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POLICY

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GREEN CAMPUS POLICY

Y. & M. AKI's Poona Institute of Management Sciences and Entrepreneurship (PIMSE) is proud to introduce Green Campus Policy, a comprehensive framework designed to cultivate a sustainable and environmentally conscious Institute. Recognizing the imperative to address climate change and promote ecological responsibility, this policy outlines the commitment of the Institute to foster a green culture among the Students, Faculty, Staff and Visitors. The aim is to create a campus that not only meet the needs of the present but also ensures a sustainable and vibrant future. This policy underscores the dedication of PIMSE to environmental stewardship and positions as a leader in creating a greener and more sustainable world.

Vision Statement for Green Campus Policy

PIMSE's vision is to create a campus environment that harmonizes with nature, fostering a sustainable ecosystem where the principles of environmental stewardship, conservation, and innovation thrive. Green Campus Policy of the Institute envisions a future where every member of the community actively contributes towards building a resilient, eco-friendly institution. Through the commitment to reduce environmental footprint, promoting biodiversity, and cultivating a culture of sustainability, the Institute aspires to be a beacon of environmental responsibility. By integrating green practices into every aspect of campus life, PIMSE strives to inspire and empower future generations to become global stewards of the environment.

Mission Statement for Green Campus Policy

"Our mission at PIMSE is to transform the campus into a model of sustainability through the implementation of our Green Campus Policy. We are dedicated to cultivate an environment where ecological responsibility is ingrained in our culture. By adopting practices that prioritize waste reduction, energy efficiency, and biodiversity preservation, we aim to create a thriving and resilient campus ecosystem. Our mission is to educate, inspire, and empower our community to embrace sustainable living, contributing collectively to a greener, healthier, and more sustainable future for all."

Objectives of Green Campus Policy:

Waste Reduction and Recycling:

- To achieve a significant reduction in the generation of non-recyclable waste.
- Establishing E waste collection and disposal mechanism through MOU with recycling agency/ company.
- Establish and maintain an efficient waste segregation and recycling program.
- Installation of sanitary napkin disposal machine.

Energy Efficiency:

- Implement energy-efficient technologies and practices to reduce overall energy consumption by using LED bulbs, LED tube lights and solar lights.
- Explore and invest in renewable energy sources for transition towards a more sustainable energy profile.

Water Conservation:

- Implement water-saving measures in campus facilities, including the installation of water-efficient fixtures, rain water harvesting system.
- Promote water conservation awareness among the campus community through educational initiatives.

Biodiversity Preservation:

- Enhance and protect green spaces on campus and landscaping with plants and trees.

Transportation Alternatives:

- Encourage sustainable transportation options such as No Vehicle Day, cycling, walking, and carpooling.
- To encourage students and staff to purchase electric vehicles and other eco-friendly modes of transport.

Education and Outreach:

- Conduct regular awareness campaigns, workshops, and events to engage and educate the campus community.
- Celebrate various days and conduct events to protect nature and environment.

Audits:

- Adhere to green, energy and environment Audit every year and fulfilling the compliances.

Regular Policy Review and Improvement:

- Review the policy implementation and regular monitoring.
- Conduct periodic reviews of the Green Campus Policy and update it to align with evolving sustainability goals.

PLASTIC-FREE CAMPUS POLICY

Y. & M. AKI's Poona Institute of Management Sciences and Entrepreneurship (PIMSE) is committed to reduce the environmental impact of plastic waste and promote a sustainable, eco-friendly campus. This policy outlines the dedication of the Institute to minimize the use of single-use plastics and foster a culture that prioritizes alternative, environmentally friendly materials. In alignment with the directives provided by the University Grants Commission (UGC) and the Government of Maharashtra, PIMSE is committed to create a plastic-free campus to address environmental concerns and promote sustainable living practices.

Guiding Principles -

Banning Single-Use Plastics:

- Adhere to the Maharashtra Government's regulations by prohibiting the use of single-use plastics, including bags, bottles, straws, and utensils, within the campus premises.

