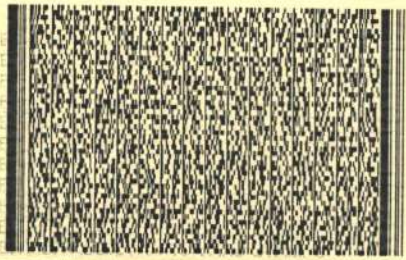




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Purpose: MOU AGREEMENT

First Party Details

Organization Name: NEG-FIRE
Address: NEW EDUCATION GROUP- FOUNDATION FOR INNOVATION AND RESEARCH IN EDUCATION, ADD- E-8/67, BASANT KUNJ, NEAR SHAHPURA BHOPAL M.P. BHOPAL Madhya Pradesh INDIA
Number of Persons: 1

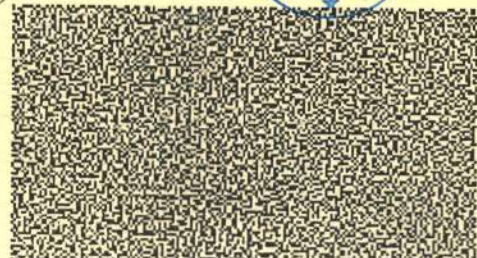
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Organization Name: RSK BHOPAL
Address: RAJYA SHIKSHA KENDRA BHOPAL M.P. BHOPAL Madhya Pradesh INDIA
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 Director
 Rajya Shiksha Kendra



Memorandum of Understanding

This Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) specifies areas of cooperation and collaboration between Director Rajya Shiksha Kendra (Department of School Education,) Government of Madhya Pradesh, India (represented through its authorized signatory Director RSK)

AND

New Education Group – Foundation for Innovation and Research in Education, A-1, 3rd Floor, Sarvodaya Enclave, New Delhi - 110017 (represented through its authorized signatory Mr. Sandeep Tirkey, Executive Director) for bringing synergy in supportive teaching methodology in the State of Madhya Pradesh, India. for bringing synergy in their efforts to promote Mother Tongue Based- Multi Lingual Education (MTB-MLE) in five districts (Mandla, Dindori, Betul, Harda & Khandwa), State of Madhya Pradesh, India.

Whereas, the Rajya Shiksha Kendra Bhopal, Government of Madhya Pradesh, India (hereinafter referred to as RSK), is responsible for the overall cooperation, promotion and management of programmes in the field of School Education in Madhya Pradesh for tribal school children.


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Whereas, New Education Group – Foundation for Innovation and Research in Education (NEG-FIRE) is a registered (in 2005) NGO that promotes quality education for children of the most marginalized communities in India. Presently, NEG-FIRE supports 1,29,564 children to access quality education in Government primary schools. NEG-FIRE programs are being implemented in 24 districts of 8 states.

NEG-FIRE has been working in Mandla, Dindori, Balaghat, Anuppur, Betul, Harda, Jhabua and Khandwa Districts of Madhya Pradesh (MP) for the last 8 to 10 years. NEG-FIRE works with Baiga, Gond, Korku and Bhil communities in making them understand the value of education, encouraging their children to attend Government schools and acquire foundational learning skills through their mother tongue.

MTB-MLE program with specific focus to provide learning space to the children in his/her mother tongue and gradually transit them to the state language, accompanied with improvement in learning outcome of education in various parts of the country. Understanding the enormity of the task, it has been decided to adopt, in implementing MTB-MLE, a strategy of meaningful co-operation with all actors in the field, by forging strong partnerships with the State and district Government, State specific Non-Governmental Organisations.


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Whereas, NEG-FIRE has approached Rajya Shiksha Kendra Bhopal, (Department of School Education, Government of Madhya Pradesh, India) to partner in the State of Madhya Pradesh (Ghugari block of Mandla District, Amarpur and Samanapur block of Dindori District, Bhimpur block of Betul District, Timarni block of Harda District and Khalwa block of Khandwa District) to provide teachers training on MTB-MLE to the language teachers of primary government schools for adopting the mother tongue base teaching-learning process through Partnership mode.

