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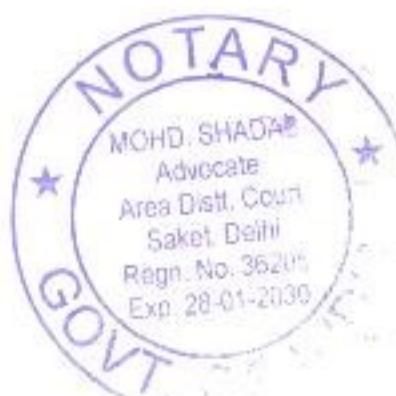
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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING  
BETWEEN  
JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA  
AND  
SOCIETY FOR PROMOTION OF YOUTH AND MASSES**

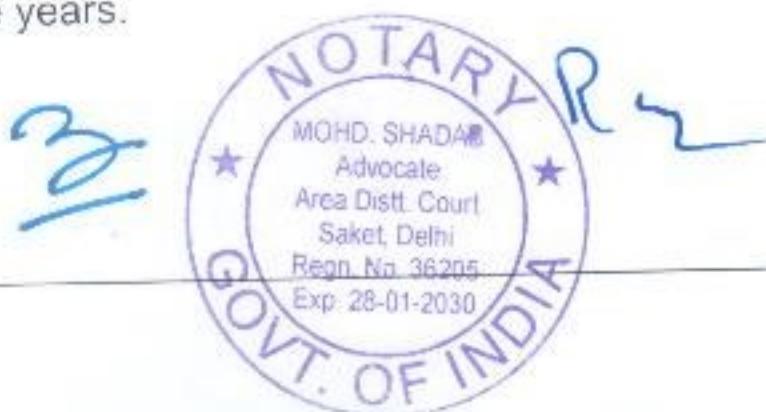
This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) is entered into on the **14<sup>th</sup> January 2026**, between Jamia Millia Islamia, a Central University (hereafter referred to as "JMI"), located in Jamia Nagar, M M Ali Jauhar Marg, New Delhi – 110025 and Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses, (hereafter referred to as "SPYM"), located in Vasant Kunj, New Delhi- 110070.

**Jamia Millia Islamia** is a Central University, established by Act of the Parliament [The Jamia Millia Islamia Act No. 58 of 1988] with a legacy of 105 years of academic excellence and nationalist outlook. Presently, the University is ranked A++ by the NAAC and a ranking of fourth in the university category in the National Institutional Ranking Framework. Worldwide, the university is in the prestigious band of 761-770 and 33<sup>rd</sup> in South Asia in the QS World Rankings. The University has eleven Faculties and forty-eight departments, along with eighteen Centres of Learning, catering to around twenty-four thousand students.

Recognising the importance of mental health and in pursuance of the guidelines of the Supreme Court in the Sukhdev Saha Case [25<sup>th</sup> July 2025], a Mental Health and Wellness Cell (MHWC) has been set up in the university. The Cell is mandated to facilitate and implement the 'Students' Mental Health and Wellness Policy, 2025', ensure compliance with various directions, directives, advisories of Education, UGC, Supreme Court etc, engage with the government and non-govt initiatives of mental health, provide direction and professional supervision to various depts and centres, coordinate and supervise various mental health related activities on the campus, prepare a calendar of mental health related activities on the campus on an annual basis and keep a record of the activities conducted for the purpose, jointly with the IQAC.

**AND**

**Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses:** SPYM is a national organization with a countrywide network, working in the area of community mobilization, health care and socio-economic development for over three decades. They endeavour to empower the vulnerable and the marginalized population by facilitating the access to services in order to improve their physical, mental, social well-being and holistic development. They have opened our first Drug Treatment Centre in 1985, a first of its kind in North India. A systematic and comprehensive approach towards those who wish to cease drug use has benefited thousands of individuals over the years.



They provide both Inpatient and Outpatient treatment services for substance use disorders among adults in India. They are the only organization in the country providing specialized drug treatment services for young adolescents and for juveniles in conflict with law.

## 1. PURPOSE

This Memorandum of Understanding aims to explore, extend and strengthen the functional relationship between JMI and Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses, and establish collaboration in areas of mutual interest in sharing knowledge, facilities, infrastructure and research on mutually agreed terms.

