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and

**8Queens Software Technologies Private Limited** is an Enterprise Consulting and IT Services organization that delivers comprehensive solutions in Web Portals, Enterprise Applications, Mobility, Cloud, and Analytics through both On-Premise and Cloud-based models. With a team of professionals possessing over a decade of industry experience, the company brings deep expertise across diverse verticals including Healthcare, Manufacturing, Hospitality, Tourism, Retail, Finance, and Education. Its portfolio of enterprise services encompasses Design, Development & Implementation, Upgrade & Modernization, Support and Maintenance, Analytics and Reporting, Integration, Mobility, and Managed Services. By putting science to work, 8Queens creates innovative products and solutions that are critical to client success, helping organizations manage change, optimize the lifecycle of information assets, and meet compliance and audit challenges effectively.

**The Memorandum of Understanding envisages the following:**

#### **Recitals**

Whereas, **Stella Mary's College of Engineering, Azhikal, Kanyakumari District** and **8Queens Software Technologies Private Limited, Chennai** aim to establish a collaborative partnership for the benefit of students, faculty, and the industry, this MoU seeks to outline the framework for their cooperation.

The purpose of this MoU is to enable both parties to engage in joint initiatives to enhance technical education, research, placements, skill development, and industry interaction.

#### **1. Purpose and Objective**

The objective of this MoU is to set a framework for cooperation between **Stella Mary's College of Engineering** and **8Queens Software Technologies Private Limited, Chennai** for the following key areas:

- To collaborate on research and development activities in emerging technologies.
- To provide internships, placements and real-time project opportunities for students.

- To organize workshops, webinars, guest lectures, and seminars that address the latest trends in IT and engineering.
- To foster innovation through joint participation in hackathons, tech challenges, or product development.

## **2. Scope of Activities**

Both parties agree to collaborate in the following areas:

### **(i) Internships:**

- Provide students with opportunities for internships, and live project exposure in areas such as software development, data science, AI, machine learning, etc.
- The IT company will provide mentorship and on-the-job training to the students during their internships.

### **(ii) Research & Development:**

- Collaborate on industry-relevant research projects, where both faculty and students can actively contribute.
- Engage in joint publications, whitepapers, and innovation hubs.

### **(iii) Events & Competitions:**

- Co-organize events such as hackathons, coding competitions, and tech symposiums where students can solve real-world problems presented by the IT company.
- Provide industry insights and career guidance through guest lectures and seminars.

### **(iv) Infrastructure & Resources:**

- The IT company may provide technical resources or R&D.
- College may provide the necessary infrastructure like lab facilities, classrooms, and meeting spaces for joint programs.

### **(v) Placement:**

- The IT company may conduct campus placement for the recruitment of suitable final year students.
- College shall provide the necessary infrastructure and logistical support for placement activities.

## **3. Roles and Responsibilities**

### **(i) College's Responsibilities:**

- To ensure that students are informed and engaged in the offered internships, projects, and industry interactions.
- To provide faculty with necessary resources to align curriculum and teaching methods with

industry standards.

- To ensure the effective management of joint research and development projects.
- To support the IT company's initiatives in the college, including seminars, events, and workshops.

**(ii) Company's Responsibilities:**

- To provide internships, mentorship, and industrial exposure to students.
- To participate in curriculum design by offering insights on current and future industry needs.
- To organize webinars, and workshops for both students and faculty on emerging IT trends.

**4. Confidentiality**

- Both parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of any proprietary or sensitive information shared during the term of this MoU. This confidentiality clause will remain effective even after the termination of this MoU.

**5. Duration of MoU**

- This MoU shall commence from the date of signing and will remain **valid for 5 years**, unless otherwise terminated or extended by mutual written consent of both parties.

**6. Termination**

- Either party may terminate this MoU by providing **30 days written notice**. Upon termination, the parties agree to conclude any ongoing projects or commitments and work towards a smooth closure.

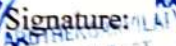
**7. Miscellaneous**

- This MoU does not create a legally binding agreement but serves as a guideline for cooperation between the parties.
- Any amendments to this MoU must be made in writing and signed by authorized representatives from both parties.
- The MoU may be reviewed periodically, and any changes or updates will be made based on mutual agreement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, duly authorized representatives of both parties, have signed this MoU on the date mentioned below.

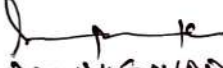
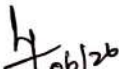
  
Stella Mary's College of Engineering  
For Authorized Signatory

Name: Dr. P. GIREESH PREMIL KUMAR M.E. PH.D.  
Designation: PROFESSOR & PRINCIPAL  
Date: 10/06/2026  
Stella Mary's College of Engineering  
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KANTAKUMAR, DISTRICT - 629 202

Signature: 

Stella Mary's College of Engineering

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Dr. A. Sagar Francis Britto

8Queens Software Technologies Private Limited

For Authorized Signatory

Name: E. Vimalraj  
Designation: Managing Director  
Date: 10/06/2026

Signature: 



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