Educational Programs and Campaigns:

- Organise events and activities on campus to ensure no single use plastic to be used during events.
- Conduct regular awareness campaigns to educate the campus community about the environmental impact of plastics and the importance of compliance.

Campus-Wide Waste Management:

- Establish and maintain an effective waste management system that aligns with UGC and State Government regulations, with a particular emphasis on proper segregation and disposal of plastic waste.

Regular Policy Review and Improvement:

- Review the policy implementation and regular monitoring. Conduct periodic reviews of the Policy and update it to align with evolving sustainability goals.

Compliance and Enforcement:

- All students, faculty and staff are expected to comply with the policy. Violation of the policy may result in disciplinary action.

The commitment of PIMSE to a Plastic-Free Campus is not merely a policy but a collective pledge towards environmental stewardship. By aligning with the guidelines of the University Grants Commission and the Government of Maharashtra, the Institute is dedicated to create a campus that reflects our responsibility towards the planet.

ENVIRONMENTAL AND ENERGY USAGE POLICY

At Y. & M. AKI's Poona Institute of Management Sciences and Entrepreneurship (PIMSE) recognizes the responsibility to foster a campus environment that not only supports academic excellence but also prioritizes sustainability and environmental consciousness. Commitment to a greener future is encapsulated in this Environmental and Energy Usage Policy. This policy outlines the objectives to reduce the ecological footprint, promote energy efficiency, and integrate sustainable practices into all facets of campus life. Through the adoption of renewable energy sources, waste reduction strategies, and an emphasis on responsible resource management, the aim is to create a harmonious balance between academic pursuits and environmental stewardship. This policy reflects the Institute's dedication to cultivate a campus culture that respects and preserves the planet Earth for generations to come.

Objectives of Environmental and Energy usage policy:

1. To conduct Green, Energy & Environment Audits every year for sustainable and continuous improvements.
2. Promote clean green sources of energy to reduce power consumption.
3. Building designed in a way that it is ventilated and natural light is present.
4. Use of solar light in the institute.
5. Create a clean and green campus through proper initiatives of waste management and tree plantations.
6. To use high star power efficient LED bulbs, tube lights, AC, monitors etc. to save energy.
7. To reduce air pollution through initiatives such as restricted or no entry of vehicles and also by providing pedestrian friendly pathway.
8. Conducting awareness activities for environmental issues.
9. Minimizing the usage of paper through online communication to students on WhatsApp group, bulk SMS and google classroom.

10. Ban on single use plastic in the institute as per rule of Government of Maharashtra.

11. The waste management measures introduced by government departments and scientific agencies are to be implemented in the campus wherever possible

12. Efforts to be continually made to ensure that all the Institute stakeholders are aware of the Institute waste management strategy policy.

The policy should be communicated to all the Students, Staff members and Stakeholders and compliance should be monitored for the fulfilment of the objectives.

Waste Management Practices in the Institute:

- Implement a comprehensive waste segregation system to ensure the efficient separation of recyclables, non-recyclables waste in the Institute.
- Cultivate a reuse & recycling culture by installing designated recycling bins across the institute, encouraging individuals to dispose of recyclable materials responsibly.
- Decrease the use of single-use items and promote sustainable alternatives, contributing to overall waste reduction and environmental conservation.
- Establish a systematic approach to managing electronic waste (e-waste), including proper MOU with agency, collection, recycling, and disposal of outdated electronic devices.
- Introduce composting initiatives to convert organic waste into nutrient-rich compost, promoting sustainable practices and reducing the volume of waste sent to landfills.
- Drive initiatives to minimize paper usage by adopting digital documentation and communication platforms, contributing to resource conservation and waste reduction.
- Conduct educational programs, workshops, and campaigns to raise awareness about waste reduction, emphasizing the importance of individual and collective responsibility.
- Engage the institute community in waste management practices through participatory events, clean-up drives, and collaborative initiatives, fostering a sense of shared responsibility.
- Adopt green procurement policies that prioritize environmentally friendly products and suppliers, contributing to waste reduction throughout the product lifecycle.
