# **Cape Comorin Resource Foundation**

MSSW entered an MOU with cape comorin resource foundation during 2019 and the duration of the MOU is 5 years. Initially our MASE students went to Kanyakumari for field immersion programme, for around 30 days, interacted with the fishermen folk understanding the their life, livelihood and methods to improve social entrepreneurship among them matching their requirement, a report was also submitted to them on that and presently leads are taken from that and steps are formulated to improve the livelihood and lifestyle of the fishermen folk, there. It is also agreed upon to give their people incubation support at our social entrepreneurship incubation centre, we would also get the expertise of their founders to support incubates in our incubation centre, In this direction work is going on presently as well.



Memorandum of Understanding
Between
Madras School of Social Work

Madras School of Social Work
AND

Cape Comorin Resource Foundation

This agreement is made on this day 19<sup>th</sup> August 2019 BETWEEN

MALRAS SCHOOL OF SOCIAL WORK (MSSW), established in 1952, located in Chennai, South India, is an Autonomous Institution, NAAC accredited and affiliated to University of Madras. Madras School of Social Work was founded by Mary Clubwala Jadhav under the auspices of Madras State Branch of the Indian Conference of Social Work (renamed the Indian Council of Social Welfare) and the Guild of Service (central). The school is run under the aegis of the Society for Social Education and Research (SSER). The School is rated 3<sup>rd</sup> Best Social Work College in India and First in South India.

MSSIV is established with a vision to be a global leader in education, research and intervention in social work and allied disciplines towards transforming the human potential into socially sensitive change agents for sustainable development and to create outstanding professionals, who will provide transformational leadership in the community and workplace.

AND

Cape Comorin Resource (CaCoR) Foundation based in Kanniyakumari is registered company under Section 8 of company Act to promote and facilitate decentralized, distributed resource based development in the cottage, village, micro, small and medium sectors of the economy and for the purpose to establish

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ew No.11. Old No:8, 2nd Street Mangalapuram, Chelpet, and or associate with agencies, organizations and associations involved in the activities of business incubation; angel investing; crowd funding; venture capital funding; venture debt; strategic investing and development finance and also to provide support/expert/consultancy services to entrepreneurs and start-ups in building and managing the business in all fronts including diagnostic study, market survey, project report, strategy, technology, quality, finance, people, customer acquisition, sales/marketing, governance and access to government schemes.

# The following activities will be jointly planned and executed between MSSW-CaCoR Foundation:

- 1. Implement diagnostic studies in the field served by CaCoR.
- 2. Jointly develop projects, raise funds, participate in bidding and implement jointly or subcontract or work as part of a consortium with other development agencies or private companies complimenting with their respective strengths with scope for Android and web app development.
- Arrange internships and field visits for MSSW students with MALAR SHG Federation and CaCoR supported projects.
- Collaborate in designing certificate courses;, mentoring and regular degree courses; and post graduate courses - on energy, water, governance, entrepreneurship and others.
- 5. Organize seminars/workshops and mentoring social entrepreneurship and bring out proceedings as booklets as part of studies on successful social enterprises including short films.
- 6. Work for the common cause of promoting Smart Phone based Android app and other ICT products for the rural and agriculture development locally and globally and Support the validation of Smart Suite android-based apps developed by CaCoR Foundation in villages (selected by MSSW/CaCoR) in various blocks and other rural communities.

Note: \* Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises

\*\*Mahalir Association for Literacy Awareness & Rights - a Federation of SHGs in Kanniyakumari

district

#### Duration

This MoU will be effective from the date of signing by both parties up to a period of 5 years and may be subject to extension by mutual consent of the parties in writing. The provisions of this MoU may be amended

#### Termination

Either party may terminate the agreement by giving 6 (six) months advance notice in writing. The amendment, termination and expiration of this MoU will not affect the terms of activities ongoing at the time of notification of amendment, termination or expiration, unless otherwise agreed upon between the two parties.

Each party will take approval from the other party in writing to use the later's name and logo for the activities hereunder on case to case basis and the other party will provide a reply at the earliest or maximum within 7 days in writing.

#### Jurisdiction

The MoU shall be governed by and constructed according to Laws in force in India. The parties hereby submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts situated in Chennai for all purposes.

#### Arbitration

In case of any dispute or difference arising out of the MoU, which cannot be resolved mutually between two parties, it shall be referred to two arbitrators to be appointed by both parties in the proportion of one each. After hearing both parties the arbitrators will give reasoned and speaking award, which shall be binding on both parties. The venue of arbitration shall be Chennai, India.

### Force Majeure

Neither party will be liable to the other for non performance of this MoU or any part thereof due to Force Majeure conditions, such as Acts of Gods, fire, floods, earthquakes, explosions, acts of sabotage, or terrorism, war, riots and any other circumstance (natural) beyond the control of the party.

## **Notices**

Any notices to be given under this MoU shall be in writing and shall be deemed to have been duly and properly served upon the parties hitherto if delivered against acknowledgement of by registered mail addressed to the parties herein at the addresses given at the initial paragraphs of this MoU or such changed address duly notified by the parties.

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In witness thereof, the parties have set their respective hands here on 19th Aug. 2019.

For and behalf of MSSW

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Dr.S. Raja Samuel

Principal

Madras School of Social Work

Date: 19 1 August 2019

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Dr. S. RAJA SAMUEL, M.A., Ph.D., Principal

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Witnesses

Name & Address:

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For and behalf of CaCoR Foundation

Mr. M.G.Devasahayam & Dr. B. Thomas Franco

Founders Cape Comorin Resource Foundation

Date:

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Signature

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