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# Memorandum of Understanding

for Institute-Industry Interaction

Between

(Bharath Institute of Higher Education & Research) Deemed University u/s 3 of UGC Act, 1956

And

**Brahmastra Aerospace Systems** 

Bharath Institute of Higher Education & Research, a Deemed University located at 173, Agaram Main Road, Selaiyur, Chennai-600073 (hereinafter referred to as BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH) and Brahmastra Aerospace Systems, (hereinafter referred to as BAe Systems), having its Registered office at 6/77, Balaraman street, Nanmangalam, Chennai-117, India having recognized the importance to Industry Oriented Training have, on this 15 September day 2021, entered into this agreement which witnesseth as follows:-

### **PREAMBLE**

- BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH is an Institution Deemed to be University by MHRD in July 2002, under section 3 of UGC Act 1956, providing multi-stream, multi-cultural and high-quality education.
- Brahmastra Aerospace Systems (BAe systems) Brahmastra Aerospace Systems is a start-up committed with a team of innovators, enthusiasts, and thinkers established in 2019 in Chennai. We came up together with the intention of providing STEM Education based on Aeronautics & Astronautics to students of various backgrounds. To create a platform for Research & Development in the field of Aeronautics, Aerospace & Defence System, so that we can exercise the current and advancing technologies in the mentioned fields and be a forerunner and self-reliant nation.

### **OBJECTIVE**

The objectives of this interaction are many and would evolve with time and the quality of inputs provided by both the parties. At the outset the following can be envisaged.

- a) To provide interactions with the industry practitioners so as to have an understanding of industry expectations for the fresh graduates.
- b) To provide for regular knowledge exchange between institute and industry experts.
- c) To create opportunities to carry out Joint research & Consultancy for mutual benefit in areas where deemed necessary by both.

# Hence Brahmastra Aerospace Systems & BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH agree

- Aerospace Systems identify Real Time projects in different areas for students of Aeronautical and Aerospace Engineering Programs (the distribution among the branches Brahmastra Aerospace Systems be made available well in advance to BIHER). Selection of these students BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be completed at least two weeks prior to commencement of Projects at BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS.
  - **a.** Students for the Projects can be selected by BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS through a screening procedure.
  - b. BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS designates one of their Faculty Members as coordinators for students' projects to continuously monitor the progress of these Projects. BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS provide the list of Projects to BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH on selection of students.

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- c. Both parties shall not use the name of the other in any advertisement or make any public announcement without the prior written approval of the other.
- d. Each party shall respect the others Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) and shall not use any trademark, copyright, design, symbol, or designation belonging to the other, without prior written approval of the other party.
- e. BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH agrees that BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS is not obliged on account of this MOU to recruit/hire or train any fixed number of students from BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH. However, BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS is requested to give priority for the students of Aeronautical and Aerospace Programs of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH in recruitment process.
- f. Both the parties shall maintain confidentiality in respect of any information, course material, plans, discussions, strategies or any material which shall be deemed to be confidential and shared between the parties. Further, BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH agrees that BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS may request students who undertake Project Work in BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS to execute confidentiality agreements in order to protect any information exchanged by BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS with such students in this regard.
- g. It is acknowledged by the BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH that the confidential information furnished by BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS are not disclosed, either in whole or in part, to any third party, either directly or indirectly, by agent, student, employee or representative. However, the confidential information furnished may be disclosed only to those faculties of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH connected with the activities pertaining to this MOU and they BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be directed by BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH to treat such information in accordance with the terms of this MOU. The provisions pertaining to confidentiality shall continue even after the termination of this MOU.
- h. BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS hereby warrants, covenants, and undertakes that at any point of time during this MOU or after termination thereof it shall not use the name of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND STUDIES and related trade names of the BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH in any internal or external media or publications without obtaining the prior consent of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH in writing. Media for the purpose of this clause shall include any visual representation, records, ledgers, letter heads, audio, internet, websites, brochures, pamphlets, etc.

