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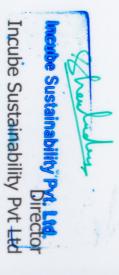


Energy Audit Certificate

This is to certify that

Amity University Rajasthan, Jaipur, has successfully undergone an Energy Audit on May 17, 2022 to assess the initiatives Actions taken by the University are satisfactory. taken to lower energy consumption.

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Below table shows the current status of upgradation in terms of building energy efficiency. All the lights (Halogens and Tube lights) are replaced with LED lights phase wise as a first step towards energy efficient buildings.

	Amity University Jaipur, Rajasthan													20.10.2021	
5. No.	Name of Light	Location	2019	2020	Oct'2021	Total Lights Replaced	LED Wattage	Old light wattage	Wattage Saved	Hr usage/day	Hr usage/ annual	KWh Saved Annual	Total Annual Saving in Rs.	Total Co2 emission Reduced in Kg	
1	LED Flood Light	Block terrace/outdoor	5 5		66	66	200	400	13200	10	3650	48180	₹ 481,800	40953	
2	LED Flood Light	Block terrace/outdoor	e x		19	19	100	400	5700	10	3650	20805	₹ 208,050	17684	
3	LED Street Light	Outdoor			20	20	60	150	1800	10	3650	6570	₹65,700	5585	
4	LED 4 ft. Tube Light	Academic block Corridor/Office	123	320	580	1023	18	45	27621	12	3960	109379	₹ 1,093,792	92972	
5	LED 4 ft. Tube Light	Hostel Corridor				150	18	45	4050	12	3600	14580	₹ 145,800	12393	
6	LED bulb 9/13 watt	Lift shaft/misc.	22	80	20	122	12	60	5856	12	1800	10541	₹105,408	8960	
7	LED roud light 4"	Lift Car			15	15	6	20	210	24	8760	1840	₹18, <mark>3</mark> 96	1564	
8	LED roud light 7"	Academic blocks	5 5	50	100	150	15	45	4500	9	1800	8100	₹81,000	6885	
9	LED PLL 4 pin	Academic blocks		75	100	175	18	54	6300	15	4500	28350	₹ 283,500	24098	
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Approving University Official(s): Vice-Chancellor-AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN Responsible Office: Office of the Director Administration Office of Risk Management Effective date: 13/12/2021 Next review date: 13/12/2022

POLICY ON SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT

Policy Statement

AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN is committed to enhancing the health and wellbeing of its campus community, to increasing safety practices, to reducing consumption of energy and fuels, to minimizing emissions, and to reducing solid and hazardous wastes. Members of the University community are expected to integrate into their daily operations best practices to reduce, reuse, and recycle materials, consistent with Municipal, State, and Central rules and guidelines. This policy applies to the management of various types of generated solid and liquid wastes, as defined below. However, this policy does not apply to the management of domestic sewage, the mixtures of domestic sewage allowable for sanitary disposal, or the management of storm or irrigation water run-off.

Purpose

AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN endeavors to adopt practices that reflect a comprehensive approach to conserving resources and reducing and managing waste. Waste prevention, reuse, recycling, and composting are prioritized over landfill disposal. In order to minimize our environmental footprint; to provide guidance to the University community on best practices for reducing and recycling waste; and to promote adherence to environmental law, this policy establishes a sustainable, solid waste management program that communicates acceptable methods of handling, storing, recycling, and disposing of materials.

Audience

All members of the AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN community, including students, researchers, faculty, staff, visitors, contractors, and vendors.

Definitions

<u>Electronic waste or e-waste</u>: electronic materials or appliances that are at the end of their useful life. Electronic equipment often contains sensitive data and hazardous materials (lead,

chromium, cadmium, mercury, beryllium, nickel, zinc, brominated flame retardants, etc.) whose disposal is regulated. Common electronic appliances include computers, printers, monitors, microwaves, telephones, televisions, laboratory appliances, and refrigeration units (freezers, refrigerators, and air conditioners).

Hazardous waste: any material that

- (i) exhibits hazardous characteristics as defined by Central or State law,
- (ii) is unusable or unwanted in any way, and
- (iii) poses a potential hazard to individuals, the environment, or public health. Hazardous waste includes, but is not limited to, chemical, radioactive, or potentially infectious waste. For a list of examples of hazardous waste and detailed information on its disposal, see the Hazardous Waste Disposal Guide (Central Pollution Control Board).

