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ENERGY CONSERVATION POLICY

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls, located in the pristine Koregaon Park area of Pune, recognizes the importance of sustainable practices in preserving the natural environment. Committed to fostering a green and eco-friendly campus, the institute strives to contribute to the community's efforts in maintaining a sustainable and energy-efficient living and learning environment.

OBJECTIVES OF THE POLICY

The primary objectives of the Energy Conservation Policy are as follows:

- a. Promotion of Energy Efficiency: Encourage the adoption of energy-efficient technologies and practices throughout the institute.
- b. Reducing Carbon Footprint: Minimize the institute's carbon footprint by optimizing energy consumption and promoting eco-friendly alternatives.
- c. Cultivating Awareness: Foster a culture of energy consciousness among students, staff, and faculty through education and awareness programs.
- d. Sustainable Infrastructure: Implement and maintain infrastructure that supports energy conservation, such as LED lighting, natural lighting, and efficient use of electronic devices.
- e. Compliance and Accountability: Ensure adherence to energy-saving measures through regular compliance checks and encourage accountability among members of the institute community.

POLICY PROVISIONS

- a. Communication and Awareness:
 - The Energy Conservation Policy will be prominently displayed on the institute's official website and notice boards.
 - Regular awareness programs and workshops will be conducted to educate the community about the significance of energy conservation.

b. LED Lighting:

 All ordinary lights on campus are replaced with energy efficient LEDs to reduce electricity consumption.

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c. Staircase Usage:

- Students and staff are encouraged to use staircases instead of lifts, promoting physical activity while reducing energy consumption.
- d. Natural Light Utilization:
 - Classrooms will be designed to be airy and spacious, utilizing well placed windows to maximize natural light, thereby minimizing the need for artificial lighting.
- e. Preventive Maintenance and Responsible Electricity Usage:
- Regular preventive maintenance of electrical systems will be conducted.
- All members of the institute are expected to turn off electricity points when not in use.
- f. Power Management for Electronics:
 - Power management features on computers, laptops, and printers must be activated to ensure they enter a "sleep" mode when not in use.
- g. Lights/Fans Off in Unused Spaces:
 - Lights and fans in conference rooms, classrooms, lecture halls, and faculty rooms must be turned off when not in use.
- h. Appliance Unplugging:
 - Members are encouraged to unplug appliances not connected to power strips (e.g., TVs, refrigerators, ACs, printers, chargers) to prevent phantom energy consumption.
- i. Monitoring and Compliance:
 - Regular audits and checks will be conducted to monitor compliance with the Energy Conservation Policy.
 - Violations or noncompliance will be addressed through appropriate channels, promoting a sense of responsibility among the institute community.

Sadhu Vaswani Institute of Management Studies for Girls is committed to establishing a sustainable, energy-efficient, and ecologically sensitive learning and working environment for its community through the implementation and observance of this Energy Conservation Policy. The authorized policy will be regularly reviewed and updated by the Institute.

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