







Memorandum of Understanding Between

Gopal Narayan Singh University and Mahatma Gandhi National Council of

Rural Education

1. Gopal Narayan Singh University, Jamuhar, Sasaram, Rohtas (Bihar) (Hereinafter referred to as GNSU/First party) a State Private University established Under Bihar Private University Act-2013 has been founded by Deo Mangal Memorial Trust, Jamuhar, sasaram. The University-a pioneer academic institute in India offered value based education that combines innovations with the ancient values and wisdom of the east. GNSU offers education in the field of Management, Medical Science, Agriculture, Pharmacy, Nursing, Law, Journalism, Library & Information Science, Commerce, Management, Information Technology, Doctoral Studies and has championed in bringing in creative innovation through research and field practices in the fields of various concerned discipline. GNSU aims to learn, Lead and serve through the holistic education for the national and international students in smoke free, drug free and alcohol free campus from 2008. GNS University is recognized by UGC, MCI, PCI, INC, BCI, AICTE, Ministry of HRD and Government of India and Government of Bihar.

of Management Studies Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India and having its registered office at Shakkar Phayan, Fateh Maidan Road, Basheerbagh, Hyderabad (Hereinafter referred to rty) which expression shall, unless repugnant to the context or Gopal Narayan Frontagy Gunden successors.

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- 7. Both the Parties seek to enhance relations and recognize the benefits to be derived from increased collaboration, cooperation and interaction for further promotion.
- 8. On behalf of First Party Prof. (Dr) Mohal Lal Verma, Vice-Chancellor of the GNS University will be the point of contact for further correspondence.
- 9. On behalf of Second Party Dr WG Prasanna Kumar, Chairman MGNCRE will be the point of contact for further correspondence.
- 10. This Memorandum of Understanding shall enter into force on the basis of goodwill and shall not be legally bound.
- 11. The MoU is valid for a period of five years from the date of signature by both the parties and may be renewed for any other period as shall be agreed on in between the parties. If either Party does not wish to continue this MoU, then such Party provide the other Party of its intention to terminate this MoU, by giving 3(three) months' notice in writing.

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Prof (Dr) Mohan Lal Verma

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2nd Party

Signature

Dr. WG Prasanna Kumar

Designation: Chairman

Address:

Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Ministry of HRD, Govt of India.

Shankar Bhawan, Fateh Maidan Road, Basheerbagh, Hyderabad-500004

Dr. W.G. Prasanna Kumar Chairman

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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

PREAMBLE

In order to contribute to the society through pursuit of education, learning and research at the highest international level of excellence and to impart quality legal education with the aim to produce legal professionals to enrich and serve the system of administration of justice of our country the Chanakya National Law University, Patna (hereinafter referred to as "CNLU", Patna) and the Gopal Narayan Singh University, Sasaram (hereinafter referred to as "GNSU", Sasaram) agreed to sign this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) as a framework for facilitating mutually beneficial collaborative activities.

The <u>CNLU, PATNA</u> established under the Chanakya National Law University Act, 2006 (Bihar Act No. 24 of 2006), included under Section 2(f) of the UGC Act, 1956, situated at Patna. Being the 'People's University' with an aspiration to provide quality legal education which is socially relevant, is the first party.

The GNSU, SASARAM, established on 15th June, 2018 under the Bihar Private University Act, 2013, duly approved by the UGC, situated in South Bihar, Sasaram at the bank of river Sone with a sustainable campus is the second party.

The GNSU, Sasaram, being the fastest growing private University in the State of Bihar and after excelling in various discipline such as medicine its allied courses, Management etc. had initiated the establishment of Faculty of Law, naming it as Narayan School of Law with an aim to impart quality legal education. Narayan School of Law is currently imparting five year integrated courses of B. A., LL.B. (Hons.), B.B.A., LL.B. (Hons.) along with traditional three years LL.B., two years LL.M. course and hopefully Ph.D. (Law) in the near future.

The mode of admission in Narayan School of Law is the Entrance Test conducted by the University every year and also by sharing CLAT score on the basis of executing MoU with Consortium of National Law Universities.