<u>Municipal solid waste</u>: everyday items used and then thrown away, such as product packaging, grass clippings, furniture, clothing, bottles, food scraps, newspapers, and appliances. Municipal solid waste is commonly known as trash or garbage.

Non-research area: an area on University property that is not a teaching or research laboratory.

<u>Specially-regulated waste</u>: a subset of hazardous waste comprising materials that are subject to specific regulations. Examples include potentially infectious medical waste (PIMW); other biological waste; sharps waste; asbestos waste; regulated polychlorinated biphenyl (PCB) waste; cutting oils and used oil; paint sludge; equipment cleanings; metallic dust sweepings; used solvents from parts cleaners; and off - specification, contaminated, or recalled wholesale or retail products.

<u>Universal waste</u>: a category of waste materials designated as hazardous, but containing materials that are common or widely generated in the environment. Universal waste includes batteries, pesticides, lamps, thermostats, and other mercury-containing equipment.

Policy Implementation

I. Waste management requirements

A. *Adherence to applicable law and University procedures*. All members of the AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN community are expected to handle, store, recycle, and dispose of materials in accordance with applicable law and University procedures, including all laws, regulations, and guidance documents referenced in this policy (see "Related Information" below; unless otherwise noted, the versions of such laws, regulations, and procedures currently in effect are to be followed). Specific guidelines relating to different types of waste are identified below.

B. *Municipal solid waste*. Waste streams such as non-hazardous wastes, recyclables, food wastes, and construction and demolition debris should be handled pursuant to Govt. of India (GoI- CPCB) - Recycling Guidelines.

C. *Electronic waste*. GoI - law bans most forms of electronic waste from landfills in the state. All University-owned electronic waste will be recycled through Facilities Management's E-Cycling Program and consistent with CPCB - Recycling Guidelines.

D. *Hazardous waste*. All University-generated hazardous waste must be labeled, handled, stored, and disposed consistent with the Office for Research Safety (ORS) - Guide, developed to ensure that the management and disposal of hazardous waste at AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN is conducted consistent with applicable law, including the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA).

Additionally, specially-regulated waste must be labeled, handled, stored, and disposed consistent with any additional applicable laws, regulations, or University guidelines, including the ORS guidelines applicable to the management and disposal of biological/infectious, radioactive, and sharps waste.

E. *Universal waste*. All University-generated universal waste must be labeled, handled, stored, recycled, and disposed consistent with AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN - Waste Guide.

Any questions regarding the categorization of different types of waste or the guidelines applicable to their management and disposal should be directed to either GoI -CPCB, ORS, or the Ministry of Environmental Health and Safety Management.

II. Implementation responsibilities

- A. Department and vendor leaders are responsible for:
 - i. Reviewing operations to determine where waste can be reduced at its sources of generation;
 - ii. Acquiring, to the extent feasible and practicable, items that are durable, have minimal packaging, or are readily recyclable when discarded;
 - iii. Assessing purchasing decisions, making every attempt to purchase items only when needed and in amounts that are not excessive;
 - iv. Ensuring employees have access to compliant waste containers, including containers for recycling; and
 - v. Assuring only trained and certified employees, students, and vendors generate and label specially-regulated or hazardous wastes.
- B. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN faculty, staff, students, and vendor personnel</u> <u>are responsible for:</u>
 - i. Separating defined waste types and placing identified waste materials in the appropriate containers; and
 - ii. Handling specially-regulated or hazardous wastes only if trained and certified to do so.
- C. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN's Office of Procurement and Payment Services</u> <u>is responsible for</u>:
 - i. Prioritizing procurement of goods and services that have a less negative effect on human health and the environment;

