THE MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTABDING (MOU) BETWEEN

1. National Agri- Food Biotechnology Institute (NABI) (autonomous institute of Department of Biotechnology, Government of India), Sector-81 (Knowledge City), PO Manauli, S.A.S. Nagar, Mohali-140306, (Punjab), India (hereinafter referred to as "NABI" the context otherwise includes their respective nominees, legal representatives and successors);

2. Rajasthan University of Veterinary and Animal Sciences (RAJUVAS), an ICAR accredited State Agricultural University, Bikaner, Rajasthan, India -334001 herein after referred to as "RAJUVAS" with a dedicated mandate of teaching, research and extension in veterinary and animal sciences. **Objectives:**

- 1. NABI and RAJUVAS will undertake joint research work in the areas of mutual interest.
- 2. The concerned scientists of NABI and RAJUVAS will formulate research projects with due approval of competent authorities of both the institutes.
- 3. Impart training to staff, students and technical personnel within the areas of cooperation.
- 4. Keeping in view the interest and objectives of both the institutes, NABI and RAJUVAS may apply for joint project(s) under extramural grant schemes.

Sharing of facilities and outcome:

Both NABI and RAJUVAS jointly agree:

- 1. To share their respective research and development (R&D) facilities to carry out joint research projects.
- 2. To share laboratory, research farm, library and other supporting facilities in the areas of joint research projects.
- 3. To approve the scientists of NABI to be members (including major advisor) of advisory committee(s) for teaching and guiding students of RAJUVAS.
- 4. To share research results and publish jointly in collaborative projects.
- 5. Any IPR emerging from collaborative project will be the property of both the institutes in proportion to contribution of the investigators, as per Government of India rules.
- 6. In case of projects not supported formally by an extramural grant, but otherwise to by the two institutes, the parties shall meet their respective expenses which they might incur while carrying out their respective agreed obligation.

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7. Neither of the parties shall claim the usage of facilities/software or other services as a matter of right. It would be subject to availability, but would not be ordinarily refused.

Timeline:

This MoU will be effective from the date of its signing by both the parties shall remain in operation for a period of 5 (Five) years from the date of signing, until one of the parties serve notice to the other for its intention to terminate it. In such instances, the MoU will stand terminated 3 (three) months from the date of such notice. In case both the parties agree to terminate the MoU, the ongoing research projects, student's will be completed as per the already signed MoU and agree obligations.

Renewal of the MoU:

In case there is nothing to the contrary, this MoU shall continue to get renewed after mutual consent of both the parties, for the next term of 5 (five) years after the completion of one term.

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	Vice-Chancellor,
	Rajasthan University of Veterinary and Animal
	Sciences, Bikaner, Rajasthan

This MoU will come into effect upon the date of the last signature,

Witness:

1).

DR. Joy Kumar Roy

Director, PME

2). Joseph Sugar Sugar Osb to VC