

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
ON COOPERATION IN  
SKILL & ENTREPRENEURSHIP DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES FOR WOMEN  
BETWEEN  
PRODUCT AND PROCESS DEVELOPMENT CENTRE (PPDC) AND  
COLLEGE OF NON-CONVENTIONAL VOCATIONAL COURSES FOR WOMEN  
(CNCVCW), KOLHAPUR**

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This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is entered on 22 March, 2021 by and between:

- i. Product and Process Development Centre (PPDC), a Govt. of India Society setup with the assistance of Govt. of India, Govt. of U.P. & UNDP/UNIDO in 1985 for technological up-gradation of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprises (MSMEs) having its registered office at Foundry Nagar, Agra-282006 (UP) herein referred to as 'PPDC Agra' represented by Shri Vikas Verma, Assistant Director (Training)/Incharge, Extension Centre – Kolhapur.

AND

- ii. College of Non-Conventional Vocational Courses for Women (CNCVCW), established at University Road, Kolhapur – 416004 herein referred to as 'CNCVCW College' represented by Dr. R. A. Shinde, Secretary & Managing Trustee, CSIBER Trust, Kolhapur.

PPDC Agra and CNCVCW College (hereinafter referred collectively as 'Parties').

**WHEREAS:**

- A. PPDC Agra is engaged in providing assistance to MSMEs in the areas of Testing, Process & Product Development, Skill Development/ Management/ Quality Trainings, Entrepreneurship Development & Technical Consultancy.
- B. Women College is inter alia is engaged in various Non-Vocational Courses form Women.
- C. The Parties have recognized the mutual understanding to support Women Skill & Entrepreneurship Development activities to promote Employment & Self Employment among women in the country.
- D. On the basis of this common recognition, the Parties are executing this Memorandum of Understanding on Cooperation of Women Skill & Entrepreneurship Development Initiatives (hereinafter referred to as "this MOU") as per the terms and conditions set out below.



NOW, THEREFORE, IN CONSIDERATION OF THE PREMISES AND THE MUTUAL COVENANTS CONTAINED HEREIN, THE PARTIES COVENANT AND AGREE AS FOLLOWS:

#### GENERAL OBJECTIVES

1. This MOU intends to set up the general principles of exchange and cooperation, according to which the Parties may jointly identify fields of convergence on Skill & Entrepreneurship Development for Women initiatives to promote enterprises and create awareness about entrepreneurship among women in the country, on the basis of reciprocity and mutual benefit.

#### REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES

2. Each Party represents and warrants to the other party that:
  - i. It has full power and authority to enter into this MOU and has taken all necessary action on its part required to authorize the execution and perform its obligations under this MOU; and
  - ii. It is not subject to any obligation that would prevent it from entering into this MOU.
  - iii. The Representative's whose names have been set forth above have been duly authorized to execute this MOU and to otherwise perform the activities under to this MOU.

#### FRAMEWORK

3. Cooperative activities under this MOU will cover information sharing, content development, and presentation and promotion of such activities for convergence of Initiatives for Skill & Entrepreneurship Development for Women to promote enterprises and create awareness about entrepreneurship among women in the country.
4. Cooperative activities under this MOU will be subject to the laws and regulations of India.

#### FIELDS AND FORMS OF COOPERATION

5. With a view to promoting development of MSMEs and to create awareness about achievement of entrepreneurs, the Parties will encourage:
  - Collaboration between each other to exchange information for promotion of MSMEs;
  - Develop proposals for convergence on matters of Women Entrepreneurship and Women Enterprise Development; and
  - Other forms of cooperation in mutually determined and targeted areas.





## IMPLEMENTATION

6. Both Parties will have regular exchange of information and experience on convergence of Initiatives for Skill & Entrepreneurship Development for Women to promote enterprises and create awareness about entrepreneurship among women in the country, and to identify opportunities for bilateral cooperation.
7. The Parties will consult with each other upon request of either Party regarding any matter relating to the terms of this MOU and will endeavour jointly in a spirit of cooperation and mutual trust to resolve any disagreements or disputes which may arise.
8. This MOU will commence on the date of its execution and will continue for a period of 1 (One) year and will be renewable annually for period of 1 year (One), unless terminated earlier as provided herein. Upon expiry of the term of this MOU, it may be renewed on such terms and conditions as may be mutually agreed in writing.
9. This MOU may be modified by mutual agreement in writing and may be terminated by either Party by giving 3 (three) months' prior written notice to the other Party.
10. The terms and provisions of this MOU and the information or documents shared by Parties in pursuance of this MOU are confidential and shall not be disclosed by either Party to third parties without the prior written consent of the other Party.
11. CNCVCW College shall not issue any press release or any other publication or engage in any communications through any media without the prior written consent of the PPDC Agra.
12. CNCVCW College shall not use the PPDC, Agra's name, logo or any intellectual property without the prior written approval of the PPDC Agra.
13. The Parties to this MOU are independent contractors. Neither Party will have the power to bind the other or incur obligations on the other's behalf without the other's prior written consent. This MOU is entered into on principal-to-principal basis and nothing in this MOU will be construed to as creating a relationship of partnership, joint venture, agency or employment between the Parties. Neither Party will be responsible for the acts or omissions of the other Party.
14. A Party shall not be deemed in default of this MOU, nor shall it hold the other Party responsible for, any cessation, interruption or delay in the performance of its obligations due to earthquake, flood, fire, storm, natural disaster, act of God, war, terrorism, armed conflict, labour strike, lockout, boycott or other similar events beyond the reasonable control of the Party, provided that the Party relying upon this provision gives prompt written notice thereof, and takes all steps reasonably necessary to mitigate the effects of the force majeure event. If a force majeure event extends for a period in excess of 30 (thirty) days in the aggregate, either Party may immediately terminate this MOU upon written notice.
15. All communications and notices to be given by either Party to the other in connection with the right and obligations of both Parties under or pertaining to this Agreement





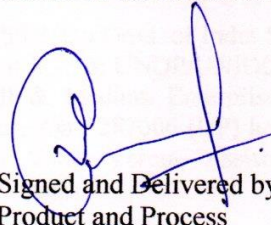
shall be given in writing and sent by registered post or hand delivery or courier to the address given above or at such other address as either Party may intimate in writing to the other Party.

16. Certificate of Completion of Training will be issued to students with joint signature of PPDC Agra and CNCVCW College.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the duly authorized representatives of the Parties have caused this MOU to be executed on the date first written above.

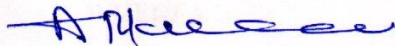


Signed and Delivered by  
College of Non-Conventional Vocational  
Courses for Women, Kolhapur  
By  
Dr. R. A. Shinde  
Secretary & Managing Trustee, CSIBER  
Trust, Kolhapur



Signed and Delivered by  
Product and Process  
Development Centre, Agra  
By its Assistant Director (Training)  
Mr. Vikas Verma  
Incharge, Ext. Centre, Kolhapur

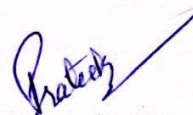
In the presence of



1. Dr. A. R. Kulkarni  
Principal, CNCVCW, Kolhapur



In the presence of



1. Sh. Prateek Parashar,  
Field Officer, PPDC Agra.



2. Mrs. Shweta A. Patil  
Head, Dept. of Food Technology,  
CNCVCW, Kolhapur



2. Mr. Vijay Pawar  
Coordinator



3. Mrs. Jyoti R. Hiremath  
IQAC Coordinator,  
CNCVCW, Kolhapur