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- j. BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH or its affiliates hereby warrants, covenants, and undertakes that at any point of time during this MOU or after termination thereof it shall not use the name of BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS and related trademarks, logos or any other name used by in any internal or external media or any publications without obtaining the prior consent of BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS in writing. Media for the purpose of this clause shall include any visual representation, records, ledgers, letter heads, audio, internet, websites, brochures, pamphlets, application forms, prospectus, catalogues, press releases etc.
- k. BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH hereby covenants that it BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS do not indicate, directly or indirectly, in its brochures, prospectus or any other media that students enrolling in the courses conducted by BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS qualify for any employment or training in units of BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS.
- I. All publications whether through print or any other media connected with the activities pertaining to this MOU BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS are done after review and express approval of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH and BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS. Any release and use of the publications shall be done only upon express written approval of the BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH and BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS.
- **m**. It is clearly understood that there shall not be payable any remuneration, fees honorarium or any other monetary benefits to any employee / students / agents or any other Person associated or connected with both parties in respect of the services rendered pursuant to this MOU.
- (ii) To organize Industrial Visits & In-Plant Training to the units of BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS. These visits BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be centrally coordinated by BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS, Chennai. Date of visit and the batch size BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be decided well in advance by mutual consultations.
- (iii) To organize Guest Lectures, Joint Seminars / Workshops / Conferences. The BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be organized as and when required on mutually acceptable terms and conditions.
- (iv) To Jointly carry out Research and Consultancy
  A dedicated team from BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION &
  RESEARCH and BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS engage in research and
  consultancy services to support industries in the field of (List the domains) ETC. By
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Any Intellectual Property generated pursuant to the above, shall become the sole and exclusive property of BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS and BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH.

## (v) To jointly engage in Curriculum & Syllabi development

BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS extend its support to BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH in framing curriculum & syllabi for courses, where BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS deems fit. In such a case BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS nominate its industry experts to be members in the Board of Studies of BHARATH INSTITUTE OF HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH.

- (vi) To organize Internship for students The BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be organized as and when required on mutually acceptable terms and conditions.
- (vii) To organize Internship and Short Term Training for the Faculties. The BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be organized as and when required on mutually acceptable terms and conditions for the Upgradation of Faculty Knowledge in current / advanced Technologies.

#### **COORDINATORS**

One coordinator from each side shall be appointed for effective monitoring & implementation of the action points of this MOU.

This agreement BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be for a period of two years from the date of signing of this MOU by both the parties and BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS be renewed further if mutually agreed. Either party may terminate the agreement by written notification signed by the appropriate official of the Institution initiating the notice. Such notice must be received by the other party three (3) months prior to the effective termination date.

However, obligations and commitments already contracted for and involving their parties shall be honored and continued by both parties until such commitments are completed.

In witness whereof, the parties hereto caused this instrument to be executed as of the day, month and the year indicated below:

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This MOU shall be governed and construed in accordance with the laws of India.

Any and all disputes or claims arising under this MOU or out of or in connection with the execution, interpretation, performance or non performance of this MOU or any or all of the foregoing shall be solely and finally settled by Arbitration under the Arbitration and Conciliation Act 1996,. All arbitration proceedings shall be conducted in English Language and the venue of Arbitration shall be at Chennai.

For BAS

Signature

President

For BRAHMASTRA AEROSPACE SYSTEMS

Date:

Founder & CEO

Witness 1

Signature

Date: 15-9-2021



For BHARATH INSTITUTE OF

HIGHER EDUCATION & RESEARCH

Signature

Dr. M. SUNDARARAJ, M.E., Ph.D.,

Head of the Department HOD Department of Aeronautical Engineering

Bharath Institute of Higher Education & Research (Declared as Deemed to be University U/S 3 of UGC Act, 1956) Selaiyur, Chennai-600 073. INDIA

Date:

Witness 2

C. K. Signature

Date: 15 09 2021

