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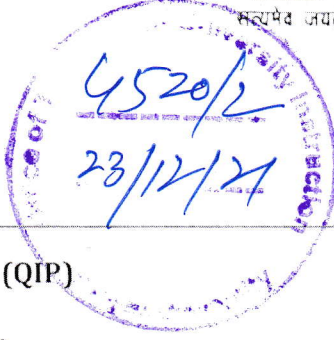
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Respected Madam/Sir,


As you are aware, University Grants Commission released its document "SATAT-A Framework for Eco-friendly and Sustainable Campus Development in November 2019 to guide Higher Education Institutions (HEIs) to incorporate sustainability in day-to-day campus management. SATAT also aimed to stimulate HEIs to create and disseminate knowledge to achieve India's Sustainable Development Goals.

We understand that the SATAT framework was just a beginning towards achieving sustainability of HEI campuses in India and a lot needs to be done in terms of preparing detailed sector-wise manuals and other resource materials. To achieve this, UGC has decided to establish a Nodal Centre for SATAT at the Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Banaras Hindu University (an Institute of Eminence) for coordinating the implementation of SATAT by HEIs. This nodal centre will facilitate cooperation among Indian universities to develop and improve their campus sustainability. For this, the Centre will identify technologies for environmental impact reduction, organize events and training sessions, prepare guidebooks and reports, and host a website to showcase and share resources. The UGC Nodal Centre for SATAT will also develop a transparent, self-reporting framework for Indian institutions of higher learning to measure their sustainability performance.

Professor A.S. Raghubanshi, Institute of Environment and Sustainable Development, Banaras Hindu University is nominated as the Coordinator of the UGC Nodal Centre for SATAT. He may be contacted through email: asr@bhu.ac.in or Mobile: +91-9919240241 for further information about the UGC-SATAT initiative.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,


(Rajnish Jain)

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