## 2. DURATION

This MOU will be in effect from the date of signing, and will remain in force until **5 years**, thereafter extendable upon review of activities and mutual interests, or until such time as proper notification is given by one or both the parties of the intent to terminate or to modify the relationship between both parties

## 3. SCOPE OF MOU

3.1 The Parties at the outset clarify that the present Agreement does not constitute to create and give effect to a joint venture, partnership or formal business organization of any kind between the Parties. The Agreement only sets forth a framework for a strategic alliance between the Parties; the purpose of this Agreement is to come together to provide services and impart knowledge to the Programmes/Courses to desirous students and further develop the Courses/Programmes.

3.2 **Internship/ Capstone/ Employability**- To the extent possible, Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses will endeavor to take students from JMI as interns and work on projects in an academic year nationally. Such internships and projects, if granted, would be mutually decided between the Department/ Centre concerned and the Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses.

### 3.3 Services:

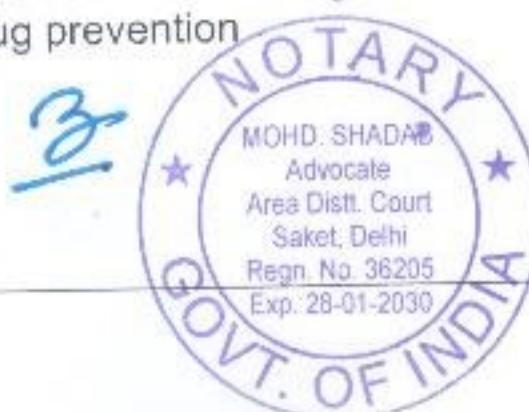
3.3.1 **Mental Health Promotion**: The SPYM shall in collaboration with the Mental Health Promotion Unit of the University, carry out sensitization and awareness workshops, festivals, etc

3.3.2 **Counselling**: The SPYM would endeavour to provide counselling (to start with in an online mode) to students with mental health issues and those with substance use disorders.

3.3.3 **Referral Services**: The SPYM would also endeavour to provide medical and psychological support to students with substance use disorders.

3.3.4 **Training Programmes**: Interns will actively participate in SPYM's ongoing and periodic training programmes, as and when these are scheduled. The training exposure will include, but not be limited to, the following:

- Brief Intervention for Wellness
- Counselling Skills and Practice Trainings
- Community-Based Peer Led Intervention (CPLI)
- NAVCHETNA Teacher Training Module focusing on life skills education and early drug prevention



Other relevant capacity-building and orientation sessions aligned with SPYM's programme objectives. Shall also be organised. These trainings will enhance interns' practical understanding, field-based competencies, and professional skills in counselling, prevention, and community-based interventions.

**3.4 Research:** Both parties shall from time-to-time endeavour to carry out collaborative research to create evidence for better interventions in the field of mental health and substance abuse disorders.

**3.5 Publications** - Both parties shall from time-to-time endeavor to collaborate on publishing scholarly works, student textbooks, legal primers and practitioner's treatises. The themes for such joint publications shall be mutually decided.

#### **4. TERMS OF COOPERATION:**

4.1 The terms of cooperation for each specific activity implemented under this MoU shall be mutually discussed and agreed upon in writing by both parties prior to the initiation of the activity.

4.2 Any such agreement entered into, as outlined above, will form an Appendix to this MoU.

#### **5. RESPONSIBILITIES OF JMI**

JMI will:

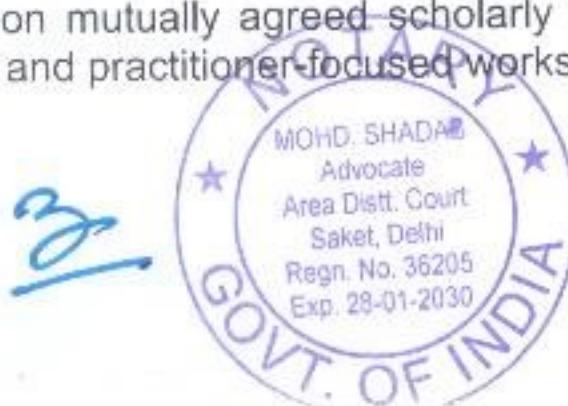
- 5.1 Provide interested and qualified students from various disciplines to work in a certain project defined by Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses.
- 5.2 Facilitate virtual meetings and presentations as part of the project/engagement.
- 5.3 Provide academic support and guidance to the students throughout the duration of the internship and externship program.

