



# Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between



**Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology  
(KSCST),**

**IISc Campus, Bengaluru-560012**

*AND*



**A P S COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING**

**Kanakapura Road, Somanahalli, Bangalore-560116**

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## **Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST):**

KSCST is one of the first State S&T Councils to be set up in the country established in the year 1975 at Indian Institute of Science Campus. It is an autonomous S&T organization under Department of Science & Technology, Government of Karnataka. From the several decades KSCST has been pro-actively engaging itself to identify, propose and implement S&T based solutions to locale specific needs / problems in the broad areas of Water, Education, Energy, Housing, Geospatial technologies and Infrastructure etc., in the State.

In co-operation with the Indian Institute of Science and several other premier R&D institutions, KSCST executes many projects and programmes aimed at improving socio-economic conditions of the people of the state. The Department of Science and Technology, Government of India advocated as model to all the states

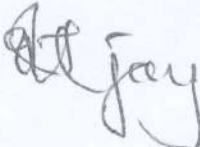
The Council through its Patent Information Centre (PIC) tirelessly conducting awareness, capacity building, basic and advance training programmes on Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs). KSCST has established many IP cells across Karnataka in Science and Engineering Colleges, Technical Institutions and Universities. Further by providing IP assistance in filing and Commercialisation, KSCST has creating IP ecosystem in the State.

**Dr. D G Anand, Principal, of the A P S College of Engineering** and **Dr. U T Vijay, Executive Secretary, representing KSCST, Bengaluru** have arrived at this Memorandum of Understanding for mutual co-operation and collaboration on matters of Intellectual Property Rights (IPRs) on mutual interest. Hence, this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU).

### **The following are the terms of agreement:**

1. The Name of the IP cell will be called as **APSCE IP Cell- KSCST IP Cell**
2. For the purpose of this MOU, KSCST, Bengaluru to provide the technical assistance in matters relating to Intellectual Property Rights on need basis as mutually agreed upon.
3. KSCST and APSCE may in joint collaboration organize/conduct workshops, training programmes, research activities, and assist in further development of IPR ecosystem in the host institute.

  
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4. If need arises, KSCST and the A P S College of Engineering may constitute a working group to work out the practical problems of collaboration if any, between the two parties in general and to ensure proper and effective implementation of this MOU.
5. Such details agreed upon will be effective by exchange of letters by KSCST and A P S College of Engineering and such letters shall form part of this agreement.
6. A P S College of Engineering may reserve or allocate suitable fund for filings and other issues of IPRs that generated from the host institute.
7. A P S College of Engineering should send a detail report on IPR activities of the IP cell for the academic year to KSCST for information and to provide needful inputs.

#### **SCOPE OF THE MOU:**


**KSCST and A P S College of Engineering** shall/may take relevant steps and measures to protect, promote and enhance research and development, which shall create scope for development of Intellectual Property and take appropriate decisions and measure in furtherance of the same.

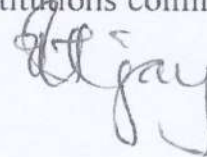
#### **Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology-Roles and Responsibilities**

- ❖ KSCST shall provide technical assistance in filing the registration of IPRs and prior art searches.
- ❖ KSCST shall associate with A P S College of Engineering in identifying the potential IP innovations in the host institute.
- ❖ KSCST shall associate with A P S College of Engineering in organizing IPR programmes
- ❖ There shall be no financial responsibility from the side of KSCST.

#### **A P S College of Engineering - Roles and Responsibilities**

- ❖ Shall make available suitable infrastructure, place, and manpower for functioning of IP cell and also other needful amenities for the same.
- ❖ Shall nominate IP cell Coordinator to lead the A P S College of Engineering -KSCST IP cell and also nominate faculty from all other institutions coming under it to promote IPR in host institute.

  
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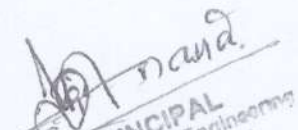


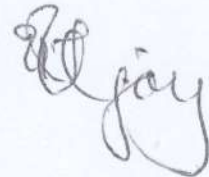
- ❖ Shall constitute an **Executive Committee** consisting of representatives from KSCST, A P S College of Engineering -Principal & IP attorney/ Patent agent & IP cell Coordinator, heads of the Department, & Office Superintendent.
- ❖ Shall constitute a **Working Group Committee** consisting of the IP cell Coordinator, representatives from KSCST, one or two faculty from each department from A P S College of Engineering
- ❖ Should allow IP cell to sensitize and involve the students, faculty, research scholars, and other members and provide awareness and training workshops on IPR periodically.
- ❖ Shall allow the IP Cell to identify and drive the innovation to file & commercialize the IPRs from the institutions associated with A P S College of Engineering.
- ❖ Should also allocate or source fund from other agencies for IPR filing, commercialization, technology transfer and resolve any IPR issues of the A P S College of Engineering

#### DURATION OF THE MOU

This MOU shall be in effect initially for a period of **5 (Five) years (27<sup>th</sup> from the date (27<sup>th</sup> March 2024)** on which this MOU is signed by both the parties and may be renewed thereafter, by mutual consent. Either party may terminate the agreement by written notification sent to the proper Officer of the institution. Such notice must be received by either Party within six months prior of the effective termination date.

In witness where of the parties hereto cause this instrument to be executed as of the date, month and year indicated below.

  
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On behalf of the A P S College of Engineering, Somanahalli, Bengaluru

  
Dr. D.G. Anand

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On this Day, Wednesday, the 27th March 2024

On behalf of the Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST), Bengaluru,

  
Dr. U. T. Vijay

Executive Secretary,

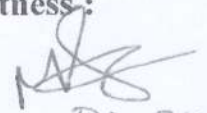
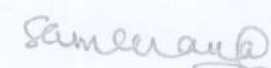
Karnataka State Council for Science and Technology (KSCST),

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On this Day, Wednesday the 27th March 2024

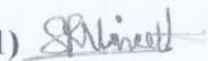
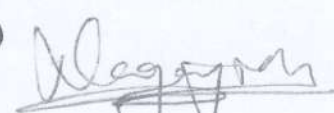
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Witness :

- 1)   
DR. SHIVAMORTHAIAH.
- 2)   
C. P. Sameerana

(KSCST)

Witness :

- 1)   
Vineeth Kumar S.R.
- 2)   
Hagarjun M.G.