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Notification

It is hereby notified that the Competent Authority has approved the Solid Waste Management Policy of the University with immediate effect.

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Solid Waste Management Policy

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1. Preamble

The Superior University has destined itself to become the leading university of the country. Therefore, efforts are being made in all directions to promote high quality practices through community of the university. As part of the collective efforts so exerted, this policy has been sets forth Solid Waste Management targeting a useful and ethical waste management. The basis of this policy has been set on waste management policy by Government of Pakistan as a baseline. It is expected that with the application and implementation of this policy, staff will be able to understand and contribute to the waste management of the University.

2. Scope of Policy

This policy strives to ensure solid waste management in a sustainable and responsible manner, that the individuals employed in their production are safe and treated fairly, and that environmental and social impacts are measured during the sourcing process. The sourcing by the Superior University fall under the scope of this policy. This policy prescribes the SOPs for waste management for the University.

3. Definitions

Unless anything repugnant in the subject or context, the meanings assigned to the terms shall have the meanings given hereunder;

- i.** *“University” means the Superior University, Lahore constituted under the Superior University, Lahore Act, 2004.*
- ii.** *“Rector” means the Rector of the Superior University.*
- iii.** *“Registrar” means the Registrar of the Superior University.*
- iv.** *“Act” means, the Superior University Act, 2004.*

4. Applicability

The policy is designed to deal with solid waste management for compliance with environmental sustainability and come into force at once with effect from the date of notification by the Registrar of the University.

5. Guidelines for Solid Waste Management (SWM)

5.1. The university will continue to strictly adhere to all relevant waste laws and guidelines.

- 5.2. The university shall adopt the waste management hierarchy's principles to minimize the volume of waste produced and the accompanying environmental effects.
- 5.3. The university shall establish facilities to enable the secure processing, efficient segregation, and safe storage of trash with a focus on maximizing reuse and recycling alternatives.
- 5.4. The university will establish clear objectives and targets for reducing trash, increasing recycling rates, and decreasing landfill disposal.
- 5.5. The university shall conduct routine waste audits to encourage ongoing progress.
- 5.6. The university will provide staff, students, and visitors with the proper orientation and training about waste management methods and site-specific needs.

6. Roles & Responsibilities of various Functionaries

6.1. Registrar Office

It shall be responsible for the following:

- a) providing any kind of support in solid waste management;
- b) complying with the sourcing with environmental sustainability goals.

7. Conflict Resolution

- 7.1. In case of any conflict upon under/process, the concerned shall only use case studies/precedence set by the university and refrain to act as a judge of the conflict.
- 7.2. In case of any misconduct the concerned shall be held accountable and will be dealt with under the research integrity policy.

8. Repeal

The previous version of this policy shall stand repealed upon approval of this policy unless otherwise mentioned herein or any ensuing conjunction or correlation explicitly mentioned. However, the procedures implemented and actions undertaken in accordance with the previous version of the policy leading to conclusive outputs or approvals stand validated with the provision that any revision thereto shall be undertaken in the light of this policy upon approval and shall carry the same validation as per the approved policy thereby quelling any objections raised with respect to the approval of the same.