



MAHATMA GANDHI UNIVERSITY, KERALA

Abstract

Collaboration between Rubber Board and Mahatma Gandhi University-Minutes of the meeting held on 29.06.2021 at 4.30 pm between the Executive Director of Rubber Board and Mahatma Gandhi University Officials at the office of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor-orders issued

PLANNING & DEVELOPMENT 2

No. 3039/P&D 2/2021/MGU

Priyadarsini Hills, Dated: 02.07.2021

*Read:-*Minutes of the meeting between the Executive Director of Rubber Board and Mahatma Gandhi University Officials held on 29.06.2021, at the office of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor.

ORDER

A meeting was held between the Executive Director of Rubber Board and Mahatma Gandhi University Officials at the office of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor on 29.06.2021 at 4.30pm with agenda to establish collaboration between M.G. University and Rubber Board. The meeting was attended by the following members.

1. Hon'ble Vice- Chancellor, Prof. Dr. Sabu Thomas
2. Pro-Vice chancellor, Prof. Dr. C.T Aravindakumar
3. Executive Director of Rubber Board, Dr. K.N. Raghavan, IRS
4. Director, IQAC, M. G. University, Prof. Robinet Jacob
5. Nodal Officer in M.G. University for establishing collaboration with Rubber Board, Prof (Dr) Jayachandran .K.
6. Technical projects and operations Head, M G Innovation Hub, Sanu Zavier

The members appreciated the terms of collaboration between the Rubber Board and M.G. University and the efforts taken towards signing an MoU between both institutions. The meeting came forward with suggestions for the betterment of the entire academic community, especially outgoing post graduate students. The members also opined that bringing a common platform for collaboration between the Rubber Board and M.G. University will definitely contribute to the academic and research growth of both the institutes. The recommendations as stated in the minutes of the meeting cited above are as follows.

1. Promote MGU Innovation Foundation (MGUIF) to guide the rubber-based manufacturing units by performing research and consultation in collaboration with rubber board. Attempts can be taken to provide onsite and offline product and business solutions by performing simulations, optimizations, value additions to existing products. MGUIF may also conduct familiarization workshops in collaboration with Rubber Board.
2. Implement the Finishing School Programme at RRII for the current fourth semester post

graduate students of the various schools of the University once the Covid situation becomes favourable. The period in between the examination and result declaration may be used for the same. The Nodal Officer may be entrusted with the responsibility of arranging the programme for various schools.

3. Initiate combined project and to apply for possible projects from the external funding agencies like DBT, DST etc.

4. Recommend various schools of the University to explore the possibility of introducing a component related to rubber in the syllabus of the various academic programme of the Schools.

5. Encourage combined research between RRII and MG University and to promote sharing of the infrastructure.

6. Invite the scientists and experts from the Rubber Board as visiting professors to enrich the academic programme of various schools.

The recommendations as per the minutes cited above were approved by the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor on 30-06-2021 .

Orders are issued accordingly.

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ASSISTANT REGISTRAR III (ADMIN)

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1. PS to VC/PVC
2. PA to Registrar/Finance Officer
3. Dr.K.N Raghavan IRS , Executive Director of Rubber Board.
4. Prof (Dr) Robinet Jacob, Director, IQAC
5. Prof.(Dr) Jayachandran .K,Nodal Officer in MGU for collaboration with Rubber Board
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