



School of Planning and Architecture



**Memorandum
Of
Understanding**

This Memorandum of Understanding made on this 29th day of the month of April of the year 2019

BETWEEN

School of Planning and Architecture (SPA), New Delhi, with head office located at 4-B, Indraprastha Estate, New Delhi 110002, hereinafter referred to as the FIRST PARTY, which expression shall mean and include its representatives, successors and assigns

AND

Central Public Works Department (CPWD), New Delhi with head office located at Nirman Bhawan, New Delhi, hereinafter referred to as SECOND PARTY, which expression shall mean and include its representatives, successors and assigns

HEREBY WITNESSEETH AS FOLLOWS :

WHEREAS the SPA New Delhi, whose origins date back to the year 1942, is an 'Institution of National Importance' under an Act of Parliament, funded by the Ministry of Human Resources Development (MHRD), Government of India as an apex premier national level institution engaged in education (offering undergraduate, post graduate and doctoral degrees), research, consultancy and training activities related to architecture, planning , housing, real estate and related fields in the area of human habitat and built environment, and

WHEREAS the CPWD, New Delhi established in the year 1854 is an organization under the Ministry of Housing and Urban Affairs, Government of India, to undertake design, execution and maintenance of public works all over India, and

WHEREAS representatives of both the above organizations met and discussed areas of mutual interest and benefit and expressed a desire to exchange and collaborate for the benefit of the housing and urban development sector at large, in tune with the policies of the Government of India,

THEREFORE, NOW HEREBY, THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITNESSEETH AS FOLLOWS :

- THAT SPA, New Delhi and CPWD, New Delhi shall exchange and share knowledge, papers and reports, where ever feasible, on various aspects of design, execution and maintenance related to buildings,
- THAT SPA New Delhi and CPWD New Delhi shall design and conduct, where ever feasible, various academic, research, training and capacity building programmes of varying duration,

- THAT SPA New Delhi and CPWD New Delhi shall jointly work, where ever feasible, on design, research and consultancy projects,
- THAT CPWD may engage the consultancy services of SPA New Delhi for design of buildings / layouts / townships, as the case may be, as per requirement,
- THAT this MoU does not envisage any financial commitment from either of the parties who are signatory to this Memorandum and if there are any financial commitments, they shall be deliberated, decided upon and agreed to, as and when the need arises, through separate agreements, as and when required,
- THAT in case one party engages the other party for any consultancy work of any nature related to design, execution and maintenance of public works, consultancy fees, if any, shall be decided upon, on a case to case basis, as the situation demands,
- THAT both parties may undertake any such activity which is of mutual interest to the parties concerned and in tune with the policies of the Government of India in the interest of the design, execution and maintenance of public works,
- THAT this MoU is entirely voluntary in nature from both parties, shall be valid for a period of three years from the date of signing and can be modified and/or extended, on mutual consent, by giving a notice of three months on either side and terminated by either party, without according any reason, by giving a notice of three months on either side.

IN AGREEMENT AND WITNESS THEREOF, both the above mentioned parties hereby affix their signature and seal.

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Name : Prof.Dr.P.S.N.Rao

Designation : DIRECTOR
SPA, NEW DELHI

Seal :

Witness :

Prabhakar Singh

Name : Shri. Prabhakar Singh

Designation : DIRECTOR – GENERAL
CPWD, NEW DELHI

Seal :

Witness :

PRABHAKAR SINGH
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