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Director

No. WSRC/21/_____
Dated : _____

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)
Between

Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra
and
Stree Shakti – The Parallel Force

The MOU is made on the Sept. 14, 2021 day of August month in the year 2021, at Kurukshetra, Haryana, between Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra (hereinafter referred as "University") through Director, Women's Studies Research Centre (WSRC), Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra and include his/her successor in office, legal representative, nominee and assignee as the **First Party**.

AND

Stree Shakti – The Parallel Force, Daryaganj, New Delhi registered in 2003 as a society with a mandate to work for women empowerment through its Founder, and include his/her successor in office, legal representative, nominee and assignee as the **Second Party**.

This MOU defines and details the general framework of the collaboration as under:

1. General Provisions

1.1 Definitions

- (a) "**University**" means Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, Haryana.
- (b) "**WSRC**" means Women's Studies Research Centre.
- (c) "**Programme**" means the workshops, conferences, training, awareness and other activities performed by the WSRC.

1.2 Relation between the Parties

Nothing contained herein shall be construed as establishing the relation of purchaser and seller as between the first and second party. The second party, subject to this MOU, shall have complete charge of personnel implementing the programme and shall be fully responsible for the task completed by them.

 

1.3 Governing Law & Jurisdiction

This MOU, its meaning and interpretation, and the relation between the parties shall be governed by the laws applicable in India and they only shall have exclusive Jurisdiction over matters relating to or arising from this MOU.

1.4 Language

This MOU has been executed in English language, which shall be the binding and controlling language for all matters relating to the meaning of interpretation of this MOU.

1.5 Location

The matter i.e. Programme implementation arising under this MOU shall be performed by the second party from its head offices at Delhi and/or its nearest regional office, in addition to the Centre at the University as agreed upon by the first party.

1.6 Authorized Representatives

Any action required to facilitate the development, discussion, implementation, and evaluation of activities under this MOU may be taken or executed

(a) On behalf of the first party, by the Director, WSRC, K.U. Kurukshetra, or his/her designated representative.

(b) On behalf of the second party, by the Founder, Stree Shakti – The Parallel Force, or his/her designated representative.

2. Commencement, Completion, Modification and Termination of this MOU

2.1 This MOU shall come into force from the date of signing.

2.2 Both the parties may at any time review this MOU and the actions taken under it, and by mutual MOU, make any necessary modifications.

2.3 The MOU shall be effective for a period of five years, but WSRC will review/renew/modify (if needed) the MOU annually, based on the programme outputs/outcomes.

2.4 The MOU may be terminated prematurely by either party with mutual agreement by giving one month's notice.

3. Role & Obligation of the Second Party "Stree Shakti – The Parallel Force" under the collaboration:

1. Joint Symposium, Workshop, Conferences, Training and Awareness Programs at National and International level.
2. Customized training programs designed for teaching faculty, non teaching staff, students of the university and colleges affiliated to Kurukshetra University, different stake holders and grass root functionaries.
3. Short-term visiting faculty program.
4. Joint Research and Development Programs and Publication Activities.
5. Value added courses for the female students of the university.

6. Internship and Training.
7. Other programs of mutual interest.

4. Role & Obligation of the First Party "WSRC" under the Collaboration

- 4.1 The University shall provide necessary infrastructure for the implementation of various activities under the Programme.
- 4.2 The University shall nominate a single point of contact to facilitate and troubleshoot the programme at the University.
- 4.3 The University shall ensure full support and cooperation to Stree Shakti – The Parallel Force in all aspects of the programme implementation.
- 4.4 There with no financial liability on the part of the Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, for implementation of the programmes.

5. Arbitration

Both the parties shall use all reasonable endeavors to resolve or settle the disputes through mutual negotiation and discussions in connection with this MOU or the interpretation thereof. Any and all disputes, controversies and conflicts ("Disputes") arising out of this MOU between the parties or arising out of or relating to or in connection with this MOU or the performance or non-performance of the rights and obligations set forth herein or the breach, termination, invalidity or interpretation thereof which cannot be settled or resolve amicably shall be referred for arbitration to a committee constituted at Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra. The arbitral award shall be in writing and shall be final and binding on each party and shall be enforceable in the courts of Kurukshetra or courts having jurisdiction in Kurukshetra. None of the parties shall be entitled to commence or maintain any action in a court of law upon any Dispute arising out of or relating to or in connection with this MOU.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto have caused the MOU to be signed in their respective names as of the day and year first above written.



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