# **MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)**

#### BETWEEN

# SHOBHIT INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERING & TECHNOLOGY

Previously known as Shobhit University, Meerut
(A Deemed-to-be University established u/s 3 of UGC Act, 1956)

#### AND

## TOUCHWOOD ECOLOGICAL AND SOCIAL FOUNDATION

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter called as the 'MOU') is entered into on this the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 2021 by and between.

**Shobhit Institute of Engineering & Technology (A Deemed-to-be University)**, the First Party hereafter referred to as the Institution and represented herein by its Registrar

**Touchwood Ecological and Social Foundation** the Second Party hereafter referred to as the Foundation and represented herein by its Chairman & Managing Trustee Mr. Rajendra Kakarla Vesana

#### WHEREAS:

- A) First Party is a Higher Educational Institution named:
   Shobhit Institute of Engineering & Technology (A Deemed-to-be University),
- B) First Party & Second Party believe that collaboration and co-operation between themselves will promote more effective use of each of their resources, and provide each of them with enhanced opportunities.
- C) The Parties intent to cooperate and focus their efforts on cooperation within area of Rural Healthcare, Skill Based Training, Education, Placement, Field Visits, Expert Lectures, wildlife conservation and protection, nature conservation and protection and allied subjects.
- D) **Touchwood Ecological and Social Foundation**, the Second Party is engaged directly with the underprivileged indigenous and rural populations of the wildlife and nature reserves in Southern India by empowering them with health, education and livelihood thereby creating an inclusive model for conservation and protection.

NOW THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF THE MUTUAL PROMISES SET FORTH IN THIS MOU, THE PARTIES HERETO AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

#### **CLAUSE 1: CO-OPERATION**

- 1.1 Both Parties are united by common interests and objectives, and they shall establish co-operation.
- 1.2 First Party and Second Party co-operation will facilitate effective utilization of the intellectual capabilities.
- 1.3 The parties shall co-operate with each other and shall as promptly as is responsibly practical, relevant agreement.



#### **CLAUSE 2: SCOPE OF THE MOU**

- 2.1 Industrial / Field Training & Visits: Foundation and Institution interaction will provide an insight into the latest developments / requirements of the industries; the Second Party to permit the Faculty and Students of the First Party to visit its ongoing projects and also involve in field Training Programs for the First Party. This will provide confidence & smooth transition for students work. Also the Second party may register on the AICTE Internship Portal for the benefit of students.
- 2.2 Guest Lectures: Second Party to extend the necessary support to deliver guest lecturers to the students of the First Party on the current technology trends and various measures adapted and inhouse requirements.
- 2.3 Placement of trained students: second party will actively engage to help the delivery of the training and placement of the students of the first party on the technology trends and in house requirements.
- 2.4 There is no financial commitment on the part of the **Shobhit Institute of Engineering & Technology (A Deemed-to-be University)**, the first party to take up any program mention in MOU. If there is any financial consideration, it will be dealt separately.
- 2.5 Both Parties to obtain all internal approvals, consents, permissions, and licenses of whatsoever nature required.

## **CLAUSE 3: VALIDITY**

3.1 This Agreement will be valid for 3 Years as per mutual consent until it is expressly terminated by either Party on mutually agreed terms.

#### **CLAUSE 4: RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE PARTIES**

4.1 It is expressly agreed that First Party and Second Party are acting under this MOU as independent contractors, and the relationship established under this MOU shall not be construed as a partnership.

On behalf of Shobhit Institute of Engineering & Technology (A Deemed-to-be University)	On behalf of Touchwood Ecological and Social Foundation
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