



MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

BETWEEN

THE BENAZIR BHUTTO SHAHEED UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT, KHAIPUR MIRS, SINDH, PAKISTAN.

&

SUN TANG TECHNOLOGY (PVT) LIMITED, KHAIRPUR SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE (KSEZ) KHAIRPUR MIR'S, PAKISTAN.

THE BENAZIR BHUTTO SHAHEED UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND SKILL DEVELOPMENT (BBSUTSD), KHAIPUR MIR'S-SINDH-PAKISTAN.

Brief introduction of BBSUTD.

- Initially introduced as "Sir Ali Murad Technical Institute" in 1895 by the Khairpur State.
- After disintegration of Khairpur State and absorption into Pakistan, Sir Ali Murad Technical Institute was upgraded and renamed as Polytechnic Institute, Khairpur by Government of West Pakistan in the year 1962.
- Later on, it was again up-graded as "Government College of Technology (GCT) Khairpur Mirs"; with the introduction of Bachelor of Technology (B. Tech) Programme in 1974 by the Government.
- Petroleum Technical Training Institute (P.T.T.I) was established 2009-10 in the Premises of Technical College and with the collaboration of Ministry of Petroleum & Natural Resources, Government of Pakistan.
- The GCT, Khairpur was up-graded into The Benazir Bhutto Shaheed University of Technology and Skill Development (BBSUTSD) Khairpur Mirs Sindh on April 22nd 2016 by Provincial Assembly Act XIX and PTTI, Khairpur was merged into the University.
- It is spread over an area of 60 (32+28) acres having sufficient accommodation for class rooms, labs, workshops, Library, Meeting Hall, Administration Block, Students Hostel & Residential accommodation.

SUN TANG TECHNOLOGY (PVT) LIMITED (STTPL) KHAIRPUR, SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONE (KSEZ)-KHAIRPUR, PAKISTAN.

Brief introduction of STTPL:

- Pakistan Sun Tang Technologies co Ltd., Invested by Yangzhou Yiyuan Electric Power Equipment Co. Ltd., Chinese company began to invest and build a factory in Khairpur, Pakistan in Aril 2016.
- The company business scope is steel structure manufacturing, installation, lifting equipment manufacturing, installation, pressure vessel manufacturing, installation, electric power and petrochemical engineering construction.

PURPOSE OF MoU:

In the spirit of scholarly exchange towards the promotion of national interest, The Benazir Bhutto Shaheed University of Technology and Skill Development (BBSUTSD), Khairpur Mirs-Sindh-Pakistan to be read a "BBSUTSD" and Sun Tang Technology (Pvt) Limited, Khairpur Special Economic Zone, Khairpur Mirs-Pakistan read as "STTPL", mutually agree upon the following principles to develop intellectual relations, academic and professional cooperation to promote, create, development, implementation, transfer and exchange of industrial knowledge,

technologies and skills through applied academic research in order to benefit of both countries through imports substitution, export value-addition leading to strengthening national economy of Pakistan and China.

On the basis of respect for each other's independence and mutual benefits, BBSUTSD and STTPL will cooperate and promote the following activities.

- Create an effective 'BBSUTSD-STTPL Platform' to establish long-term and sustainable partnership on intellectual and professional basis, and on mutually agreed terms.
- BBSUTSD will create a special window/office for solution of industrial problems of STTPL.
- STTPL will encourage, facilitate and support BBSUTSD in directing essentially industry focused intellectual, academic and research activities.
- 4. STTPL will effectively and professionally support BBSUTSD in its efforts to establish academic and research systems for addressing the challenges of Chinese industry in terms of existing, emerging and future technologies, STTPL will be in intellectual partner of BBSUTSD in its academic and research efforts to generate innovative and cost-effective solution for Chinese industry.
- 5. Through an active support of STTPL, BBSUTSD will work to produce highly capable and efficient industrial-based competency standards, internationally qualified Technologist, and Technicians, indigenously developed world class competent-based training and assessment systems in order to enhance university product at the international level.
- STTPL will actively support BBSUTSD in all of its future plans of creating and developing innovative technologies to develop market based technical manpower.
- STTPL will provide all professional support to BBSUTSD in its pro-active academic and research efforts for import substitution, value-addition of indigenous product and experts enhancement of industry product.
- 8. To develop necessary technologies and skills for the Chinese industry, BBSUTSD will establish close professional linkages with the national and international scientific and research organizations, international industries and professional bodies, STTPL will provide all necessary professional support to BBSUTSD in establishing such linkages.
- BBSUTSD and STTPL will work very closely to enable BBSUTSD to generate most economical, speedy industrial solution and develop best quality products to secure competitive advantages in export for Chinese company and our national industry.
- 10. At the national and international level, STTPL will provide an active professional support to BBSUTSD in its efforts to design and develop hi-end technologies and skills development and state-of-art research centers to develop different industrial sectors in the

county, to provide all academic and research support to regional industry to grow in future, BBSUTSD and STTPL will jointly tailor-made regional campuses of BBSUTSD at cities in the future, STTPL will actively inspire regional Chinese industry to get engaged with BBSUTSD at professional levels.

