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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT

(MOA)



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This Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) is signed between the KOLOMBANAGARA FOREST PRODUCTS LIMITED (herein referred to as KFPL) on one part, and the SOLOMON ISLANDS NATIONAL UNIVERSITY (herein referred to as SINU) on the other part.

Preamble

A Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) had originally been signed on 11th day of Oct 2017 between the KFPL and SINU. The MOA has since lapsed as it was valid only for three (3) years. Both parties are however desirous of maintaining a continuous relationship, and reaffirm their shared commitments to achieve common objectives including but not limited to providing support for academic programs in natural resources including forestry, agriculture and environmental sciences on Poitete campus, Kolombangara Island.

The earlier MOA has been reviewed. It outlines the terms and conditions under which the partnership between KFPL and SINU is to be conducted.

Whereas the Parties hereby agree as follows:

That SINU:

- Shall rehabilitate and use the Poitete Campus as a training facility for forestry, agriculture and environmental sciences academic programs and other training opportunities.
- Shall provide opportunities for KFPL staff to engage in part-time teaching on specific areas of their expertise and SINU will remunerate such part-time lecturers on the basis of contact hours at current prescribed rates, and as per SINU policies.
- Shall develop opportunities for partnership with KFPL in the areas of research, safety & security and health services.

- Will actively work with KFPL's policy to encourage Western Province candidates to apply for SINU forestry courses and to identify the best quality graduates for possible inclusion in the KFPL cadet program across the range of courses offered by SINU.
- Shall settle any bills or charges for services due to KFPL as the case may be under this agreement.
- Indemnifies KFPL against any liability, loss and damage related to SINU's activities within the KFPL lease area.
- Acknowledges that KFPL is FSC certified Plantation Company and all SINU's activities within the KFPL lease area will conform to KFPL policies and work standards.

That KFPL:

- Shall provide electricity to the Poitete Campus at costs or as may be agreed to from time to time.
- Shall assist the Poitete Campus with the provision of water supply and sanitation services.
- Shall assist SINU students and staff to hire transportation, when the need arises, from public transport operators that were developed and supported by KFPL.
- Shall provide access for SINU students studying at Poitete Campus to KFPL forestry nurseries and plantations for practicum, in accordance with KFPL guidelines.
- Shall assist SINU research collaborators visiting or staying at Poitete Campus, as appropriate.
- May avail its staff or personnel when requested by SINU to do field presentations to SINU students at the Poitete Campus from time to time as Guest Instructors.
- Shall have access to Campus Facilities for its own training purposes on prior arrangement or and approval of Poitete SINU authorities.

Other Provisions:

- The parties shall notify each other on any events or unforeseen circumstances which may arise in relation to the operation of this agreement and any changes required shall be agreed to by both parties.
- The parties shall ensure that their employees and authorized visitors recognize and respect one another inclusive of boundaries, properties, students, staff and facilities alike. Any damages caused shall be referred by the party affected to the other for disciplinary action or remedy the damage caused or whichever is necessary.

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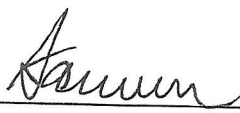
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- This MOA shall be subjected to and operated within the existing laws of the Solomon Islands.
- Any amendments to the MOA shall be through mutual agreement and will require a month notice given by either party.

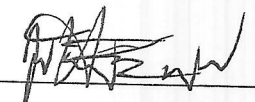
Duration of this MOA:

This MOA shall take effect from the date of signing and shall be reviewed after a period of three (3) years.



 Dr. Jack Maebuta
Acting Vice- Chancellor
 Solomon Islands National University


 Mr. Edwin Schramm
General Manager
 Kolombangara Forest Products Limited

Witness:


 George Horoasia
 Supervising Dean of Faculty of Agriculture,
 Forestry & Fisheries.

Witness:


 Tim S Bula
 Human Resources and Community
 Relations Manager

Dated: 22nd day of Sept 2022

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