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Waste Management and Green Campus Policy

1. POLICY STATEMENT:

The Institution is committed to maintaining a sustainable green campus through effective waste management and environmental improvement measures. This policy aims to minimize environmental impact, promote ecological balance, and create awareness about sustainable practices among all stakeholders.

2. OBJECTIVES:

- To implement comprehensive waste segregation, disposal, and recycling systems
- To reduce carbon footprint and promote energy conservation
- To maintain green cover and biodiversity on campus
- To create environmental awareness among students, faculty, and staff
- To achieve compliance with environmental regulations and standards

3. WASTE MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORK:

3.1 Waste Segregation

- Installation of separate bins for biodegradable, non-biodegradable, and hazardous waste at strategic locations
- Color-coded waste collection system (Green for wet waste, Blue for dry recyclable waste, Red for hazardous waste)
- Clear signage and instructions at all waste collection points

3.2 Waste Disposal and Recycling

- Partnership with authorized waste management agencies for safe disposal
- Composting facility for organic waste to produce manure for campus gardens
- Regular collection and recycling of paper, plastic, metal, and electronic waste
- Safe disposal of hazardous waste from laboratories following prescribed guidelines

3.3 E-Waste Management

- Designated collection points for electronic waste
- Annual e-waste collection drives in collaboration with certified recyclers

