Terms and Conditions for Participation Contribution

(For Professional Edutech Event in Bangalore)

Siddhahastha Consulting Private Limited ("Organizer Company") is proud to support Cyber Vidhi Sangam ("Event"), an initiative led by the steering group of Alumni of the National Law School of India University (NLSIU) PACE Programme ("Owner"). The event is a collaborative effort to bring together legal and tech professionals for a strategic dialogue on emerging challenges and opportunities in the cyber-legal domain. As the Organizer Company founded by one of the alumni, it has voluntarily taken on the role of Treasurer for this event. This Agreement sets forth the terms and conditions ("Terms") governing the collection and use of non-refundable contributions by either alumni or sponsoring organizations to the Organizer Company as per the direction of Owners.

- 1. Disclaimer on Owner's Status: For clarity, the "Owner" refers solely to an informal alumni steering group. The Owner does not constitute a legal entity and does not assume contractual or financial liability towards Participants or Sponsors. All contractual, financial, and operational responsibilities rest exclusively with the Organizer Company. No individual member of the alumni steering group shall bear any personal liability in respect of the Event. Any reference to the Owner herein shall be deemed honorary and non-binding.
- 2. Purpose of Contribution: The contribution paid by the Participant shall be exclusively utilized towards the organization, conduct, and logistical expenses of the Event, including but not limited to venue charges, speaker and resource remuneration, event materials, and other related costs. The contribution shall not be construed as a deposit, investment, or confer any ownership or profit rights to the Participant.

3. Fee Payment, Non-Refundability, and Registration

- **3.1.** Participants are required to pay the full contribution amount of Rupees Three Thousand (₹3000) only in advance via the payment methods designated by the Organizer, including but not limited to authorized online payment gateways.
- **3.2.** All amounts paid are strictly non-refundable and non-transferable under any circumstances, including but not limited to Participant's withdrawal, inability to attend, dissatisfaction with the Event, or any other reason.
- 3.3. Registration confirmation is contingent upon receipt of full payment.
- **3.4.** Substitution of registration may be requested in writing and is subject to Organizer's approval.
- **3.5.** Costs for travel and overnight accommodation are not included in the ticket fee. The participants are responsible for reserving and paying for these expenses themselves.

4. Event Changes and Cancellation

- **4.1.** The Organizer reserves the right to alter, postpone, or reschedule the Event or any part thereof, including but not limited to the Event date, venue, program schedule, and speakers, provided that such changes do not materially diminish the value or purpose of the Event.
- **4.2.** Participants will be notified of any such changes at the earliest reasonable opportunity.
- **4.3.** In the event of complete cancellation of the Event by the Organizer for reasons beyond its reasonable control (including force majeure, insufficient registration, or trainer unavailability), The Organizer may at its sole discretion offer a full refund or transfer of registration to a future event of equivalent value.
- **4.4.** No other claims for damages, compensation, or refunds shall be entertained in the event of modification, postponement, or cancellation.
- **4.5.** Please note
 - 4.5.1. Since the payment will be made from the Organizer Company account to the other party (hotel/ club house) applicable TDS certificate will be provided to other party.
 - 4.5.2. For the first event, we will share the receipt and payment details for the entire event.

5. Participant Obligations and Conduct

- **5.1.** Participants warrant that the information provided at registration is true, accurate, and complete and agree to update the Organizer of any changes promptly.
- **5.2.** Participants shall conduct themselves ethically and shall not engage in disruptive, illegal, or unprofessional behavior during the Event. The Organizer reserves the right to remove any Participant violating this clause without refund or liability.
- **5.3.** Participants are responsible for their personal belongings and safety during the Event; the Organizer accepts no liability for loss, damage, or injury except for gross negligence or willful misconduct.

6. Intellectual Property Rights

- **6.1.** All materials, presentations, recordings, and content provided during the Event remain the sole property of the Organizer Company till the Owner's form a legal entity ("New Legal Entity"). The Organizer Company shall transfer the same to new legal entity post incorporation, without any cost and objection.
- **6.2.** Participants shall not reproduce, distribute, or commercially exploit any Event content without prior written consent of the Organizer.
- 7. **Privacy and Data Protection:** By registering for the Event, Participants consent to the collection, use, and processing of their personal data for purposes related to Event administration, communication. Data may be shared with third-party service providers solely for the purpose of executing the Event. The Organizer shall adhere to applicable data protection laws.

8. Limitation of Liability:

8.1. To the fullest extent permitted by law, neither the Organizer Company nor the Owner shall be liable to any Participant, Sponsor, or third party for indirect, consequential, or incidental damages, including loss of profits or business opportunities.

