes to this agreement. The specific sub-agreements between both Parties will specify their objectives, conditions and ways of execution, financial support, period the sub-agreement will be in effect, and administrative responsibility within each Institution.

### IV. TERMS AND EXPIRATION OF THE AGREEMENT

It is understood that this agreement will come into effect after being signed by both Parties and will be established for a period of 5 (five) years. After these five years it will be automatically affect the terms of activities ongoing at the time of notification of amendment, termination or expiration, unless otherwise agreed upon between the Parties. Any additions, changes, deletions to this document must be approved by the representatives of both Parties. All notices shall be in writing and shall be directed to these representatives. Any of the two Parties can choose to terminate the linkage at any time with a prior written notice of 6 (six) months.

### V. NON-EXCLUSIVITY

This agreement is a non-exclusive agreement, and both Parties remain free to enter into similar agreements with third parties.

### VI. SPECIAL PROVISIONS

1. Each Party will take approval from the other Party in writing prior to using the latter's name and logo for the activities hereunder on a case-by-case basis.
2. All parties hereto shall do their utmost to ensure the smooth and efficient implementation of the programs.

*Anita Chattopadhyay Gupta* ✓  
 DR. ANITA CHATTOPADHYAY GUPTA  
 PRINCIPAL  
 DEEBBANDHU COLLEGE FOR GIRLS  
 KOLKATA 02/05/23

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 Vivekananda College  
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4. Neither party can misuse this MoU by involving the name of the other without the written consent letter from the other party.

5. There will be no financial involvement by neither of the Party.

6. This collaboration will respect Intellectual Property Rights and any intellectual matter developed by the collaborative efforts of the two Parties shall be retained by them.

7. All collaborative activities shall be guided, directed and impelled by the greater academic interest of both the Parties, and not by any other/commercial interest.

No legal relationship between the two Institutions is implied through this linkage. If any dispute arise in respect of the MoU, in that case both the Institutions will discuss and settle the matter amicably.

This document of understanding shall uphold the ethos of holistic and integrated academic excellence and growth followed by all higher education Institutions of the country, and shall not in any way impede or affect each of the participatory institution's individuality and distinctiveness, by any way whatsoever.

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PRINCIPAL  
DESHBANDHU COLLEGE FOR GIRLS  
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Vivekananda College  
Thakurpukur, Kol-63

IN WITNESS WHEREOF we the said Principal of Deshbandhu College for Girls and Principal of Vivekananda College have hereunto set and subscribed their respective hands on the day, month and year first above written.

Signed by the said  
Principal of Deshbandhu  
College for Girls :

✓ *Anita Chattopadhyay Gupta*  
Principal  
Deshbandhu College for Girls 02/05/23

DR. ANITA CHATTOPADHYAY GUPTA  
PRINCIPAL  
DESHBANDHU COLLEGE FOR GIRLS  
KOLKATA

Witness : *Sneha Chatterjee*

Signed by the said  
Principal of Vivekananda College :

✓ *Anita Chattopadhyay Gupta*  
Principal  
Vivekananda College  
Thakurpukur, Kol-63 21/05/23

Witness :

Drafted by me

*Konjit Kumar Baral*  
Advocate