

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN
NOWGONG GIRLS' COLLEGE, NAGAON, ASSAM, INDIA
AND
THE ORCHID SOCIETY OF EASTERN HIMALAYA (ASSAM CIRCLE), TINSUKIA, INDIA
ON EDUCATIONAL, RESEARCH & EXTENSION COOPERATION**

NOWGONG GIRLS' COLLEGE, Haibargaon, Nagaon, Assam and THE ORCHID SOCIETY OF EASTERN HIMALAYA, ASSAM CIRCLE, Tinsukia, Assam, hereinafter individually referred to as "the Party" and jointly referred to as "the Parties";

ACKNOWLEDGING that;

1. NOWGONG GIRLS' COLLEGE is a Degree level provincialized educational institution, having its address as Haibargaon, Nagaon, India, 782002.
2. THE ORCHID SOCIETY OF EASTERN HIMALAYA, ASSAM CIRCLE, is a Scientific society established to conserve and propagate the Orchid species of Eastern Himalaya region and to publish Scientific journal ESMERALDA North-east, having its address as Daisa Bordoloi Nagar, Talap, Tinsukia, India, 786156.

DESIRING to; support the cooperation between the Parties in educational, research, training & extension Cooperation

PURSUANT to the prevailing laws and regulations, policies and procedures applicable in the state of Assam and India;

HAVE REACHED the following understanding: -

**ARTICLE 1
OBJECTIVE OF COOPERATION**

The objective of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to cooperate in educational, research and extension activities in areas of mutual interest.

**ARTICLE 2
SCOPE OF COOPERATION**


The Parties agree to implement cooperation programmes including but not limited to:

- a. Development and conduct of training on curriculum, certificate, diploma courses and skill-based courses
- b. Undertaking research and extension activities


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- c. Any other areas as mutually agreed upon by the Parties
- d. To conduct awareness and development programme on Orchid Cultivation and Commercialization


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**ARTICLE 3
LOCATION OF ACTIVITIES**

1. The Parties agree to implement the activities stated in ARTICLE 2 at NOWGONG GIRLS' COLLEGE and THE ORCHID SOCIETY OF EASTERN HIMALAYA, ASSAM CIRCLE.
2. Any changes to the location of the activities shall be mutually agreed upon by the parties

**ARTICLE 4
FINANCIAL ARRANGEMENT**


1. Any cooperation under this MOU is subject to the availability of funding sources and approval by relevant authorities.
2. Any specific project of joint interest will be detailed in a separate agreement, including financial and programme specific arrangements.

**ARTICLE 5
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS**

1. Each Party shall protect, within its capacity and territory, intellectual property rights of the other Party in accordance with the laws and regulations in force in the state of Assam and the country of India.
2. In case of specific arrangement, programmes, activities or projects that may result in intellectual property, the Parties shall conclude separate arrangement in accordance with the prevalent laws and regulations in the state of Assam and the country of India.


**ARTICLE 6
CONFIDENTIALITY**

In the event that either Party wishes to disclose any data and/or information supplied in or resulted from the implementation of this MOU, the disclosing Party shall have prior written consent of the other Party.


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ARTICLE 7
LIMITATION OF PERSONAL ACTIVITIES

The Parties shall ensure that their personnel engaged in the activities under this MOU shall engage only in activities under the framework of this MOU with respect to laws and regulations in the state of Assam and the country of India.


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ARTICLE 8
SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTES

Any dispute concerning the interpretation and/or application of this MOU shall be settled amicably through consultation or negotiation between Parties.

ARTICLE 9
AMENDMENT

1. This MOU may be amended or revised at any time by mutual written consent of the Parties, and such amendment shall form an integral part of this MOU.
2. Such amendment or revision shall come into force on the date as may be determined by the Parties.

ARTICLE 10
ENTRY INTO FORCE, DURATION AND TERMINATION

1. This MOU shall enter into force on the date of signing.
2. This MOU shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years and may be extended for another period of five (5) years by mutual consent of the Parties.
3. Either Party may terminate this MOU at any time by given written notification to the other Party on its intention to terminate this MOU, one (1) month prior to the date of the termination.
4. The termination of this MOU shall not affect the completion of any programmes, activities or projects in progress and not completed at the time of termination.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have signed this MOU.

DONE in duplicate at NAGAON, ASSAM, INDIA on _____ in two (2) originals, in English.

FOR
NOWGONG GIRLS' COLLEGE

FOR
THE ORCHID SOCIETY OF EASTERN HIMALAYA, ASSAM CIRCLE




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