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Memorandum of Understanding between

This Memorandum of Understanding is made on this...<sup>29<sup>th</sup></sup>.....July.....day of 2022.

BETWEEN

BIONEEMTEC INDIA PVT LTD

Unit No: 06, Golden Jubilee Biotech Park for Women Society, Second Cross Road,  
Siruseri, Chennai – 603 103, Tamil Nadu, India

AND

Department of Applied Biotechnology, St. Mary's College, College Road,

*No: 18620* Thrissur - 680/020, Kerala, India

C. I. VARGHESE

VENDOR No: 31

THRISSUR

27 JUL 2022



*Bioneemtec India Private Ltd.*  
*Golden Jubilee Womens*  
*inside JIPCOT IT PARK,*  
*Siruseri, Chennai - 603 103.*  
*Kanchipuram, Thrissur*

WHEREAS Bioneemtec India Pvt. Ltd is a research institute established in 2013 with a vision to be the most credible incubation centre for institutions and industries and Department of Applied Biotechnology at St. Mary's College was established during the academic year 2020, with the introduction of Vocational Biotechnology courses at U.G and P.G level, under the sponsorship of UGC. St. Mary's College, Thrissur is an educational and research institute for women established in 1946 in Kerala state, India.

WHEREAS both Bioneemtec India Pvt. Ltd and St. Mary's College (herein after called 'Parties') desire to carry out research and educational programme for promoting multidisciplinary interaction, herein referred to as "Programme", jointly with the diligence and efficiency as desired within this MoU in conformity with appropriate administrative, financial and educational practices and implement all such plans, activities and reforms as required for the Programme.

WHEREAS Parties inspired by their common objectives to further promote and accelerate research in the area of Biotechnology have entered into this MoU under the terms and conditions set forth in the following aspects:

#### **OBJECTIVES OF BIONEEMTEC- DEPARTMENT OF APPLIED BIOTECHNOLOGY PROGRAMME**

The major objectives for which the parties associate with each other are:

- a. To facilitate academic interactions among stakeholders of both Parties.
- b. To provide training to students by relevant experts from Bioneemtec and thereby striving to improve the knowledge and competency of eligible undergraduate /post graduate and doctoral students/ faculty of Department of Applied Biotechnology.
- c. To share ideas and implement methods, for product development and process Research activities through project guidance mentoring and technological support from Bioneemtec.
- d. Collaborate to share and exchange information between both parties for mutual benefit and technology enhancement by inspecting the research outcome.
- e. To work on specific research areas mutually chosen by Bioneemtec and **Department of Applied Biotechnology** in the field of Biotechnology for mutual benefit.
- f. Annual intake of both undergraduate and post graduate students for internship.
- g. Placement of minimum of two students from the Department of Applied Biotechnology, St. Mary's College after the completion of their internship at Bioneemtec.
- h. Research Publications

#### **THE PROGRAMME**

The Parties have agreed to execute this MoU for Collaboration with the primary objective of providing placement opportunities for the students attending the internship. The primary focus will be to provide training, project guidance and research activities.



This MoU is to formalize joint activities that will help to establish a mutually beneficial relationship built on academic, scientific and technological cooperation which include organizing workshops, conferences, collaborative research, hackathons, project guidance, internship, training programs, industry- institution interface as may be mutually agreed between the parties.

#### **IMPLEMENTATION AND MONITORING**

For implementing and monitoring of the programme, Bioneemtec and Department of Applied Biotechnology, St. Mary's College agree that: Bioneemtec shall provide relevant experts/qualified trainers impartation of desired technological knowhow and project guidance as per the mutually agreed schedule as well as offering research inputs and access to laboratory facilities at their company for successful completion of internship for both graduate and postgraduate students.

It is fully acknowledged by Bioneemtec that – Department of Applied Biotechnology, St. Mary's College, shall be the sole & exclusive proprietor of any or whole of the innovative advancements/ inventions /patents achieved during the course of this collaborative research with the exception that Bioneemtec may use any of the specific technology developed with their mutual inputs for free in their products or plants.

#### **FACULTY EXCHANGE AND CONSULTANCY**

It is highly encouraged to share skills and expertise of both the parties for mutual benefit. Sharing **Department of Applied Biotechnology** domain expertise as well as Bioneemtec Pvt. Ltd. domain expertise will help both the parties to create an innovative culture.

#### **NON-DISCLOSURE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

The Parties shall keep all the information shared in terms of this Agreement as confidential Any intellectual property rights of **Bioneemtec** including such technological innovations developed during the course of the program shall be vested with them as being its owners or their licensors wherever the context applies.

Both the parties shall exclusively own and continue to retain all rights and title to its trade name/s, trade mark/s and logo/s and nothing contained herein is intended to assign or transfer any of the said rights in the trade names/trademarks and logo/s to the other Party.

#### **FINANCE**

Regarding the financial arrangements connected with the implementation of the program herein stated, **Bioneemtec** and **Department of Applied Biotechnology, St. Mary's College** -further agree that:

Both parties will perform their respective activities as agreed in this MoU on chargeable basis. This includes training of students/teachers and consultancy of project works based on the rules and regulations of both parties.

### INDEMNITY

Both parties hereby indemnify and shall keep indemnified and protected the other party and their respective officers and employees from and against any claims or actions arising out of or in any way relating to the provision and implementation of the Programme as per this MoU.

### DURATION

This MoU will be active for a period of FIVE Years from the date of this MoU. It will be extended for further period by mutual consent after evaluating the activities conducted.

### TERMINATION

Either party has the right to terminate this MoU by giving ninety days written notice to the other party.

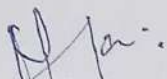
### JURISDICTION

In the event of any dispute arising out of this MoU, the parties agree that the courts of Thrissur, Kerala alone will have jurisdiction.

The two parties of this MoU agree to act in good faith and in a spirit of mutual understanding and accommodation to facilitate the achievement of goals set under the Programme.

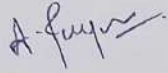
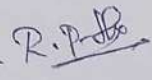
IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties here to have caused this MoU to be signed in their respective names as of the day and year.


Signature with seal

  
Dr. M. Menaga  
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Bioneemtec Pvt. Ltd  
Chennai – 603 103

Date:  
Place:

Witness


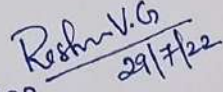
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Date: 29-7-2022  
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