- **8.2.** The total aggregate liability of the Organizer and/or the Owner shall be limited to the amount of participation or sponsorship fees actually paid.
- 9. Participant Acknowledgment and Waiver: By registering, Participants acknowledge and agree that;
 - 9.1. Participation is voluntary.
 - **9.2.** They are responsible for their personal belongings, health, and safety during the Event.
 - **9.3.** The Organizer and Owner are not liable for injury, accident, or loss except where directly caused by their gross negligence or willful misconduct.
 - **9.4.** They waive, to the extent legally permissible, any right to pursue claims beyond the liability cap stated in Clause 8.2.

10. Indemnity Between Organizer and Owner

- **10.1.** The Organizer Company and the Owner shall remain jointly and severally liable to third parties.
- **10.2.** As between themselves, each party agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the other from claims, damages, or expenses arising from that party's gross negligence, willful misconduct, or breach of these Terms.
- 10.3. This indemnity shall survive conclusion of the Event.
- **11. Force Majeure:** Neither the Organizer nor the Owner shall be held liable for failure or delay in performance caused by circumstances beyond reasonable control, including but not limited to natural disasters, strikes, government restrictions, or pandemics.
- 12. Arbitration, Governing Law and Jurisdiction: These Terms shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of India. Any dispute, controversy, or claim arising out of or relating to this Agreement shall be resolved through arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996, as amended. The seat and venue of arbitration shall be Bengaluru, Karnataka, and the proceedings shall be conducted in English. The award rendered shall be final and binding on the parties and enforceable in any court of competent jurisdiction. The courts at Bengaluru have exclusive jurisdictions for all matters arising out of or in connection with the arbitration proceedings, including interim relief.
- 13. Entire Agreement and Amendments: These Terms constitute the entire agreement between the Participant and the Organizer regarding the subject matter herein and supersede all prior understandings, representations whether oral or written. The Organizer reserves the right to amend these Terms at any time by posting the revised terms on its official website; Amendments shall apply to Participants registering thereafter.
- **14. Acknowledgment:** By submitting the contribution for registration, you affirm that you have read, understood, and agreed to abide by these Terms in full, including the non-refundable nature of your payment and the conditions herein imposed.
- **15. Sponsorship:** Cyber Vidhi Sangam is more than an event, it's a launchpad for sustained collaboration and innovation. Sponsoring companies are invited to be part of this journey, contributing not just resources but also vision and commitment to shaping the future. By sponsoring this event, companies gain Strategic Visibility: Network Expansion, Long Term Engagement. This event is not just a gathering, it's a strategic platform for thought leadership, collaboration, and long-term engagement in the evolving landscape of technology and law.

16. The core objective of the Event is to:

- **16.1.** Facilitate a brainstorming session among alumni to leverage their networks and expertise.
- **16.2.** Promote synergy in day-to-day professional routines through shared knowledge and collaboration.
- 16.3. Establish a clear agreement among contributors to prevent any future disputes regarding the proceeds or their utilization.
- **16.4.** Identify and summarize 3–4 key topics in the intersection of law and technology.
- **16.5.** Select dedicated individuals willing to monitor and invest in these topics over the next 3–4 years, ensuring continued relevance and impact.
- 17. Alumni Event Participation & Liability Disclaimer: This alumnus gathering is a voluntary, social event organized informally by the alumni community/ owner for the benefit of its participants. The Organizer Company and the Alumni team and any supporting or Sponsoring partners do not act as professional event managers, and no insurance coverage is being arranged by them for this event. By registering for and/or attending the event, each participant expressly acknowledges and agrees that:
 - **17.1.Assumption of Risk** Attendance is entirely at their own risk and responsibility, including travel to and from the venue.
 - **17.2. Release of Liability** To the fullest extent permitted by applicable law, the organizers, their representatives, volunteers, and any associated partners shall not be held liable for any loss, injury, damage, or claim (whether to person or property) arising from or in connection with participation in this event.
 - **17.3. No Professional Duty** The organizers are acting in a voluntary capacity and shall not be deemed to have any duty of care beyond taking reasonable precautions consistent with a non-commercial, social event.
 - **17.4. Compliance & Conduct** Participants are expected to act responsibly and comply with all venue rules, local laws, and safety instructions. Any violation or misconduct will be the sole responsibility of the participant.
 - 17.5. By attending, participants confirm that they have read, understood, and accepted this disclaimer