#### **6. RESPONSIBILITIES OF SOCIETY FOR PROMOTION OF YOUTH AND MASSES**

Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses will:

- 6.1 Collaborate with the Mental Health Promotion Unit of the University, carry out sensitization and awareness workshops, festivals, etc
- 6.2 Endeavour to provide counselling (to start with in an online mode) to students with mental health issues and those with substance use disorders.
- 6.3 Provide Internship across the nation in all zones with presence of SPYM Centres.
- 6.4 Provide mentorship, guidance, and professional expertise to the interns.
- 6.5 Evaluate the outcomes of the internship program and provide constructive feedback to the students.
- 6.6 Engage JMI students as interns on mutually agreed projects across its national programmes during the academic year.
- 6.7 Define the research topics and tasks for any program mentioned under "Scope of MoU".
- 6.8 Collaborate periodically on mutually agreed scholarly publications, including textbooks, legal primers, and practitioner-focused works.

#### **8. TERMS AND CONDITIONS**



This MOU is a statement of mutual understanding and support and does not constitute a legal obligation or imply any monetary commitment on the part of either party.

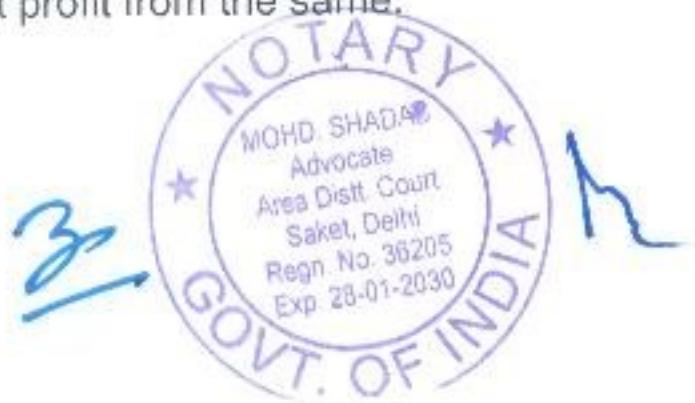
## 9. TERMINATION AND CONSEQUENCES OF TERMINATION

- 9.1. The Agreement may be terminated, at any time prior to the Term in writing by mutual consent of the Parties.
- 9.2. Upon termination or expiration of this Agreement, JMI shall immediately cease to have any association with the Course/Programme
- 9.3. In case of any disputes arising out of or in connection with this MoU, they shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in New Delhi.

## 10. CONFIDENTIALITY

Each party recognizes that in the course of the transactions envisaged by this Agreement, they may be privy to certain confidential information relating to the other party or its affiliates and their businesses. In consideration of the benefits accruing to the parties from their association under this Agreement, each party agrees that it shall:

- 10.1 Keep all confidential information and other materials passing between it and the other Party confidential and shall not, without the prior written consent of the other Party, divulge such confidential information to any other person or use such Confidential Information other than for the purposes of carrying out this Agreement.
- 10.2 Take all steps as may be reasonably necessary to protect the integrity of the confidential information and ensure against any unauthorized disclosure.
- 10.3 Promptly inform the other Party of any potential or accidental disclosure of the confidential information and take all steps, together with such other Party, to retrieve, recall and protect the said Confidential Information.
- 10.4 Ensure that all its agents, consultants, and advisors, (all of whom shall be given access to the confidential information only on a strict need-to-know basis) shall at all times be bound by legally valid non-disclosure undertakings equivalent to the obligations of Parties hereunder.
- 10.5 Use the confidential information only for the purpose for which it was provided and not profit from the same.



**11. REPRESENTATIVES:**

In all dealings between the parties, JMI shall be represented by Prof Md Mahtab Alam Rizvi, Registrar, while, Society for Promotion of Youth and Masses be represented by Dr. Rajesh Kumar, Executive Director. The representative shall assign duties to relevant team members, as and when necessary.

In witness thereof, the duly authorized representatives of the Parties have caused this MOU to be executed on the **14<sup>th</sup> day of January 2026**.

For, SOCIETY FOR PROMOTION OF YOUTH & MASSES (SPYM)	For, JAMIA MILLIA ISLAMIA (JMI)
	
	<p>कुलसचिव / Registrar          जामिया मिलिया इस्लामिया / Jamia Millia Islamia          (केंद्रीय विश्वविद्यालय) / (Central University)          नई दिल्ली / New Delhi-110025</p>
Name: Dr. Rajesh Kumar	Name: Prof Md Mahtab Alam Rizvi
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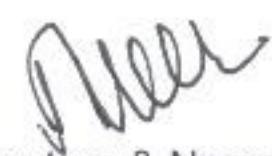
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ATTESTED  
  
 NOTARY PUBLIC  
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12 JAN 2026