# MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

#### BETWEEN

## MINISTRY OF YOUTH AFFAIRS AND SPORTS AND

### GURU NANAK DEV UNIVERSITY, AMRITSAR

This Memorandum of Understanding by and between the Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports (Hereinafter Called MYAS) located at Shastri Bhawan New Delhi-110001

And

Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar (Hereinafter called GNDU) to establish centre of Excellence in Sports Sciences/Sports Medicine and promote Higher Education and Research in Sports Sciences/Sports Medicine in the Universities/Medical colleges and provide scientific support to the Athletes.

## 1. Objectives of The MoU

- a) To enhance Sports Sciences/Sports Medicine education in the country in joint collaboration with Universities and Medical colleges in India/Abroad to enhance performance of the Athletes.
- b) To create High performance sports science centers in the Universities/Medical colleges and to develop talented athletes by imparting Scientific training to sports persons
- c) To promote research and innovation in Sports Sciences in the Universities/Medical colleges so as to bring up the research in sports at par with International level.

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## 2. Technical areas of collaboration

#### a) Academics

University will conduct post graduate and Doctoral programs and Certification programs in Sports Sciences/Sports Medicine in various disciplines.

#### b) Research and Innovation:

University will conduct Research and Innovation in multi-disciplinary research areas of Sports Science/Medicine which will lead to enhancement of Sports performance. Universities would establish strong networking with researchers in India and abroad to focus on research and exchange of information in the field of sports science.

## c) Support to high performance sports person

The University/Institutes will support high performance sports person preparing for National and International competitions and other MYAS and SAI schemes and should work more closely with National and State sports organizations. Data and record of the sportspersons should be managed by the centre and may be shared with the counterparts.

## d) PhD Registration of Research Fellows:

With the mutual consent of Sports Authority of India (SAI) and Institute /University the research fellows working in Sports Authority of India would be permitted to register for PhD degree to be awarded by the University under Joint supervision of the research project.

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#### e) Funding

MYAS will provide total estimated amount of Rs 25 crore in 5 years to cover expenditure relating to Faculty/Scientist, Supporting staff, Equipment, Computer, AMC, Consumable and library. After 5 year the University will become self reliant to continue the scheme.

### f) Report

University will submit quarterly report on the progress of work to the MYAS. In case it is seen that the work done is not satisfactory and MYAS considers abandoning the project due to this, the assets created through the grants of this ministry will be taken over by this ministry accordingly.

#### 3. Confidentiality

- a) The MYAS and GNDU agree to hold in confidence all information/data designated by the MYAS as being confidential which is obtained from either MYAS or created the performance of the MoU and will not disclose the same to any third party.
- b) The above confidential clause under this MoU excludes the information /data possessed by either MYAS or GNDU before entering into this MoU or independently developed and/or information already available through public domain.

## 4. **Duration of MoU**

The MoU will remain in force initially for 5 year of duration. This MoU may be amended, renewed and terminated by mutual written agreement of the MYAS and GNDU at any time.

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## 5. Coordinators

Both MYAS and GNDU will designate persons who will have responsibility for co-ordination and implementation of this agreement.

#### 6. Signed in duplicate

This MoU is executed in duplicate with each copy being an official version and having equal legal validity. By signing below the University, acting by their duly authorized officers, have caused this Memorandum of Understanding to be executed, effective as on the day and year first written above.

On behalf of

Ministry of Youth Affairs and Sports

New Delhi

On behalf of

Guru Nanak Dev University

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Garu Napah Dev University,