MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

between



VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY NELLORE

AND

BIOARTHA LABS PVT LTD, Bengaluru CIN U24299KA2021PTC155

on

ON CO-OPERATION IN THE FIELDS OF ACADEMICS, RESEARCH, STUDENTS AND FACULTY EXCHANGES

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made this 2 July 2022

VIKRAMA SIMHAPURI UNIVERSITY, NELLORE (hereinafter "VSU"), a public University established under Section 22 of the UGC Act vide its communication No.F.9.2/2010 (CPP-I/PU) dt.20 January 2010. Subsequently, the university is also sanctioned 2(f) and 12 (b) Status by University Grants Commission

AND

BIOARTHA LABS PVT LTD, . (hereinafter'**BALPL'**), a molecular biology and cell biology focussed company with its registered address at *Atal Incubation Centre – Jyothy Institute of Technology Foundation, Off Kanakapura Main Road Thataguni, Bengaluru, Karnataka 560082*

Both VSU (First party) and BALPL (Second party) shall also be collectively referred to as the "Parties" or the "Institutions."

Now therefore, in consideration of the mutual promises set forth in the MoU, the parties agree as follows:

- VSU and BALPL are united by common interests and objectives and shall establish channels of communication and cooperation that will promote and advance their respective activities within the Institution and its related wings.
- The scope of MoU is to define a mechanism to promote research, impart skill oriented training in the area of Molecular Biology and cell biology and other programs to benefit student and staff of both organizations;
- To establish joint research and academic activities leading to academic excellence; new knowledge generation; innovative technology development
- The second party, BALPL will give valuable inputs to the first party, VSU in teaching/training methodology and suitably customize the curriculum .so that the students fit into the industrial scenario meaningfully.

- Students, research scholars and faculty will be permitted by the second party, BALPL to visit its company thereby promote hands-on industrial training activities.
- Both the partiesagree to help identify and invite faculty members from the other institution to participate in conferences, workshops and short-term courses.
- ✓ The second party agree to train students of VSU on the emerging technologies in the area of Molecular Biology in order to bridge the skill gap and make them industry ready
- ✓ BALPL will actively engage to help the delivery of the training and placements to the students of VSU into internships/jobs.
- VSU and BALPL agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights that arise as a result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case-by-case basis, and will be consistent with the officially laid down IPR policies of the two institutions.
- ✓ This MoU will take effect from the date it is signed by representatives of the two institutions. It will remain valid for **Ten years**, and may be continued thereafter after suitable review and agreement. Either institution may terminate the MoU by giving written notice to the other institution six months in advance.
- Once terminated, neither VSU nor BALPL will be responsible for any losses, financial or otherwise, which the other institutions may suffer.
 However, neither VSUnor BALPL will ensure that all activities in progress are allowed to complete successfully.
- There is no financial commitment between the parties. If there is a financial aspects, they shall be dealt separately.
- ✓ Any amendment and/or addenda to the AGREEMENT shall be in writing and signed by the PARTIES hereto and shall only after such execution be deemed to form part of the AGREEMENT and have the effect of modifying the AGREEMENT to the extent required by such amendment or addenda.

Should there be a dispute relating to any aspect of academic cooperation, Head of the institute, VSU and Director/CEO BALPL will jointly resolve the dispute in a spirit of independence, mutual respect, and shared responsibility.

This MoU is signed subject to approval of the respective academic/administrative bodies.

Agreed

For Vikrama Simhapuri University

For BIOARTHA LABS PVT LTD

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Registrar Vikrama Simhapuri University Nellore-524324 Date: PEGISTRAR VILLAME - 524 324

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CEO RIGHETTIA Date:

