

## MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This Memorandum of Understanding is entered into on ..... between Registrar, Gujarat University (hereafter called GU), Ahmedabad - 380009, Gujarat, India.

AND

Indian Army (hereafter called IA).

1. **Objective of this MoU:**

- (a) To achieve better understanding of critical technology requirements of IA through seamless interaction between GU faculty and concerned Army functionaries/ officers.
- (b) Identification of IA problems whose solutions will require R&D and student's projects, GU shall initiate such projects.
- (c) Sharing of professional and technical knowledge between GU and IA.
- (d) Commercialisation of IPR achieved through joint activities.
- (e) Development of Technical and Skill development module for IA.
- (f) To take up any other activity or activities of mutual interest.

2. **Activities envisaged:**

- (a) IA shall sponsor a Technology Development programme of five working days duration at a mutual agreed cost for fifteen officers of the Army on a bi annual basis.
- (b) Both parties shall undertake lectures for sharing their knowledge and experience.
- (c) Working together with Gujarat University Faculty and Students for mutual interest and benefit.
- (d) Joint supervision (with Gujarat University faculty) of Research Projects undertaken by Gujarat University Students.
- (e) Effectively linking Gujarat University research community to Indian Army as resource to solve Army's problems which require research and experimentation.
- (f) For any specific project a separate agreement will be discussed and agreed by both the organisations.

3. IA and GU, agree to respect each other's rights to intellectual property. Further, the intellectual property rights (IPR) that arises as result of any collaborative research or activity under this MoU will be worked out on a case to case basis, and will be consistent with officially laid down IPR policies of two organisations.

4. As far as possible, no confidential information shall be shared by the IA with GU. However, if in the interest of the project, such information needs to be shared, an appropriate non-disclosure agreement will be signed by both the organisations.

5. Each organisation shall appoint one member to coordinate the program on its behalf. The coordinators, thus appointed shall periodically review and identify ways to strengthen cooperation between the two organisations.

6. This MoU will be effective from the date of signing by authorised representatives of both organisations. The MoU shall remain valid for a period of Five (05) years. This MoU may be extended for another period of Five (05) years after suitable review and agreement by both organisations.

7. Either organisation can terminate the MoU by giving a three months advance notice in writing to other organisation.

8. The termination and expiration of this agreement will not affect the terms of on-going activities at the time of termination or expiration.

9. Should there be any disagreement or dispute related to activities covered under this MoU both IA and GU will jointly work to resolve in a spirit of independence, mutual respect and shared responsibility.

**Gujarat University**

By:



Registrar  
Gujarat University

In witness of

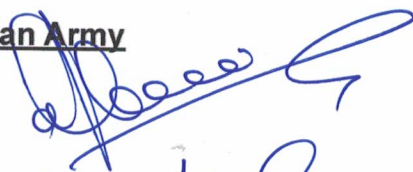


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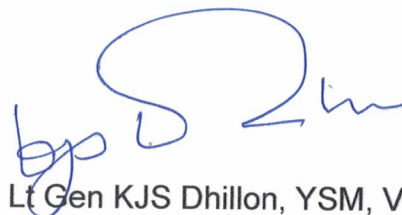


**Indian Army**

By:



Maj Gen Ak Channa  
ADC PR



Lt Gen KJS Dhillon, YSM, VSM  
Director General  
Perspective Planning  
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