



Memorandum of Understanding
for Standardization & Conformity Assessment Collaboration
Between

Bureau of Indian standards
and
Shantilal Shah Engineering College, Bhavnagar

This Memorandum of Understanding ('MoU') is made on 05 December 2023 between the Bureau of Indian Standards, the National Standards Body of India established under the Bureau of Indian Standards Act, 2016 for the harmonious development of the activities of standardization, conformity assessment and quality assurance of goods, articles, processes, systems and services and for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto, having its Headquarters at 'Manak Bhavan', 9 Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi-110002, hereinafter referred to as the Bureau, or the FIRST PARTY,

and

The Shantilal Shah Engineering College, Bhavnagar, an institute having expertise in the area of scientific and technological education and research, and the application of scientific knowledge and technology to human advancement and social development, established under the University Grants Commission Act, 1956, enacted by the Parliament of Republic of India, having its office at New Sidsar Campus, Post: Vartej, Sidsar, Bhavnagar-364060 hereinafter referred to as SSEC Bhavnagar, or the SECOND PARTY.

Both the Bureau and SSEC Bhavnagar hereinafter refer to individually as the 'Party' and collectively as 'Parties'.

1. General

The Bureau, with this Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with SSEC Bhavnagar intends to develop collaborative activities in the field of Standardization and Conformity Assessment on the basis of equality and reciprocity and in accordance with terms and conditions set forth in this memorandum of understanding (MoU). The collaboration will be established within the principles set out in the following sections.

2. Objectives

2.1 Both the Parties agree to develop the following collaborative activities in the areas of Standardization and Conformity Assessment on the basis of equality and reciprocity.

2.2 SSEC Bhavnagar and the Bureau agree to collaborate in the following areas:

- a) Participate in Standardization activity through Technical Committees of the Bureau at National & International level.
- b) undertake R&D Projects related to standardization and conformity assessment,
- c) Develop infrastructure support for R&D Projects of relevance to standardization. the Bureau will provide infrastructure support for R&D Projects of relevance to Standardization. The terms and conditions for infrastructure support and finance to be jointly worked out based on the R&D Projects.
- d) Provide IT based technological solutions regarding various activities of the Bureau, including Conformity Assessment processes, as and when required. The detailed guidelines for such projects would be worked out separately as may be mutually agreed to.
- e) Jointly organize seminars, conferences, workshops symposia or lectures on topics of Standardization and Conformity Assessment and to invite each other's faculty to participate therein.
- f) Exchange publications and other literature of common interest related to Standardization and Conformity Assessment.

4. Effective Date, Duration, Termination of the MoU:

4.1 This MoU shall be effective from the Effective Date and shall remain in force for a period of five (5) years therefrom. The parties may extend the term as mutually agreed to, in writing. This MoU may be terminated by either Party by giving a written notice of sixty (60) days to the other Party hereto.

5. Confidentiality

5.1 The Receiving Party shall ensure confidentiality of documents and information received and marked as confidential of the Disclosing Party, within the framework of this MoU. The documentation and information can be shared with a third party only with the written consent of the Disclosing Party.

5.2 The obligation of non-disclosure of such documentation and information shall survive till the validity of this MoU.

6. Warranty

6.1 Any and all deliverables, information, proposed publication, materials, reports, Services, intellectual property, other property or rights ("Results") and Confidential Information, granted or provided by SSEC Bhavnagar pursuant to this MoU are on an as-is-where-is basis. SSEC Bhavnagar does not make any warranties of any kind, either express or implied, as to any matter including, but not limited to, warranty of fitness for particular purpose, or merchantability, exclusivity or results obtained from use. SSEC Bhavnagar or its personnel shall not be liable for any loss or damage including third party damage that may arise out of usage of the Results or/and Confidential Information, by the Bureau under this MoU.

7. Resolution of Disputes

The Bureau and SSEC Bhavnagar will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence and shared responsibility. In case, there be a dispute relating to any aspect of the cooperation, SSEC Bhavnagar and the Bureau

will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility. The interpretation and enforceability of this MoU shall be determined according to laws of India.

8. Amendment

This Memorandum of Understanding may be amended or supplemented at any time by written agreement between the Parties.

9. The MoU becomes effective by the signature of the Parties.



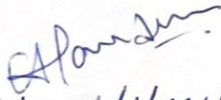
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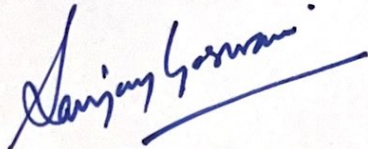
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