- ii. Promoting the purchase of durable and environmentally preferable products and prioritizing these purchases over procurement of single-use or disposable products; and
- iii. Establishing contracts with vendors when necessary to responsibly handle University-generated waste.
- D. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN's Office of Facilities Management is</u> responsible for:
 - i. Establishing policies for the management of construction and demolition and executing construction and demolition contracts that include specific construction debris recycling targets;
 - ii. Facilitating the removal of regulated refrigerants from refrigerators and freezers and maintaining the pertinent records required by law or regulation;
 - iii. Managing collection areas for the drop-off of universal waste in each building;
 - iv. Providing standard trash containers; and
 - v. Maintaining contracts with custodial service providers responsible for collecting non-regulated waste.
- E. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN Administration is responsible for:</u>
 - i. Managing all activities and services related to municipal solid waste disposal;
 - ii. Maintaining up-to-date procedures for reuse, recycling, and composting, as well as records of all waste reduction and recycling activities on campus; and
 - iii. Providing standard recycling containers.
- F. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN's Office for Research Safety (ORS) is</u> responsible for:
 - i. Maintaining up-to-date procedures and training on the proper disposal of hazardous, radioactive, biological, and potentially infectious wastes generated in teaching or research laboratories;
 - ii. Providing approved containers for the disposal of hazardous, radioactive, biological, and potentially infectious wastes in teaching or research laboratories; and
 - iii. Managing contracts for the disposal of all hazardous wastes and for hazardous waste emergency response services.
- G. <u>AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN's Office of Risk Management (ORM) is</u> responsible for:
 - i. Maintaining procedures for the handling and disposal of hazardous and universal waste in non-research areas;
 - ii. Training all non-research employees handling hazardous waste about proper waste handling procedures, safe use of personal protective equipment, and emergency procedures; and
 - iii. Ensuring non-research departments follow all contractual hazardous waste and hazardous waste emergency response services requirements.
- H. AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN's Office of Human Resources, through its HR Learn system (TCS-ion), serves as a records repository of completion of required trainings for those employed by AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN. For various

reasons, ORM or ORS may maintain other training records outside of the HR Learn system (TCS-ion).

Consequences of Violating this Policy

AMITY UNIVERSITY RAJASTHAN faculty, students, or staff who fail to comply with the laws, regulations, and ordinances referenced in this policy could be subject to disciplinary action under University policies and procedures, including termination of employment or academic dismissal. The University may terminate its relationship with any third-party contractor who violates this policy. Individuals who knowingly and deliberately release hazardous materials in violation of law could also be subject to criminal penalties.



Amity University Rajasthan complies with the state government and national policies on utilizing non-conventional energy resources and has invested in research and technology to reduce energy consumption across its campus. The vision of the green campus at Amity University Rajasthan comes to practical accomplishment with the following initiatives and investments

1. AUR has 24*7 electric supply through JVVNL and through its own captive power back up from DG sets.

2. With a view towards an energy conscious campus, AUR has installed solar panels on terraces of various buildings and has a ground tracker solar panel system.

3. The total sanctioned load for AUR from JVVNL is 3200 KW. AUR has taken approval presently to utilize 2490 KW out of sanctioned 3200 KW. AUR has twosubstations and has captive power generation capability to the tune of 4700 KVA through 9 DG sets installed near sub stations. The Solar Plant can generate a total of 0.99 MW or approx. 40% of AUR's total requirement.

4. Peak load, during summers, with all three chillers of air conditioning system running is in the region of 2400 KW. The minimum load is approx 700 KW (with no chillers/ less geysers operating). This is in the months of Nov and in Feb. The electricity bill varies between a maximum of Rs 58 lakhs and minimum Rs 25 lakhs.

5. The residents are provided subsidised electricity.. The vendors are charged at a rate calculated by giving due weightage to the units consumed on JVVNL and DG supply.

6. AUR has also got net metering connection with JVVNL, any excess generation of electricity through the solar panels is channeled to JVVNL grid, thus further saving on electrical cost.

7. Fitment of Solar panels has resulted in savings of Rs 6 lakhs (approx.) per month presently.

8. <u>General Measures</u> -The measures adopted to ensure optimal utilization of electricity are as follows

- Unserviceable Pumps motor winding is done only twice after which the pump is made redundant. This is because further rewinding will increase the load current of the pump.

- General Awareness is spread amongst all stakeholders to lower consumption of electricity and take proper precautions. Proper consumption at residences/vendor outlets is monitored through fitment of electronic meters.

