

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING BETWEEN NORTH LAKHIMPUR COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) LAKHIMPUR, ASSAM, AND NORTH EASTERN REGIONAL INSTITUTE OF WATER AND LAND MANAGEMENT (NERIWALM) TEZPUR, ASSAM, INDIA ON EDUCATIONAL, RESEARCH AND EXTENSION COOPERATION



ACKNOWLEDGING that

- 1. North Lakhimpur College (autonomous) is a provincialised autonomous college having its addess as Khelmati, North Lakhimpur, Lakhimpur, Assam, 787031.
- 2. NERIWALM is a society under the ministry of Jal Shakti, Department of Water Resources, River Development and Ganga Rejuvenation, Govt. of India, responsible primarily to research and provide technical services to the line departments in order to improve agricultural production and socio economic status of the people in North East, having its address as Tezpur, India, 784027

Desiring to support the cooperation between the parties in education and training programmes

Pursuant to the prevailing laws and regulations, policies and procedures applicable in the state of Assam and India

Have reached the following understanding

Article 1

Objective Co operation

The objective of this current Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is to cooperate in educational, research and extension activities in areas of mutual interest as knowledge partners.

Article 2

Scope of Co operation

The parties agree to implement cooperation programmes including but not limited to a. Formulation and conduct of training on curriculum and skill based courses in the field of expertise of the parties.

b. Undertaking research and extension activities

c. Any other areas as mutually agreed upon by parties.



Article 3

Location of activities

- 1. The parties agree to implement the activities started in ARTICLE 2 at NLC, NERIWALM and in mutually agreed locations
- 2. Any changes to the location of the activities shall be mutually agreed upon by the parties.

Article 4

Financial Arrangement

- 1. Any cooperation under this MoU is subject to the availability of funding sources and approval by relevant authorities
- 2. Any specific project of joint interest will be detailed in a separate agreement including financial and programme specific arrangements

Article 5

INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

- 1. Each party shall protect, within its capacity and territory, intellectual property rights of the other party in accordance with the laws and regulations in force in the state of Assam and the country of India.
- 2. In case of specific arrangement, programmes, activities or projects that may result in intellectual property, the parties shall conclude separate arrangement in accordance with the prevalent laws and regulations in the state of Assam and the country of India.

Article 6

CONFIDENTIALITY

In the event that either party wishes to disclose any data and/or information supplied in or resulted from the implementation of the MoU, the disclosing Party shall have prior written consent of the other party.

Article 7

LIMITATION OF PERSONAL ACTIVITIES

The parties shall ensure that their personal engaged in the activities under this MOU shall engage only in activities under the framework of this MOU with respect to laws and regulations in the state of Assam and the country of India.

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Article 8 SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Any disputes concerning the interpretation and/or application of this MoU shall be settled amicably through consultation or negation between Parties.

Article 9

AMENDMENT

1. This MoU may be amended or revised at any time by mutual written consent of the Parties and such amendment shall form an integral part of this MoU.

2. Such amendment or revision shall come into force on the date as may be determined by the Parties.

Article 10

ENTRY INTO FORCE, DURATION AND TERMINATION

1. This MoU shall enter into force on the date of singing.

- 2. This MoU shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years and may be extended for another period of five (5) years by mutual consent of the parties.
- 3. Either Party may terminate this MoU at any time by given written notification to the other Party on its intention to terminate this MoU, one (1) month prior to the date of the termination.
- 4. The termination of this MoU shall not affect other completion of any programmes, activities or projects in progress and not completed at the time of termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have signed this MoU.

DONE in duplicate at TEZPUR, ASSAM, INDIA on 27.9.2021 in two (2) originals in English.

FOR NORTH LAKHIMPUR COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) (Principal) North Lakhimpur College (Auto) Lakhimpur, Assamorth Laknirapur College (Autonomous) WITNESSES North Lathimpur (Assam)

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<u>NERIWALM</u>

(Director) NERIWALM Tezpur, त्र्वारिं संत्रीय जल तथा भूमि प्रबंधन संस्थान, तेजपुर North Eastern Regional Institute of Water and Land Management, Tezpur 2 dia mo 2.....(Rizhereee) Arett-prof./marenee