### ADARSH ARTS and COMMERCE COLLEGE, DESAIGANJ (Wadsa) DIST- GADCHIROLI



# **CRITERION:-VII**

## **METRIC NO:- 7.1.3**

## Institutional Values and Social Responsibilities

Policy Document on Environment and Energy Usage Certificate from the Auditing Agency

### ADARSH ARTS and COMMERCE COLLEGE, DESAIGANJ (WADSA), DIST- GADCHIROLI

#### POLICY DOCUMENT ON

### **ENVIRONMENT and ENERGY USAGE**

#### Introduction:

Gadchiroli District is naturally covered with dense forest having unique trees and medicinal plants everywhere. It has also been bestowed with constantly flowing rivers such as Wainganga, Pranhita and Godawari. Desaiganj taluka is situated on the bank of Wainganga river. The naturally gifted beauty and purity need to be preserved and sustained so that the same would be handed over to the next generations. Hence, we try to manage energy in such a way so as to minimize its adverse impact on environment. The Environment and Energy Usage Policy of Adarsh Arts and Commerce College implies to reduce energy consumption to reduce the burden of the government and to conserve environmental equilibrium.

The Environment and Energy Usage Policy of the college is for all the stakeholders personally and is applied to all activities that take place in the institution. The policy would help our institution to keep its campus green, clean, beautiful and pollution-free.

#### **Objectives:**

- 1. To create awareness among all stakeholders about the importance of clean and green environment in and around the institution.
- 2. To create a culture of cleanliness among students in their everyday activities.
- 3. To assess the energy usage and try to reduce it.
- 4. To reduce environmental pollution by restricting the use of private petrol/diesel vehicles.
- 5. To install LED bulbs and other electric instruments in the college to save energy.
- 6. To develop systematic waste management mechanism.

- 7. To develop rain water harvesting unit.
- 8. To undertake tree-plantation drive in and out of the college.
- 9. To create plastic-free campus.

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- 10. To monitor and respond to emerging environmental and energy issues.
- 11. To make students aware of energy saving measures.

All the stakeholders would be acquainted with this policy every year via internal communication channels such as Notices, Induction Programmes, Staff Council meetings, alumni meetings, teacher-parents meetings and other students' gatherings. The policy will be available on the institutional website for ready reference to all.

Coordinator

Internal Quality Assurance Cell

Principal

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