Memorandum of Understanding for Livestock Entrepreneurship Development (LED)

Between
Dairy Science Park (DSP), Peshawar, Pakistan

and
Khyber Institute of Veterinary Sciences (KIVS), Peshawar, Pakistan
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This Memorandum of Understanding ("the MoU") is made between:

Dairy Science Park, Peshawar (hereinafter referred to as “DSP”), a society registered under Societies’ Registration Act XXI of 1860, emerged at the University of Agriculture, Peshawar, Pakistan, to support the people of the war-hit Khyber Pakhtunkhwa and the adjoining Afghan Regions through livestock entrepreneurship, public health safety, food security, and exportable surpluses. DSP delivers its services through its head office located at 401-A City Towers, University Road, Peshawar-25000. DSP is governed by the Board of Directors supported by a Panel of Advisors, a Panel of Experts, Focal Points for Australia, China, India, Pakistan, Afghanistan, Turkey, the Netherlands, Canada, and the USA, and a network of veterinary practitioners, medium sized farmers, service providers, and marketing partners. The Panel of Experts is assisting the Board as well as the registered partners on various issues. Training programs are arranged on need basis in improved management practices, public health safety, and entrepreneurship development. Farmers’ meetings are held in coordination with other service providers. A series of International Workshops on Dairy Science Park has been in place. Three workshops were held in November 2011, 2013, and 2015, respectively. Each workshop was participated for three days by 500+ participants from academia, industry, and government agencies of regional countries. Research is being conducted on zoonotic diseases and biorisk management through local universities;

And

Khyber Institute of Veterinary Sciences, Peshawar (hereinafter referred to as “KIVS”), an institute founded in 2015, located at F-98-A Zaryab Colony, Opposite Moti Mahal Bakers, Faqir Abad, Peshawar-25000. KIVS offers Diploma in Veterinary Sciences (DVS), Diploma in Laboratory Technology (DLT), and Certificate in Artificial Insemination (CAI).

Purpose

DSP and KIVS would collaborate through “Livestock Entrepreneurship Development (LED)” for utilizing the livestock resources in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa/FATA for self-employment and hygienic food production, with the following objectives:

Objectives
1. To support the mission of the Dairy Science Park in introducing self-employment models and hygienic food production utilizing the livestock resources
2. To launch collaborative activities in livestock and poultry production and health for control of diseases and reduction of production cost per unit; and develop and replicate feasibility models in livestock production, value addition, processing, and marketing
3. To provide market access to the products of both the regions through the Dairy Science Park Innovation program
4. To provide training to the local farmers and industry representatives on need basis
5. To address issues of technical and marketing nature in applied collaborative research
6. DSP will provide facilities for practicals, lab work, and veterinary practice at partner farms, laboratories, and clinics.
7. DSP will also provide facilities for the treatment of animals, dressing of animals, casting of animals, demonstration, practical training, and teaching practices of the students of KIVS.
8. The facilities of KIVS will be utilized by DSP as a corporate partner for development, training, demonstration, applied research, data collection, and marketing process.
9. DSP’s entrepreneurship, quality control, and halal concepts will be incorporated into the syllabus of courses taught at KIVS.
10. KIVS will be allowed to use the label “DSP Certified” on their products, uniform, and publications in consultation with the DSP office.

**Time/Duration**

1. The MoU shall come into effect from the date of signing and shall remain for three years, and shall continue unless terminated by both the parties on mutual consensus.
2. In the event of this MoU being so terminated, both the parties shall take such steps as necessary to bring the work to an end in a cost-effective, timely, and orderly manner in the larger public interest.

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**Signed by**

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**Dr Ghufran Ullah Akhunzada**  
Principal  
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**Engr Irfan ul Haq Qureshi**  
President  
*Dairy Science Park*

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Peshawar, Pakistan