## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING [MoU] BETWEEN



## SRI AUROBINDO SOCIETY, PONDICHERRY

AND



BHAIKAKA UNIVERSITY GOKALNAGAR, KARAMSAD, GUJARAT

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is executed on this 15<sup>th</sup> August 2024 at Pondicherry between Sri Aurobindo Society, Pondicherry; having its registered office at Kolkata, through its Chairman hereinafter referred to as SAC which includes its heirs, assigners, executors, administrators etc.

## AND

Bhaikaka University incorporated as private university under the Gujarat Private Universities Act, 2009 having its registered office at Bhaikaka University, Shree Krishna Hospital Campus, Gokal Nagar, Karamsad 388 325, Dist: Anand, Gujarat, representing through its Registrar, Bhaikaka University hereinafter referred to as **BU**.

Sri Aurobindo Society was started by the Mother in 19<sup>th</sup> September 1960. She was not only the founder and the Executive President but also remains its guiding force. From a very small beginning, over the years, the Society has grown into an international organization working in diverse fields of life. In 1972, the Centenary Year of Sri Aurobindo's birth, the Mother said in a message:

"Sri Aurobindo belongs to the future; he is the messenger of the future. He still shows us the way to follow in order to hasten the realisation of a glorious future fashioned by the Divine will.

All these who want to collaborate for the progress of humanity and for India's luminous destiny must unite in a clairvoyant aspiration and in an illumined work."

This message beautifully describes in a nutshell, the purpose, and the work of the Society. Sri Aurobindo society works in diverse fields such as Integral yoga, integral health, integral education, leadership and management, rural development, sustainable development, palliative care, Indian culture, Youth health and empowerment. Its activities are directed at bringing out an all-encompassing perspective of every facet of human life and action in tune with evolving consciousness under psychic influence so that life grows towards integral perfection.

BU works in the field of Health Profession Education, Patient Care, Public Health and Research through its constituent institutes like Pramukhswami Medical College (PSMC), K M Patel Institute of Physiotherapy, Shri G H Patel School of Nursing, Institute of Nursing Sciences, Smt. L P Patel Institute of Medical Laboratory Technology, CAM Institute of Allied Health Science & Technology and Amrita Patel Centre for Public Health along with Shree Krishna Hospital (SKH) as a teaching hospital with Bhanubhai and Madhuben Patel Cardiac Centre, MS Patel Cancer Centre, Waymade Critical Care Centre and Dinesh J Patel Bone Marrow Transplant Centre in the same campus.

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This Memorandum of Understanding is executed incorporating the following terms and conditions:

- (i) Both parties agree to work with mutual collaboration in the areas of:
  - Integral Health, Integral Life and Integral Education for students and faculty members of health professions in particular and employees in general.
  - Indian Culture, Rural Development, Leadership and Management
  - The areas of specific focus will be promotion of positive wellbeing and awareness about Indian values of health and education in particular context of philosophy of Integral Yoga of Sri Aurobindo and The Mother.
- (ii) Both parties agree to carry out collaborative activities in the forms of:
  - Training healthcare professionals through short term courses, workshops, study tours etc.
  - Designing and preparing curricula for suitable incorporation in mainstream education and certificate courses
  - Sensitizing students and faculty members to Indian culture and Indian values
  - Rural development through holistic approach and enhancement of public health.
  - Training the managers, health professionals and students in leadership and management
  - Research and Publications in the areas of collaboration
- (iii) Both the parties shall not make any endeavors to have covetous gain from this agreement.
- (iv) Seek finance of joint activities from sources available to them; however, the financial aspects of each activity will be addressed separately and an explicit documentation will be done for that purpose.
- (v) All intellectual property rights and their costs will be decided with mutual discussions. All (raw) data resulting from joint research projects, between the Parties which constitute the basis for joint publications must be available for storage in the repository of each Party.
- (vi) This MoU may be terminated by either party with advance written notice of 30 days or by mutual understanding between the two parties.
- (vii) Any differing viewpoints and interpretations of this MoU shall be settled by mutual consultation or negotiation.

This agreement shall remain in force for next five years i.e., 15/08/2024 to 14/08/2029. It can be further extended by mutual consent, if required, either in the present form or with any modifications as the need be.

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In witness whereof the parties hereto have set their respective hands on the day here in above written.

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**ASSI**STANT REGISTRAR **HAIKAKA UNIVERSITY** KARAMSAD

15 August 20dy

