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UNIVERSITY

(Under section 3 of UGC Act 1956)

POLICY ON ENERGY CONSERVATION

Authority and responsibility: Associate Director (Campus Life)

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Objective

To conserve use of electricity in the campus considering a power outage of close to 50% during summer months

Methodology

1. All Street lamps shall be gradually converted to CFL by 2019.
2. Solar energy shall be used for cooking in the hostels and for supplying hot water
3. Posters, placards shall be placed in the campus and class rooms advocating conservation of electricity.
4. All buildings will have transparent glass doors / windows to allow natural ventilation.
5. Shade giving trees shall be planted throughout the campus to reduce air-conditioning demand during summer.
6. Captive power generation as per the demand.
7. Unskilled labour force shall switch lights, fans, ACs when students leave them on.
8. All members of the campus community will endeavor to use energy in the most efficient manner possible.
9. Energy will be managed by all Departments and units through awareness and adoption of the most efficient procedures and practices.
10. Putting out Lights when leaving rooms unoccupied or in unoccupied rooms when one passes by them.
11. Turning off or unplugging office equipment, Laptops, computers and Lab equipment unless in use especially during nights, and unplugging equipment that are not used frequently.

Implementation

Under the directorate of campus life, a dedicated associate director will implement the above stated methodology.