The Rajya Shiksha Kendra Bhopal, (Department of School Education, Government of Madhya Pradesh, India) and NEG-FIRE (here in after referred to as Parties) have together decided to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with the following scope of collaboration:

1. Scope of collaboration

The Parties have mutually agreed to cooperate to provide phase wise (three years) teachers training to all primary school teachers in Ghugari & Bicchiya blocks of Mandla, Bajag block of Dindori, Timarni and Khirkiya blocks of Harda, Bhimpur block of Betul, Khalwa block of Khandwa Districts, Baihar block of Balaghat District, Jaithari block of Anuppur District.



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NEG-FIRE will also start its intervention in the Karahal Block of Sheopur District (Tribal Block inhabited by Saharia Tribal Community) of Madhya Pradesh as per the recommendation by the Government of MP.

The Scope of collaboration includes the following:

- a. Collaboration for providing space through DIET for teachers' training.
- b. Collaboration for making availability of respective teachers as per the training schedule.
- c. Collaboration for providing training to teachers on respective mother tongues.
- d. Collaboration for providing TLM, books etc. to the respective schools on Mother tongue.
- e. Collaboration for conducting impact assessment of MTB-MLE.
- f. Collaboration for knowledge sharing
- g. Collaboration for anything that is not mentioned but would be required for the successful implementation for the project.

2. Roles and Responsibilities

2.1 Roles and responsibilities of Rajya Shiksha Kendra


The role of in various activities proposed to be taken up by NEG-FIRE under this MoU shall primarily be that of a facilitator


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without any direct financial obligations on its part. The role of RSK shall include the following activities:

- a. RSK will disseminate a General Resolution (GR) that will provide the schools/ institution details regarding the partnership.
- b. RSK will share with NEG-FIRE, the list of government teachers of the proposed area (Mandla, Dindori, Betul, Harda and Khandwa) whom to provide phase wise training on MTB-MLE. RSK in consultation with NEG-FIRE will suggest particular area/areas of cooperation and it will facilitate their contact with the concerned implementing authorities of schools and other identified institutes authorised to carry out the assignment on behalf of RSK or to facilitate the implementation of activities in accordance to this MoU.
- c. RSK will invite NEG-FIRE to attend such meetings which are considered relevant for promoting the cause of collaboration.
- d. RSK would provide the visibility platforms for activities undertaken by NEG-FIRE under this MoU.
- e. All other necessary initiatives will be taken by RSK to make this a successful program.


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2.2 Roles and responsibilities of NEG-FIRE Source Persons (KRP's)

- a. NEG-FIRE take initiative for implementation of the project in the respective areas.
- b. NEG-FIRE would be able to put a plaque to the effect that they have initiated MTB-MLE process in the school. The signage should also mention the support of the Government of Madhya Pradesh.
- c. NEG-FIRE will provide the support as per the details given below:
 - i. All class 1 & 2 teachers from the respective areas (Ghugari & Bicchiya blocks of Mandla, Bajag block of Dindori, Bhimpur block of Betul, Timarni & Khirkiya Block of Harda, Khalwa block of Khandwa district, Baihar block of Balaghat District, Jaithari block of Anuppur District and Karahal block of Sheopur District) will be trained in three years on the process of MTB-MLE for enhancing the learning level of tribal children.
 - ii. All primary schools of the above blocks of Mandala, Dindori, Betul, Harda, Baihar, Anuppur, Khandwa and Sheopur will be provided TLM, other related material on MTB-MLE (Baiga, Gond, Korku, Kol and Sahariya language)


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- iii. NEG-FIRE will develop Key Resource Persons (KRPs) on MTB-MLE pedagogy at block level in its intervention areas.
 - iv. NEG-FIRE will conduct baseline and endline learning assessment of children from the schools of above mentioned intervention area(10% schools of the block) and submit the learning assessment report to RSK.
 - v. NEG-FIRE will develop content in Kol and Sahariya languages for class 1 & 2 children with the support of DIET, Teachers and Communities and develop MLE books in Kol and Sahariya languages. NEG-FIRE will also develop content and books in other tribal languages as per the requirements.
 - vi. NEG-FIRE will provide academic (MTB-MLE) support in Mohalla Class and initiate learning centres at tola/ with the guidance of DPC / AC Tribal during the COVID-19 period.
- d. NEG-FIRE will focus its operations in the areas agreed to in consultation with RSK for achieving the objectives of collaboration.


