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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

Between
DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY
GOALPARA COLLEGE, GOALPARA
AND

DISTRICT DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY, GOALPARA

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is made and executed on 28th day of July, 2023 between the Department of Geography, Goalpara College, Goalpara-783101.

And

District Disaster Management Authority, Goalpara, Assam-783121

Principal/DDO
Goalpara College, Goalpara

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Purpose & Objectives:

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The purpose of this MoU is to develop a cohesive framework for collaboration between Department of Geography, Goalpara College, Goalpara and District Disaster Management Authority, Goalpara with the objectives as mentioned below:

- 1) In order to mitigate as well as for immediate response to any kind of disaster means a catastrophe, mishap, calamity or grave occurrence in any area arising from natural disaster i.e. flood, cyclone, earthquake, landslide etc. including state specific disasters such as erosion, storm and lightning, both the parties envisaged and agreed to generate mass awareness and capacity building by means of holding workshop, seminar, training programme, awareness programme etc. mobilizing and involving student community as well as the civil society.
- 2) Pursuant to the Sub Section-(2) (v) of Section-30 of the Disaster Management Act, 2005; both the parties agreed to take up measures for prevention and mitigation of disasters apart from the line departments. In this regard, Department of Geography, Goalpara College, Goalpara agreed to share resources to facilitate the District Disaster Management Authority, Goalpara to tackle any emergency or forecasted disasters at any pre-identified vulnerable area in the district.
- 3) The Department of Geography, Goalpara College, Goalpara agreed to carry out an extensive and in-depth scientific study of landscape of the district, its vulnerability towards any disasters and prepare a comprehensive note to be submitted to the District Disaster Principal DO General association that may arise due to disaster and also to take precautionary measures thereof.

 Goalpara 4) Pursuant to the Sub Section (2) Management Authority, Goalpara for necessary planning to mitigate and minimize

Pursuant to the Sub Section (2) (xvi) of Section-30 of the Disaster Management Act,2005; both the parties agreed to work in coordination for immediate response to any threatening disaster situation or disaster in the district.

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- 5) As laid down in Sub Section 2 (xxvii) of Section-30 of the Disaster Management Act,2005; both the parties agreed to facilitate and encourage the involvement of non-government organizations and voluntary social-welfare institutions working at the grassroot level in the district for disaster management.
- 6) Apart from the above, both the parties agreed to disseminate information on "DO" and "DON'Ts" for risk reduction during any threatening disaster and disaster to common masses including students of both private and government institutions in the district.
- 7) The validity of this MoU will remain for a period of 5 years for the date of signing the MoU.

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