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Dear Prof. Salunkhe,

I have the great pleasure to send you a signed original of the Memorandum of Understanding between Shivaji University, India and Khon Kaen University, Thailand, for your record.

We do hope this agreement will provide an effective means to bring our two universities closer together and cooperative work will be active and produce fruitful results. Wishing us a mutually beneficial cooperation and looking forward to hearing from you soon.

Sincerely yours,

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ARTICLE II; SCOPE OF THE PROGRAMME

The program initially is for five years which plans to provide collaborative co-operation through:

- Collaborative Research Programs in specific fields of interest. SUK and SUSL will jointly identify specific fields to conduct collaborative research programs of mutual interest and banefit
- Student Exchange Programmes- Exchange programme for SUK and SUSL students (Both UG & PG) will be explored and conducted accordingly which will be mutually beneficial for both the parties.
- Faculty Exchange Programme —Exchange programme for SUK and SUSL faculty will be explored and conducted accordingly, which will be beneficial mutually for both the parties.
- Hindi Language Education in SUSL. The SUSL will obtain assistance of the SUK for improving the quality & relevance of Hindi Language Education in SUSL.
- Link-up in improving the quality & relevance of ICT & Agribusiness Management Education in SUSL. A joint MBA & M. Phil degree programme in Agribusiness Management in both institutions will be established. Assisting SUSL for starting B. Sc degree in ICT is agreed upon by both the parties.
- Any other form of co-operation that may be agreed upon between SUK and SUSL.

ARTIVCLE III: DURATION OF THE PROGRAMME

This Memorandum will the effective from the date of its signing by both the parties' upto a period of five years. If this MoU is to be terminated without cause, a three months prior notice should be sent by either of the parties as applicable. This MoU may be renewed by mutual consent of both the institutions by written agreement.



ARTICLE IV: SPECIAL PROVISIONS

- Both parties shall exchange useful Information on each others educational and training programmes and such other activities.
- Both parties hereto shall do their utmost to ensure the smooth and efficient implementation of the programme.
- Both parties shall exert best effort to be available for mutual consultation and shall be prepared to provide necessary information whenever reasonably requested.
- Any amendment to this Memorandum of Understanding shall be made in writing and mutually agreed upon.
- All disputes arising in connection with the interpretation or application of this Memorandum of Understanding shall be settled amicably through mutual negation.
- The two parties will maintain efficient communication in order to ensure effective implementation of the programme.
- This Memorandum of Understating shall be governed by the construed in accordance with the laws of the UNION of INDIA.

For and on behalf of the Shivaji University For and on behalf of the Sabaragamuwa University

Professor (Dr.) M. M. Salunkhe Vice-Chancellor, Shivaji University, Kolhapur, INDIA Professof Rohana P. Mahailya Naarachchi Vice-Chancellor, Sabaragamuwa University, Sri Lanka







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