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- e. NEG-FIRE shall draw a road map/outreach strategy for implementation of the programme. This shall include the preparation of a plan to cover all the schools in a phased manner.
- f. NEG-FIRE will share a regular update (Quarterly) to RSK on the progress of activities.
- g. NEG-FIRE will coordinate with all stakeholders to mobilise resources for conducting teachers training on MTB-MLE in the state of Madhya Pradesh, including Corporate CSR fund.
- h. NEG-FIRE would provide visibility platforms for RSK related activities.

3. Impact assessment evaluation

The activities undertaken as part of the MoU shall be subjected to impact assessment evaluation as mutually agreeable to both the Parties.

4. Financial Obligations

Total project cost shall be mobilized by NEG-FIRE from donor agencies.

No payment will be made by Rajya Shiksha Kendra, Madhya Pradesh to NEG-FIRE for implementation of activities under the purview of this MoU.


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5. Reviews

- a. NEG-FIRE shall send quarterly reports to RSK on the details of activities undertaken under this MoU.
- b. The progress of implementation of the programme undertaken by NEG-FIRE under this MoU shall be jointly reviewed by both the Parties in six months or at an earlier interval, as mutually decided.
- c. Based on the reviews, if required, revised implementation plan would be formulated.
- d. This MoU shall be effective for a period of 3 (three) years or such period as may be mutually agreed between the Parties.

6. Limitation of Liability

In no event shall either party be liable to the other for any incidental, special, exemplary, consequential or punitive damages based on any theory of contract, tort, strict liability, negligence, equitable principle or otherwise, even if such party has been advised of, or should have known of, the possibility of such damages.

7. Termination

The Parties mentioned in the MoU will be at liberty to terminate the MoU with at least two month's advance notice in special circumstances to be explained in writing

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to the other party. Without prejudice to the foregoing, steps shall be taken to ensure that the termination of this MoU will not compromise or discriminate against any of the activities or programmes undertaken within the MoU framework.

8. Settlement of Disputes

This Agreement will be governed by the laws of India without regard to conflict of laws principles. Courts at Bhopal shall have exclusive jurisdiction. Any action brought in connection with this Agreement shall be resolved by arbitration as set forth in the below mentioned clause

The parties shall in the event of any dispute in respect of or in connection with this agreement before making any reference to arbitration attempt to resolve the disputes by negotiations after giving a written notice of all such disputes within 30 days of such notice. On the negotiations not fructifying in resolving the disputes the parties hereto shall refer the disputes to a single arbitrator to be mutually agreed upon and in the event of disagreement to be appointed by the Hon'ble court.

The Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 shall govern the proceedings.



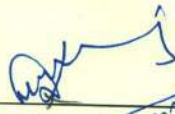

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Any modification or change to this MoU shall only be in writing signed by the authorized representatives of the parties to this MoU, to be binding on the parties hereto.

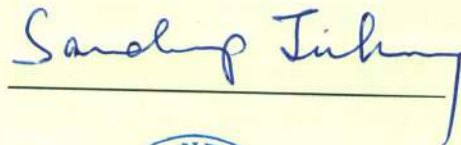
In witness hereof, of Parties hereto have signed this MoU, in two original copies, on day of April 2021 at Bhopal.

**On behalf of Rajya Shiksha
Kendra**


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Director
Rajya Shiksha Kendra


Mr. Dhanaraju S.
Director,
Rajya Shiksha Kendra, Bhopal
Government of Madhya
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On behalf of NEG-FIRE



Mr. Sandeep Tirkey
Executive Director,
NEG-FIRE New Delhi

Witness:


Mr. Usman Khan
Nodal Officer
Partnership cell
Rajya Shiksha Kendra
Bhopal M.P.

Witness:


Mr. Baliram Balsaraf
State Head
NEG-FIRE Foundation, Bhopal