Minutes of Meeting IQAC and Garden Committee

A meeting along with visit to college campus was held on 7th February 2025 at 10:30 a.m. The following members were present in the meeting.

NAAL convenor: Prof. Deepali Rastogi

Members: Dr. Nancy Raina, Prof. Rupa Upadhyay

The following suggestions were given during the meeting

- 1. The Garden Committee members have proposed the addition of two contractual *maalis* to address the staffing shortage. It was noted that over time, four *maalis* have retired, and no replacements have been made. As a result, the quality of work has been affected due to the insufficient workforce needed to maintain the green spaces on the campus.
- 2) The area opposite Sangeeta Goomar Mam's Room (where *Lagerstromia* is planted) debris is placed. The area is to be cleaned of the debris and weeds
- 3) More trees to be planted opposite Amphitheater and maintained to a small height only for beautification of the area.

Murraya to be planted in gap areas.

- 4 Since the area opposite amphitheater has lots of stones and rocky surface, it was suggested to have concrete pavement for better and clean area.
- 5. It was suggested to have carpet grass and new plants to be planted along the pathway near Textile Science Lab
- 6 Two *Araucaria* to be planted in area along the place where existing *Araucaria* is present along road opposite B.Ed block.
- 7. The area starting from road to the area opposite Basketball court up till the Bank should have Ashoka in one line and covered with grass. The area can have some sitting place.
- 8. The area around old Canteen: a patch of new plants to be planted.
- 9. More of *Ficus* spp to be planted outside PG Hostel to increase the green cover.
- 10. A Hydrant to be maintained by Amit for regular supply of water in the nearby area.
- 11. It was suggested to have tiled pavement for the area meant for parking near Bengali market gate.

- 12. Planting of new tree sps near the area where *Eucalyptus* is planted.
- 13. The area opposite UG hostel where prime Baubau tree is there, should have name plating and the history about the tree. The area can also be utilised for having mobile tea, coffee vans.
- 14. A board depicting flora n fauna of the college to be placed at entrance.
- 15. More of the flowering plants to be planted near the bank area.
- 16. Bougainville to be planted opposite the Chandni pathways towards windows.
- 17. The Garden Committee members also highlighted that the ongoing construction work has caused damage to the plants, and the increased number of peacocks is further hindering and delaying gardening activities.