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The Green Campus, Energy and Environment Policy

Context

Khandesh College Education Society envisions a Clean and Green Campus where environmental friendly practices and education combine together which promotes sustainable and eco-friendly practices in the campus. The green campus concept offers the institution an opportunity to create awareness environmental ethics among students and staff. The Institute also promotes Clean and Green campus through adopting, practicing and promoting environmental friendly practices among students and staff to generate Eco-consciousness among them and in the world around them. Green Campus status is achieved by making significant progress in cross campus community collaboration under different themes such as Energy, Water, waste and Green campus

Scope of the Policy

The Green Campus, Energy and Environment Policies develop exciting new co-curricular and extracurricular practices that encourage students to take the lead in creating positive change. These initiatives call for a thorough review of all infrastructural, administrative functions from the standpoints of energy efficiency, sustainability and the environment. The focus areas of this policy are: Green Audit, Energy Audit, and Plastic-Free Campus

Objectives of the Policy

- To protect and conserve ecological systems and resources within the campus.
- To ensure judicious use of environmental resources to meet the needs and aspirations
 of the present and future generations.
- To continuously improve the efficient use of all resources, including energy and water, and to reduce consumption and the amount of waste produced, recovering and recycling waste where possible.
- To conduct timely environmental and energy audits from competent agency.
- To make the campus plastic free.

Policies:

Conduct Green Audit

The college aims to regularly conduct a Green Audit of our college campus to assess our strengths and weaknesses to fulfil our goals of long-term sustainability. A green audit is a useful tool to determine how and where most energy or water or resources are being used. The college can then consider how to implement changes and make savings. It provides a better understanding of the impact of eco-friendly practices on campus. Green auditing will promote financial savings through education of resource use. It is imperative that the college evaluate its own contributions toward a sustainable future and take approprial action for improvement..

Conduct Energy Audit

The college aims to regularly conduct a Energy Audit of our college campus The importance of reducing energy consumption cannot be overstated. The energy audit, with its specialized tools will identify wastage of energy. Such an inspection of ten reveals several different flaws which cause a loss of significant amount of energy which the college will not be able to detect. These flaws often have easy and affordable solutions and provide significant savings.

Plastic-Free Campus

The institute encourages students about advocating the importance of plastic free society during many of its programs under green initiatives. In view of the Government of India's resolution to ban all single use plastics due to the hazardous impact of plastic use and pollution, the college administration strictly bans the use of single use plastics in its premise and strives hard to avoid the use of other plastic items to make it a 'Plastic Free Campus'.