- 11. STTPL will help the BBSUTSD in internship and job placement of their students and alumnae of Diploma of Associate Engineers (DAE) and BSc Engineering Technologies and Trainees of short courses in different departments and trades within Pakistan and internationally with market-based wages.
- 12. STTPL and BBSUTSD will jointly organize seminars, workshops, training sessions, interuniversity competitions and events for effective engagement of students.
- 13. BBSUTSD and STTPL will create Joint Working Group to be named as JWG. JWD will perform following tasks:
 - 13.1 Create BBSUTSD corporate Advisory Board (CAB) with three fourth representation from Chinese industry, for periodic review of Curriculum and industrial research work, scrutiny of BBSUTSD industry projects including faculty trainings on projects supervision and oversee BBSUTSD academic system for its support to industry.
 - 13.2 Identification of required technical, vocational skills and competency standards needed for the STTPL industry within in Pakistan and internationally.
 - 13.3 Develop mechanism to define eligibility criteria of BBSUTSD "Trainers" required to produce well qualified and highly skills workforce for STTPL.
 - 13.4 Create Need-Driven Joint **BBSUTSD** and **STTPL** 'Regional Platform' of relevant academic and Chinese expert in Pakistan and internationally.
- All joint regional platform will work to do the following:
 - 13.4.1 Identify industrial process and system requiring technology and skill upgradation for subsequent research and development project at BBSUTSD.
 - 13.4.2 Facilitate strong intellectual, academic and professional linkages between BBSUTSD and STTPL in Khairpur Special Economic Zone (KSEZ) in Pakistan and globally.
 - 13.4.3 Identify possible research and development projects for BBSUTSD and STTPL to do value-additions for both sides.

- 13.4.4 Develop joint strategies of imports substitution at the STTPL mutually supported BBSUTSD research products.
- 13.4.5 Identify Human Resource (HR) for each sector of STTPL in Khairpur Special Economic Zone in Pakistan and Globally needed as Engineers, technologies and technical and Vocational skills and provide intellectual support to BBSUTSD in developing Human Resource (HR) for STTPL within Pakistan and globally.
- 13.4.6 Formulate in development required Human Resources (HR) for **STTPL** in Pakistan and Globally.
- 14. STTPL will nominate two industry experts as active members for each of the following committees on mutually agreed basis.
 - a) Industrial Advisory Committee (IAC)
 - b) Corporate Advisory Committee (CAC) for office of Research, Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC).
- 15. BBSUTSD will establish Special Industry Polices Formulation Cell (IPFC) at its BBSUTSD office of Research, Innovation and Commercialization (ORIC) within an active representation from STTPL, IPFC will do the following:
- 15.1 Get input from the STTPL to their technical and policy-based issues with different Govt institution and Industrial policy making bodies.
- 15.2 Interact with the concerned Govt. departments and policy making bodies for sharing industry concerns on technical and professional matters.
- 15.3 Will engage **BBSUTSD** experts to draft comprehensive policies for Govt. to promote technology, benefits to national industry of both countries i.e. Pakistan and China.
- 16. On the recommendation of University IPFC, BBSUTSD and STTPL will jointly take draft polices to the concerned Govt. policy makers for their approval in the best interest of industry and both countries, Pakistan and China.
- 17. **BBSUTSD** and **STTPL** will jointly work towards the resolution of industry issues related to development through technology driven economical solutions.
- 18. As part of mutual ethical obligation BBSUTSD and STTPL will promote advancement of knowledge, science, technology and skills through exchange of ideas, mutually organized and supported science, technology and industry exhibitions, workshops, seminars, symposia, national and international conferences, industry internships, filed visits, On the Job (OJT) training and job placement for students and as well faculty and staff of the BBSUTSD.

- 19.1 All the clauses /sub-clauses and the whole document of this MoU cannot be referred or re-produces as an evidence in any legal matter or dispute.
- 19.2 In case of any dispute between BBSUTSD and STTPL related to this MoU, BBSUTSD and General Manager STTPL will appoint a joint resolution committee of equal representation whose recommendations will be final.
- 19.3 This MoU will effective from the date of its signing and will be five (05) years of duration with provision for further extension(s).
- 19.4 A one-month (01) advance notice is required for any unilateral decision between either BBSUTSD and STTPL to leave/ cancel this MoU.
- 19.5 Engr. Ayaz Ali Mandan- Director, Industrial Linkage under Career Development Center (CDC) will act as the "Focal Persons of BBSUTSD and Ms. Yayuan Chen-General Manager STTPL respectively, for the purpose of necessary coordination and implementation of this MoU.

The Benazir Bhutto Shaheed University of Technology and Skill Development (BBSUTSD), Khairpur Mirs-Sindh-Pakistan Sun Tang Technology (Pvt) Limited Khairpur Special Economic Zone (KSEZ)-Khairpur Mirs'-Sindh-Pakistan.

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Date: 09-02-2023

Date: 07/02/2022

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