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# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is made at Chennai on day of 24th February, 2017

#### BETWEEN

SAVEETHA DENTAL COLLEGE 162, Poonamallee High Road, Velappanchavadi, Chennai-600 077, is a Constituent College of Saveetha University, a Deemed to be University declared under section 3 of the UGC Act, 1956 providing quality education in Dental, Medical, Engineering, Nursing, Physiotherapy, Management and Law since 2005 is hereinafter called the party of the First Part. Saveetha Dental College is recognized by Dental Council of India having excellent infrastructure with state-of-the-art equipments, labs and experienced faculties has an enviable track record of imparting UG and PG programmes in dentistry.

And

**B. S. Abdur Rahman Crescent University**, Vandalur, Chennai 600 048, a "Deemed to be University" established under Section 3 of the UGC Act 1956, having its location at Seethakathi Estate, GST Road, Vandalur, Chennai 600 048, involved in providing quality education, research and extension activities for over 32 years hereinafter called "BSAU" party of the Second PART.

Whereas the Saveetha Dental College and B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent University have agreed to offer programmes jointly on the terms and conditions contained herein below:-

#### SCOPE OF THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

To promote co-operation between Saveetha Dental College and B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent University, Chennai do hereby enter into this MoU for promoting academic and research related activities between the two. The two Institutions shall encourage direct contact between their faculties, administrators, departments, schools and research centres in order to promote cooperation.

1. The following are the areas mutually agreed to cooperate and be pursued:-

#### A. Joint research.

The two institutions will utilize its facilities and involve students and faculties for joint research in the areas of mutual interest.

### B. Exchange of faculties for research, teaching and collaboration.

Both parties will explore opportunities for their respective faculty members and administrators to be in residence at the other institution for purpose of lecturing, conducting research, and developing their academic or administrative skills. These programs, to the greatest extent possible, will provide commensurate opportunities for the faculty and administrators of both institutions. Both institutions pledge to provide the fullest support possible to faculty and administrators coming from other institution in the furtherance of the interests of each faculty member or administrator.

## C. Exchange of students for study and research.

Both parties will work to develop agreements and programs for exchanging students between the two institutions, either on the basis of reciprocal exchange of benefits or through fees set for the participation in the specific programs. Such programs shall be conducted so as to encourage active participation and to ensure reciprocity while minimizing the cost of participation for students from both institutions.

# D. Exchange of information including, but not limited to exchange of library materials and research publications which is of mutual interest to both Institutions

The two institutions will work to develop agreements or programs for exchanging academic, research and other educational materials.

# E. Access to various research facilities of the institutions by the collaborating faculty and students.

Both the institutions makes its various research facilities accessible to the students on mutual basis to enable them to achieve maximum result in the areas they are venturing into.

F. For each area of work (Project to Project) under the above said cooperation, a separate detailed agreement shall be executed covering the title, scope, roles and

# 4. Collaborative programs

Collaborative programs, seminars and research activities will be encouraged and supported will mutual interest and expertise of both institutions may be furthered. Faculty and program directors at both institutions should be encouraged to enter into contract with one another in order to further this objective.

### 6. Implementation

This agreement comes into force on the day when representatives of the two institutions affix their signatures, and is valid for five years. The institutions agree to review it after five years from the date hereof.

The notice of termination of this MoU needs to be given six months in advance by either side. Any change to this MoU shall come into effect only after the changes are written and signed by both the parties.

# 7. Termination of Agreement

If either party believes the stated purposes of this MOU are not being fulfilled, the other party shall be notified of the areas of concern in writing. Both parties shall attempt to resolve those concerns through common efforts. If no solution can be achieved, either party may terminate this MOU by providing written notification at least. Six months in advance; provided, however, that such termination shall not take effect with respect to students already enrolled in the programmes until such students have been provided an opportunity to complete their coursework.

# 8. FORCE MAJEURE

If as a result of an act of force majeure, including without limitation, an act of nature, war, riot, labour dispute, strike, threat thereof, intervention of a Government agency or instrumentality, or other occurrence beyond the reasonable control of either party, a party is hindered in performing its obligations hereunder or is thereby rendered unable to perform its obligation hereunder, then, in such event, such party shall have the right, upon notifying the other of the occurrence of force majeure as herein defined, to suspend performance until the event of force majeure has passed. In the event that either party is unable to perform for a period in excess of two months at any time after the commencement date of this MOU due to an act of force majeure, the other party may, at its option, terminate the MOU.

#### 9. DISPUTE RESOLUTION

In the case of any dispute that may arise in future shall be resolved through mutual consultation and discussion. All efforts shall be made by both the parties to iron out the differences, if any, and in the event of not being able to resolve the tangle, the issue may be resolved through Arbitration.

#### 10. INDEMNITY

The Parties indemnify each other from any legal proceedings or liabilities arising out of this MoU where any action taken or steps initiated by each party in good faith.

## 11. INDEPENDENT CONTRACTORS.

The parties are independent contractors of one another. Nothing in this MOU shall be constructed to create a partnership, joint venture, agency, or employment relationship between the parties. Neither party is authorized or empowered to act as agent for the other for any purpose and shall not on behalf of the other enter into any contract, warranty, or representation as to any matter.

# 12. LEGAL JURISDICTION

This MOU shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the land.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have caused this MOU to be executed by their duly authorized representatives on the date first written below:

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Dr. Deepak Nallaswamy Veeraiyan Director of Academics Saveetha University Chennai

Date: 24th February,2017

Dr. Deepak Nallaswamy Director of Academics Saveetha University

Witness:

V. Vishmu Parige

Registrar

B.S.Abdur Rahman Crescent University Vandalur, Chennai

Date: 24th February,2017

V. MURUGESAN REGISTRAR B.S. ABDUR RAHMAN UNIVERSITY VANDALUR CHENNAI - 600 048.

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