

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

Between



SVP National Police Academy
Shivaramapalli, Hyderabad



North Eastern Police Academy
Umsaw, Meghalaya

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The Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made on this 13th of September 2023.

Between

(i) Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel National Police Academy, Shivarampalli, Hyderabad-500052 (**herein after referred to as SVPNPA**)

and

(ii) North Eastern Police Academy, GOI, MHA, Umiam, Umsaw, Meghalaya- 793123 (**hereinafter referred to as NEPA**)

1. Whereas NEPA (erstwhile the Regional Police Training College) is engaged in shaping Police Officers of North Eastern States for equitable, effective and sensitive policing. It is dedicated to teaching the police personnel of north eastern states to safeguard the value of freedom – freedom from disorder, criminal acts and criminals. The Academy is located at Umsaw, village under the Ri-Bhoi district of Meghalaya. Its main objectives are:-

- (a) To impart one-year basic training to the directly recruited Police Officers of the rank of Sub-Inspectors and Dy.SP of N.E States.
- (b) Design and offer a number of different types of in-service programmes for Police personnel from all across the country, including neighbouring nations of Myanmar & Bangladesh.
- (c) Design and offer courses which will bring Police Officers for close interaction with Officers of other Departments like Revenue, Judiciary, Magistracy, Customs etc.
- (d) To exchange the Faculty members for various training and academic programmes.
- (e) To mutually conduct joint certificate courses/training courses for different target groups.
- (f) Compile documents and analyse the available literature relevant directly and indirectly to police training.

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2. Whereas, the Central Police Training college was established in Mount Abu (Rajasthan) on September 15, 1948 and renamed as National Police Academy in 1967. SVPNPA was named after Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel, the Iron Man of India in 1974 and in February 1975 the SVPNPA finally shifted from Mount Abu to Hyderabad, located at Shivarampalli, Hyderabad, Telangana, caters to the training Officers of the Indian Police Service (IPS), who have been selected through an All India based Civil Services Examination.
3. Whereas both the parties aforesaid are agreeable to establish collaboration for the purpose of identifying new areas for training and research, and exchange of faculty support.
4. Now, therefore, the parties herein above mutually agree to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) on the following terms and conditions, namely-
 - (i) This MoU shall continue to remain valid, from the date of its signing. Unless terminated by serving notice of six months from either party.
 - (ii) **Responsibilities of the NEPA and SVPNPA**
 - (1) NEPA and SVPNPA shall jointly identify the areas of training and research, where mutually cooperation is sought.
 - (2) Both the Institutes shall exchange their experts, faculties and trainers as per mutually agreed upon.
 - (3) In the event of jointly organized programmes, both institutes shall mutually decide the availabilities of conveyance, lodging, boarding and other expenses etc. well in advance.
 - (4) The respective establishment will bear the TA/DA in respect of its own trainers/faculty.
 - (5) The institute that invite the trainers/faculty for any programme shall provide due honorarium & basic amenities.
 - (6) Both Institutes shall take all reasonable steps to ensure the successful completion of the collaboration and co-operate with each other in duly carrying out the obligation agreed upon.
 - (7) Both institutes shall appoint nodal officers for communication with each other.

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- (8) All information, course material, plan, discussion, strategy or any material, disclosed under the MoU shall be deemed to be confidential and shall be marked accordingly.
- (9) Any confidential information received by either institution, by virtue of this agreement shall be maintained in the strict confidence and trust and shall be used for the agreed purpose under this MoU only.
- (10) Any other areas which come across in future and agreed mutually for common interest.

5. **Terms & Conditions**

- (i) The MoU shall not be a legally binding contract, and under no circumstances, this MoU will subject either of the Parties to breach of contract, whether material or minor, or to any liability under national or international laws or to any other applicable law.
- (ii) The Parties hereby agree that they are not bound exclusively by this Memorandum and shall be at liberty to enter into any separate agreement or agreements with any third party without reference to the other Party. However, each party will disclose similar arrangements they enter into with third parties.
- (iii) All conditions, changes, erasures, amendments, waivers etc. shall only be in writing duly executed by both the parties.
- (iv) This MoU and any amendments thereof, are limited to the purpose of this MoU.
- (v) This MoU shall be governed by the laws of the Republic of India.
- (vi) The Parties shall make best efforts to resolve all differences and disputes arising in connection with this MoU amicably. In case the differences are not resolved amicably, a Steering Committee will do the same and failure after that to resolve differences could lead to termination of this MoU. The Members of the Steering Committee would consist of equal number of Members from both NEPA and SVPNPA.

6. **Maintenance of Confidentiality :**

The material/data supplied by NEPA and SVPNPA for research purposes would be kept confidential and neither the data nor any report based on such data shall be published without the consent of either parties.

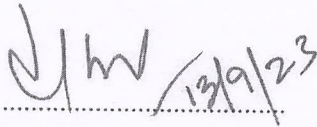
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7. **Nodal Officers :**

The Dy. Director (Indoor), NEPA and Dy. Director, SVPNPA would be the Nodal Officers on behalf of NEPA and SVPNPA respectively, who would liaison on behalf of the parties to give effect to the purposes of this MoU.

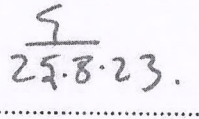
8. **IN WITNESS WHEREOF** the Parties have caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed the day & year herein above written.

For and on behalf of SVPNPA


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(Amit Garg, IPS)
Incharge Director
SVP National Police Academy

For and on behalf of NEPA


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(Deepak Kumar, IPS)
Director
North Eastern Police Academy