- Residents / Students are made aware of the need to s/w off electrical appliances like tubelight / fans before leaving their rooms. They are also advised to stop keeping appliances like TV, Air Conditioner etc in stand by mode.

- Wardens in Hostels ensure that geysers are switched off when not in use. Hostel staff ensures only optimum lighting is used in the common areas of halls, lounges and staircase.

- Attendants in various Academic Blocks ensure that lights/fans are switched off in lecture theatres and classrooms when classes are not being held. Duty attendants also ensure that only necessary lighting is switched on after 6 pm.

9. <u>Chiller Plants</u>

- Air Conditioning system is on AMC to ensure efficient operation and regular maintenance. To increase the efficiency of the chiller plants daily inspection and periodic maintenance as required is carried out.

- Preventive maintenance (descaling etc) is carried out during the lean period. This ensures that electricity consumption does not increase significantly with ageing of the chillers.

- Chiller plants are used only on as required basis. Timing of usage is between 9 am to 5 pm from 01 Apr to 31 Oct.

- Records of Chiller plant operation and Power consumption are maintained and monitored to ensure that load current does not increase.

10. DG Sets/Electrical Panels/Transformers/line losses/Power Factor

- A dedicated team of electrical engineer and DG operators ensure effective running of the DG sets. Planned Maintenance is carried out at regular intervals as defined for the DG sets.

- DG sets are being synchronized to ensure max load (80% of DG rated capacity) on a particular DG set is achieved before other DG set is brought in line. This ensures reduction in fuel consumption due avoidance of unnecessary

running of second DG set. Record of DG sets running and servicing is maintained.

- Timely servicing of electrical panels and transformers is carried out.

- Proper rating cables are used to ensure that no cable is overloaded. This isto ensure line losses are minimum.

- Maintaining a higher Power Factor ensures stable current and reduction in its consumption. AUR is presently achieving a power factor of 0.98. Rebate is given by JVVNL for achieving a higher PF and AUR has received a max of Rs 1.75 Lakhs in a month last year. The average rebate given by JVVNL last year was approx. Rs one lakh per month.

11. MIS Daily and monthly MIS reports are compiled in soft copies. The same arescrutinized and provide a check to improve the system efficiency.

The Way Ahead

1. As the university expands there will be an increase in the level of power consumption. The emphasis will thus be on optimum utilization of this resource and thusconcentration will be towards LED fitment and use of Solar Power. At the same time it has to be seen that existing fitments are utilized completely. Hence changeover to LED, which will be the first step, will be done in a phased manner over the next 5 years.

2. <u>Changeover to LED in Phases</u>

- AUR had approx 10,000 no. of 36 watt fluorescent tube lights fitted in Academic Blocks, Hostels and Residential Blocks. The 3100 tube lights fitted in Academic Blocks are proposed to be replaced by 18 watt LED tubes in the initial phase.

- The testing of LED tubes and their compatibility with the existing frames has been checked. Similarly, there are 85 security lights of 400 watts each which has been replaced with 100/200 watts LED lamps in 2021.

- The Tublights, chokes & starters removed from Academic Blocks will be utilized in the hostel / residential blocks. Subsequently fluorescent tubelights of Residential Blocks will be replaced, with those in hostel being replaced in the lastphase.

- AUR has already replaced 1740 nos. of old fittings (inclusive of all types like security, panel and normal tube lights) with new LED in a period 18 months i.e. from Mar'2019 to Oct'2021 **saving approx. 680 units daily.**

Electricity Generation Through Solar Power

3. As AUR already has a sanction of 3200 KW from JVVNL and is generating 990 KW from solar, it is estimated that there will be no requirement of additional power to be sanctioned

from JVVNL for the next five years. There is also a thought to extend the ground tracking system to generate additional solar power.





Divestment Policy

Reviewed :12.09.2021

Amity University Rajasthan has prepared and successfully implementing its strategic plan to strengthen environmental consciousness and committed to reduce dependency on fossil fuels.

To achieve the same, we have focused on renewable and non-conventional energy resources and allotted dedicated land for solar park and established roof top solar panels on its academic and residential buildings and producing nearly 40% of the electricity need.

We are preparing and inducting below listed new initiatives to make university campus with Low carbon foot prints.

