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POLICY ON ENVIRONMENTAL CONSCIOUSNESS AND SUSTAINABILITY

The awareness and practice with respect to environmental consciousness and sustainability issues are of paramount importance in creating and maintaining clean, safe and green environment. In this regard, all stake - holders have to adopt sustainable and eco - friendly practices. The specific policies on various aspects of environmental consciousness and sustainability are stated in the ensuing paragraphs.

Green Policy

The College shall focus on creating green and eco - friendly campus in orderto be environmentally sustainable. Green campus provides home for various species of flora and fauna thus helps in the maintenance of biodiversity. It is imperative that the College evaluates its own contributions towards a sustainable future. As environmental sustainability is becoming an increasingly important issue, the role of higher educational institutions inrelation to environmental sustainability is more prevalent. Hence, the Green Policy is as follows:

- 1. Green scaping of the Campus shall be carried out on regular basis
- 2. Green canopy shall be improved.
- 3. Green barricading shall be developed along the compound wall.
- 4. Orientation and awareness programmes shall be carried out for variousstakes holders of the College on yearly basis

Energy Conservation Policy

The Energy Conservation Policy of GRG College is to manage energy in systematic way so as to minimise the negative impact on the environment. The use of alternate sources of energy and energy conservation methods would help the College in contributing for the reduction in the carbon footprint and global warming. GRG college is highly committed towards the same. The Energy Conservation Policyis as follows:

- 1. Lights and fans shall be switched off when they are not in use.
- 2. Electrical equipment's shall be unplugged soon after the usage.
- 3. Artificial lighting and ventilation should be used under unavoidable conditions.
- 4. Existing electrical equipment's shall be replaced with energy efficient equipment 'sin the phased manner.
- 5. Existing incandescent bulbs shall be replaced with LED bulbs and tube lights in the phased manner.
- 6. In order to reduce the usage of conventional electricity, solar devices such as solar street lights and solar water heaters shall be installed.
- 7. Energy auditing shall be carried out on yearly basis.
- 8. Suitable measures shall be adopted in order to continuously improve energy conservation.

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