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Memorandum of Understanding

This Memorandum of Understanding is signed on 04-02-2022, between the following institutions:

a. **Gokaraju Rangaraju Institute of Engineering and Technology, Hyderabad**
b. **BITSILICA Pvt Ltd, Hyderabad, India**

This MoU is proposed to promote collaborative research work and academic partnerships between the Institute and Industry.

Through this MoU, the two parties agree to the following.

(a) A **Steering committee** will be set up to monitor the activities of the MoU. The committee will consist of Principal from GRIET and CEO of GRES, HODs of EEE, ECE and CSE Dept. of GRIET. Chief Executive Officer, BITSILICA, and Manager, BITSILICA. The steering committee will be the supreme body as for the implementation of the activities of the MoU, the continuation of the MoU, and termination of the MoU are concerned.

(b) **Collaborative Research Work and Publication:** The faculty from institute and engineers from industry will carry out collaborative research work and make possible publications. The steering committee will resolve the issues involving conflict of interest at any stage.

(c) **International / National Project Grants:** The faculty from institute and engineers from industry will explore international and national project grants from various funding agencies globally and execute the projects in role of Principal Investigator (PI) / Co- PI / Collaborator / Partner as per norms.

(d) **Online Teaching / Learning:** The faculty from institute and engineers from industry will involve in creating and sharing online course contents / lectures / webinars to the students for knowledge enhancement.

(e) **Academic activities:** The faculty from institute and engineers from industry may participate / organize in academic orientated workshops / Training / Seminars / Conferences / faculty development programs. The respective institute / industry will provide the necessary infrastructure and other facilities to conduct the events successfully at their premises.

(f) **Faculty / Student Exchange program:** The faculty / students from both institutes may participate in exchange program for collaborative research work / project work with duration of one month (minimum) to twelve months (maximum) as per norms.

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(a) **Curriculum Development:** The institute will explore possible ways with industry to suggest new / value added courses or revise the existing course structure of engineering programs. The industry may be welcomed to participate in the Board of Studies (BOS) meetings / curriculum development workshops.

(b) **Publicity through Media**: The institute / industry may publicize the event or other external communications about the MoU in electronic or print media.

(c) **Financial Commitment:** No financial commitment for the above from both institute and industry. In case of any activity demands, with mutual consent, the steering committee will decide the charges/ honorarium/ transaction as per GRIET and BITSILICA norms.

Authorized Signatories:

Chief Executive Officer,
GRES, Hyderabad

Chief Executive Officer,
BITSILICA Pvt. Ltd.
Hyderabad, India

Chief Executive Officer
Gokaraju Rangaraju Educational Society
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Witness Signatories:

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