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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is entered into between

Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation, a Section 8 Company registered under the Companies Act 1956, having its office at 72, Marshalls Road, Egmore, Chennai - 600008, India, represented by its Director, Mr G Vishnu Vardhan, duly authorized to execute this MOU,

AND

Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya (<https://mpsvv.ac.in/>), having its office at Dewas Road, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh - 456010, India, represented by its Registrar, Dr. Dileep Soni, duly authorized to execute this MOU.

For SIDDHANTA KNOWLEDGE FOUNDATION

Director

Dileep Soni

ATTESTED

NOTARY
DISTRICT UJJAIN (M.P.)

कैलाशचन्द्र वैशाली एडवोकेट
146, राजी लक्ष्मीबाई मार्ग
मानसगढ़, उज्जैन (म.प्र.)

WHEREAS

- i. **Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation (SKF)** is a non-profit organization (registered public trust in India) dedicated to restoring the pride of Bharat amongst its younger generation. Specifically, SKF helps build ecosystems that can unearth wisdom embedded within the Bharatiya knowledge systems, and then disseminate this wisdom such that it is relevant to the contemporary society and era. SKF's approach is to partner with organizations that are engaged in revival of Sanatana Dharma.

AND

- ii. **Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya (MPSVV)** has been established exclusively for the development and spread of the Sanskrit language. The University is actively engaged in various activities such as lectures, debates, seminars and conferences aimed at providing a platform for increased awareness and in-depth study of Sanskrit as well as various subjects that form the core of our traditional knowledge systems – Vedas, Vedangas and Sahitya, Kala (Arts), Pracheen Vigyan and Shiksha Shastra.

The two parties hereby agree, through this MoU, to collaborate as follows.

Section 1 : The Intent

A key goal of SKF is to revitalize Dharma in Hindu society. To this end, SKF would like to engage with experts in Bharatiya Shaastra Knowledge and help make it accessible and usable to the wider society including dissemination of knowledge through its own online platform.

Both SKF and MPSVV recognize the need to re-contextualize Bharatiya shastras or sciences for benefitting the contemporary social, cultural, political, environmental ecosystem. This requires (i) identifying, engaging, supporting and leveraging multiple scholars having the right knowhow, (ii) promoting research in various Shastras and other Bharatiya literature with the objective of paraphrasing the knowledge thereof, for non-traditional contexts and audiences (iii) providing training to researchers in tools and technology that will help in the process (iv) harnessing the latest technologies and practices for rapid impact and outreach at scale.

SKF brings the resources, industry connections and institutional experience necessary to sustain this effort over the long haul. MPSVV brings access to scholarly expertise, ability to contribute a rigorous research process and use technology to make complex traditional knowledge matrix more accessible and conducive to wider dissemination through modern adaptations.

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Hence, a confluence of their complementary skills will likely help both organizations in their mission to rejuvenate Bharat's intellectual tradition to benefit future humanity.

Section 2: Representatives for regular co-ordination and project-based discussions

- a. **Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation (SKF)** will be represented by its Project Manager, Ms. Lakshmi Sarma or any other representative as nominated by SKF, AND
- b. **Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya (MPSVV)** will be represented by its Assistant Professor – Department of Veda & Vyakarana, Dr. Sankalpa Mishra.

Section 3: The Understanding

Joint Obligations:

- a. SKF and MPSVV shall jointly execute projects to develop easy, effective and logical learning resources for various texts pertaining to traditional Bharatiya knowledge.
- b. SKF and MPSVV shall collaborate and jointly sponsor various outreach activities pertaining to traditional Bharatiya knowledge systems and literature in general, as well as the subject matter of respective research projects in particular, including organising seminars and conferences, lectures and other events. Participation in such outreach activities will be mutually discussed and decided.
- c. SKF and MPSVV agree that output of projects executed under this MoU can be utilized by either party. Both parties agree that any arrangement for commercialisation of project output shall be jointly discussed and decided.
- d. The terms of collaboration, including scope and funding requirements, for specific projects will be mutually discussed and decided, on a case-to-case basis.

Obligations of Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya (MPSVV):

As Execution Partner : As the EXECUTION PARTNER, MPSVV shall select and appoint Research Scholars to enable mapping of the various Shastra literature as well as other relevant texts and design a suitable schedule and process mechanism to achieve the desired objectives / output(s) as agreed upon with SKF.

Obligations of Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation:

- i. **As Project Owner:** As PROJECT OWNER, SKF shall review the project budget proposed by MPSVV for each project and after agreeing to the same, shall allocate required funds for implementation of these projects. Further, SKF and MPSVV shall periodically monitor and review the progress of these projects in order to ensure timely completion and achievement of the stated objectives.
- ii. **As Consulting and Training Partner:** This includes training research project staff on research tools and methodology for knowledge creation and periodic consulting for the projects' duration by SKF's affiliated knowledge experts.

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Director

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Section 4: The Period

Whereas both parties desire to have a long term and mutually rewarding relationship, both Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation and Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya agree to this MoU for a period of 5 years from the date of signing this MOU, with provision for further period of extension with mutual discussion and consent.

Section 5: Modification of Agreement

This agreement can be modified at any time by mutual discussion and consent by both the parties in writing.

Section 6: Termination

This agreement can be terminated by either party by issuing a prior notice of 6 months to other party subject to completion of on-going projects.

Section 7: Effects of the Termination

- Intellectual property sharing – all material produced as part of research projects and other knowledge collaboration projects can be accessed by both parties with no further commitments to / from the other party.
- Upon termination of this MoU, no claims of any nature will be entertained by either party.

We, representing the two parties, Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation and Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic Vishwavidyalaya, sign this MoU.

For & on behalf of
Siddhanta Knowledge Foundation

For & on behalf of,
Maharshi Panini Sanskrit Evam Vedic
Vishwavidyalaya

For SIDDHANTA KNOWLEDGE FOUNDATION

Director

Director

Registrar

Date: 4th MARCH '2022

Date:

Place: CHENNAI

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