- Battery Operated Vehicles for intra campus movements
- Use of recycled water for irrigation of its green belt
- Irrigation in night shift to reduce water loss
- Use of treated water as cooling agent in Central Air Conditioning System
- Encourage residents to reduce Fossil fuel base vehicles in campus
- University has adopted solid/liquid/E Waste/ Hazardous Waste management to minimize load on campus environment

University gives serious focus on reduction in the use of fossil fuel and investing on alternative resources to minimize the same.



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Conservation Pledge

I Promise to do my Best-

Water Conservation

Turn of the water while brushing my teeth

- Using a bucket to bath instead of shower.
- Refer to the concern department if I see a leak.

Energy Conservation

- Turn of the lights when the room is not being used.
- Close the door when I go in and out of the house.
- Not stand and hold the refrigerator door open...
- Unplug phone and computer when not in use.
- Replacing traditional light bulb with energy efficient bulb.

Waste Reduction

- RECYCLE!At home and on the go. Recycling helps to save energy and natural resources.
- Get reusable shopping bags and have the family use them while shopping.
- Pack my lunch in a reusable bag or container.

Air Qaulity

- Bike or walk instead of riding in the car.
- Ride the bus or carpool.
- Practice natural cleaning instead of using chemicals.
- Encourage friends and family to use public transport.

Land/Natural Area Protection

- Practice "Leave No Trace" principles
- Not throw trash on the ground
- I will plant more than one tree every year and I will also care for it.

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Green & Environment Audit Certificate

This is to certify that

Green & Environment Audit of Amity University Rajasthan, Jaipur has been successfully carried out on May 13, 2022.

efforts taken by the Amity University Rajasthan, Jaipur are intense and Green measures implemented by the University have been validated. The commendable. Audit has been carried-out following IGBC Green Building Guidelines & as per NAAC Accreditation Manual



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Smoke-Free Policy

The smoking of any substance is **not permitted** in any of the Classrooms, Faculty Halls or cabins, Hostels, cafeteria, seminar halls, auditoriums, sports ground or any open or closed spaces in the University premises. This also extends to atleast 1km radius of the University campus.

Amity University Rajasthan is committed to foster the good health and well being of all members of its University community. We also aim to reduce pollution and hazardous air pollutants through this prohibition. Medical research confirms the many health risks of smoking and tobacco usage as well as the negative effects of second-hand smoke. In an effort to mitigate the health hazards of smoking and tobacco use, we are becoming a fully smoke-free and tobacco-free institution beginning with the start of the 2021 academic year and henceforth.

The policy covers all property and vehicles owned, leased, rented, or operated by Amity University Rajasthan and includes cigarettes, cigars, pipes, e-cigarettes, dipping tobaccos, snuff, other smokeless tobacco, hookah, marijuana, cannabis and related electronic and other products.

This policy means that smokers are allowed to smoke only in public areas outside the limits of the campus. The policy pertains to everyone associated with the University community including students, employees, contracted service employees, vendors and visitors.

Communication. The policy is published widely through various University outlets and will be included in the *Student Handbook* and *website*. Signage indicating that the University is smoke-free and tobacco-free are posted on campus. Existing policies, regulations and penalties governing smoking and tobacco usage inside university property will remain in effect as promulgated.

Compliance. Anyone who elects to continue to smoke or use tobacco products on public sidewalks must stay clear of any building entrances and dispose of these items properly in the designated areas provided on the periphery of the campus.

During the first few years of implementation, enforcement consisted of policy reminders by Campus Vigilance officers and other members of the community, without reprisals, along with distribution of educational material that fosters smoking and tobacco usage cessation. With passage of time, we are a mature University with less intervention and reminders for smoke free campus.

Support to Foster Smoking and Tobacco Usage Cessation. The University will continue to sponsor programs and events that increase awareness of the negative effects and health risks of smoking and tobacco usage. The Counselling office (managed by AIBAS) and the Health Services office will offer supportive services and information for those who wish to quit

smoking and tobacco usage. A new email address <u>vpaliwal@jpr.amity.edu</u> is being established to offer resources for quitting and answer any questions about the policy.

The cooperation of all members of the university is needed in order to ensure a healthy environment for everyone.

MB MPUR Dr. Nitin Bhardwaj Registrar