SCOPE OF AGREEMENT

The collaborative activities will focus to promote academic excellence in the field of Law and Social Sciences and that will encompass exchange of students and members of faculty between two parties as well as other academic, research

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and publication activities. In addition to this active efforts will be made to develop joint training and research programmes in a collaborative spirit which will include the following areas:

I. TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF COOPERATION

- The CNLU and GNSU shall collaborate in mutually agreeable academic events, teaching, training and research, wherever feasible. Such collaboration will be based on mutually agreeable terms and conditions specifically agreed for each of the collaborative efforts;
- 2. The CNLU and GNSU shall offer full time regular as well as optional courses to under-graduate and post- graduate courses offered at these institutions from time to time on mutually agreeable terms and conditions as per the University Grants Commission regulations;
- 3. The Ph.D. candidates in interdisciplinary areas of research involving law from the CNLU shall work under the supervision of the faculty members of GNSU or if agreed, jointly supervised by the faculty members from both the parties;
- 4. Faculty members from each university shall be invited for important seminars, conferences and for teaching. The financial implications shall be worked out on case to case basis;
- 5. Those modalities for a similar exchange of researchers and faculty members will be laid down through mutual discussion, that should be made operational for a period of five years;
- Ph.D. Scholars of both the Universities may make use of permissible library resources of each other and to have academic interaction with the faculty;
- 7. Research Scholars and Teaching Faculty of both The CNLU and GNSU will explore possibility of taking up collaborative research work and also apply for funding from national and international agencies, governments and other funding agencies.

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8. Any financial implication emerging out of such collaborations (other than the fees of the students etc.) shall be worked out and decisions will be taken with mutual agreement. However, there will be no financial obligations to the Universities under MOU.

II. AREAS OF COOPERATION

This Memorandum expresses a mutual desire by the CNLU and GNSU to cooperate in building intellectual and research capacity. Additional areas of co-operation may be added by written consent of the two parties. Both parties will act in good faith to ensure that the objectives of this Memorandum are realized.

III. TERMS OFAGREEMENT

Progress in realizing the terms and conditions referred to herein will be reviewed periodically as mutually agreed and the memorandum may be amended at any time by mutual consent and in writing. Both parties reserve the right to terminate this memorandum by either party by giving six months written notice to the other. The implementation and/or continuance of programmes or projects established pursuant to this memorandum prior to the effective date of termination shall not be affected by the termination of this Memorandum.

IV. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND CONFIDENTIALITY

- 1. In respect of each project and programme of co-operation, the parties shall negotiate and mutually agree in writing on their respective rights to intellectual property and commercial exploitation of the same (including without limitation, trademarks and service marks, copyrights, patents, designs and confidential information pertaining thereto).
- 2. Neither party shall, at any time disclose to any third party any confidential information of the other party which is acquired in the course of activities under this Memorandum of Understanding, a collaborative project or a programme, without the prior consent of the other party in writing.

The confidentiality obligations herein will not apply to information in Faculty of Law the public domain; information in the possession of the receiving party Gopal Narayan Singh University Jamuhar, &

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prior to the disclosure of the information; information which is independently developed by the receiving party; information required to be released by law; and information which is right fully received by the receiving party from third parties without any breach of confidentiality obligations.

V. NON-BINDING NATURE OF MEMORANDUM

Nothing in this Memorandum shall be construed as creating any contract, partnership, agency or other legal relationship between the parties. This Memorandum is only a non-binding statement of intent to foster genuine and mutually beneficial academic collaboration.

VI. TERMINATION

- 1. This memorandum shall come into force immediately upon its signature by the parties.
- The validity of this Memorandum of Understanding is initially for a period of five years from the date of its execution and the same can be further extended on mutual agreement.
- 3. This Memorandum of Understanding can be terminated by either of the parties by giving advance notice of six months and without jeopardizing the course work or registration of any of the students of either institution.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Memorandum of Understanding is executed by the parties hereto on this 16th January 2021

Prof. (Dr.) M.L. Verma

Vice-Chancellor

Gopal Narayan Singh University Jamuhar,Sasaram,Rohtas,Bihar-821305 Justice Mridula Mishra

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Chanakya National Law University North Gandhi Maidan, Patna, Bihar

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