MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

between



College of Horticulture and Forestry, Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh (Central Agricultural University, Imphal-795 004, Manipur, India) and



Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU), Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh (India)

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College of Horticulture and Forestry, Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh (Central Agricultural University, Imphal-795 004, Manipur, India) and

Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU), Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh for facilitating

Faculty capacity building/students training/postgraduate research

This Memorandum of Understanding (hereinafter referred to as MoU) is made on this 04th day of the month November in the year 2022 by and between College of Horticulture and Forestry, Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh (Central Agricultural University, Imphal-795 004, Manipur, India) represented in this MoU by the Dean, [hereinafter call "CHF-CAU-Pasighat,"/ First Party], a leading institute having excellence in teaching, research and extension education in the field of agriculture and allied sciences on the ONE PART and the Rajiv Gandhi University (RGU), Itanagar, Arunachal Pradesh [hereinafter call "RGU"/second party] having excellence in academics, research and overall human development activities on the OTHER PART(who for the purpose of this MoU are hereinafter collectively referred to as the parties).

(Signature of First Party)

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WHEREAS, College of Horticulture & Forestry, a constituent College of the Central Agricultural University, Imphal, Manipur, was established on 07th March, 2001 at Pasighat, Arunachal Pradesh on the bank of beautiful river Siang. The College has 11 departments to support academic, research and extension activities. The academic programmes are undergraduate degree in Horticulture and Forestry (B.Sc Hort. & B.Sc Forestry), Post-graduate degree in Horticulture (M. Sc Horticulture in Fruit Science, Vegetable Science and Floriculture), Forestry (M.Sc. Forestry) and Ph. D (Fruit Science & Vegetable Science) programme. Central Agricultural University is an institute established in 1993 [Under the Central Agricultural University Act 1992 (No. 40 of 1992)] by the act of Parliament, Government of India, for imparting high quality education, research and extension in Agriculture and Allied Sciences situated at Lamphelpat, Imphal, Manipur, with 13 constituent colleges spread over the whole of North-East India except Assam.

And whereas Rajiv Gandhi University (formerly Arunachal University) is the premier institution for higher education in the state of Arunachal Pradesh and has completed more than thirty five years of its existence. The University is located a top Rono Hills on a picturesque tableland of 302 acres overlooking the river Dikrong. The teaching and research programmes of the University are designed with a view to play a positive role in the socio-economic and cultural development of the State. The University offers Certificate Courses, Diploma, Post Graduate Diploma, Under Graduate, Post-Graduate and Ph.D. programmes.

Therefore CHF and RGU recognized that mutual collaboration, given each other's strengths in research/extension and facilities thereof, will mutually benefit the students, faculties and farmers of both CHF-CAU, Pasighat and RGU, Itanagar.

The parties, having discussed fields of common research interests and allied activities between the two institutions, have decided to enter into long-term collaboration for promotion of capacity building of faculty, students, training and quality postgraduate research in cutting edge areas AND WHEREAS it has been considered expedient to agree in writing to participate jointly in the projects requiring expertise and logistic from both the parties.

Article 1. Scope

- 1.1. Both the parties will recognize each other as an institute for conducting faculty exchange and research related to the thesis requirement of the students. Both the parties will recognized scientist/faculty of the institute as recommended by its Vice Chancellor in accordance with the university rules and regulations for guiding students working for the said degree.
- 1.2. Operational details of research effort and collaboration will be made in common research programmes and/ or project restricted to specific mandated domain within the approved discipline/divisions
- 1.3. Research instrumentation facility and library facilities available with the first party and the second party will be available to the faculty and research scholars. However. The cost of specific consumables will be borne by the respective organisations.

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Registrar Rajiv Gandhi University (Central University) Rono Hills, Doimukh, Arunachal Pradesh 1.4. There shall be an exchange of faculty and students for academic, research and training purposes. Accommodation in the Guest House/Hostel shall be arranged, however possible, as per extant rates. The duration of exchange visits will be determined by mutual consent between both the parties.

Article- 2. Management

- 2.1 Dean of the First Party and the Registrar of the Second party will be responsible to work out operational details of co-operation between the two organizations and ensure proper and effective implementation of this MoU.
- 2.2 The Advisory Committee will meet at least once in a year alternatively in the institutions of the First party and the Second party to review the activities. This meeting shall include presentation on the academic and research activities, which should be open to the students, Faculty and Scientists.

Article 3. Exchange of Information

- 3.1 The term" information" includes scientific or technical data, results and/or methods of investigation, and other information intended to be provided, exchanged, or arising under projects descriptions entered into pursuant to this MoU.
- 3.2 The party support the widest possible dissemination of information. Each party in joint project shall be given then right to use, disclose, publish or disseminate such information for any and all purposes

Article 4, General Provision

- 4.1 It is understood that the First party and the Second party subscribe to the principle of equal opportunity and do not discriminate on the basis of race, sex, age, caste or religion. Both the institution shall abide by these principles in the administration of this agreement and neither party shall impose criteria for faculty/scholars or students, which violet principles of non-discrimination.
- 4.2. Both parties understand that all financial agreements will have to be negotiated separately and will depend on the availability of funds.
- 4.3. Both the parties acknowledge that exchange of students from one party to the other shall be subject to the availability of fund and shall comply with the regulations and policies of the First party and Second party.
- 4.4 Any research publications arising will be jointly published in accordance with the mutual agreement between the two parties.
- 4.5. A copy of the thesis/dissertation will be submitted to the Second party after the award of the degree by the First party and vice-versa.

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- 4.6 All questions related to this MoU arising during its term will be settled by the parties by mutual agreement. Disagreement at the operating level shall be forwarded to respective higher officials for appropriate resolution failing which an arbitrator of mutual acceptance may be identified for the settlement of dispute, if any.
- 4.7. All questions not foreseen related to this MoU will be handled by the parties by mutual agreement.
- 4.8 Nothing in this MoU is intended to affect other cooperation or collaborations between the parties

Article 5. Intellectual Property Right

5.1. Both parties are expected to ensure protection of the Intellectual Property Right generated or likely to be generated during the students research work.

Article 6, Admission and Fees

- 6.1 All those who wish to register as trainees or for Master/Doctorate programme under this MoU must apply for admission at the First/Second party. The allocation of major Guide/Advisor would be finalized before the registration and will be governed by mutual agreement between the two parties.
- 6.2. Admission of the students and the award of the degrees for different programmes will; be the responsibility for both parties as per the rules and regulations.
- 6.3 Both the parties would have the right to screen the students eligibility for based admission on their academic period
- 6.4 The number of student(s) at any particular time will be subjected to the availability of research facilities and Faculty/Scientist time to guide thesis research
- 6.5 Any student(s) admitted for training/postgraduate research, if found violating the rules and regulations laid down by the institute or indulge in such activities that amount to tarnishing the image of the institute, or cause damage to the property, the registration of such student(s) would be summarily terminated. Both parties will not complete the formalities of issuing the certificates to such students until they compensate the losses.

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IN WITNESS WHERE OF, the parties have executed this MoU and represent that they approve, accept and agree to terms contained herein.

(Dr. B.N. Hazarika)

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