Namal Complaint Management System

Development Team

Dev Wizard

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1 Requirement Provider Agreement

This Agreement is made and entered into on this day, [Insert Date], by and between:
Party 1: Sundeep Kumar
Party 2: Kamran Younis (RP)

1.1 Purpose of the Agreement

The purpose of this Agreement is to define the roles, responsibilities, milestones, and terms for the successful completion of the [Project Name] using the Kanban framework. The project aims to achieve the agreed objectives in a structured and timely manner while maintaining clear communication between both parties.

1.2 Scope of Work

The Parties agree to collaboratively work on the project according to the following milestones:

Milestone 1: Documentation

- Prepare all necessary documentation, including project objectives, methodology, tools, technologies, and references.
- Review and finalize the project proposal for approval.

Milestone 2: Planning & Brainstorming

- Analyze requirements and plan the implementation strategy.
- Identify tasks, assign priorities, and prepare the Kanban board for workflow management.
- Decide on subtasks and timelines for development.

Milestone 3: Development & Implementation

- Execute tasks as per the Kanban board.
- Continuous review and progress updates between Parties.
- Identify and resolve any roadblocks during development.

Milestone 4: Testing & Delivery

- Conduct final testing of the deliverables.
- Prepare project reports and final documentation.
- Deliver the completed project and ensure mutual approval.

1.3 Roles and Responsibilities

- **Sundeep Kumar:** Responsible for overall project management, task execution, documentation, and technical implementation.
- **RP:** Responsible for reviewing progress, providing feedback, assisting in planning, and approving milestones.

Both Parties agree to maintain transparency, provide timely updates, and actively participate in decision-making throughout the project lifecycle.

1.4 Workflow Methodology

The Parties agree to follow the Kanban framework, which includes:

- Breaking the project into manageable tasks and subtasks.
- Visualizing the workflow on a Kanban board.
- Continuously monitoring and updating task status (To Do, In Progress, Done).
- Conducting periodic review sessions to reassess priorities and reassign tasks if necessary.

1.5 Deliverables

- Completed documentation, including project proposal and final report.
- Fully developed and tested project as per the agreed specifications.
- Progress updates and **milestone reports at the end of each milestone.**

1.6 Terms and Conditions

- Any changes in scope or additional tasks require mutual consent and documentation.
- Both Parties agree to maintain confidentiality of project details.
- The project timeline is tentative and subject to adjustments based on project complexity and mutual agreement.

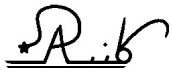
1.7 Acceptance

By signing this Agreement, both Parties confirm their understanding and acceptance of the terms and commit to fulfilling their responsibilities to achieve successful project completion.

Signed:

Sundeep Kumar (Team Member):

Kamran Younis (RP):



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2 Introduction

The **Smart Complaint and Maintenance Management System (SCMMS)** is a digital platform developed for Namal University to efficiently manage maintenance-related issues. It replaces the manual reporting process with a structured, trackable, and transparent system, allowing students, faculty, and staff to report, monitor, and resolve campus facility problems seamlessly. This system enhances accountability, reduces delays, and ensures timely maintenance of university infrastructure.

3 Problem Statement

Currently, the process of handling maintenance requests at Namal University is informal and inefficient. Complaints are often communicated verbally or through messages without any systematic tracking or record-keeping. This leads to delays in issue resolution, duplication of efforts, and lack of accountability. A centralized, online complaint management system is therefore required to enhance efficiency, transparency, and user satisfaction.

4 Project Objective

1. Provide an online portal for submitting and tracking maintenance complaints.
2. Enable categorized complaints (e.g., Electrical, Plumbing, IT, Furniture).
3. Allow administrators to assign complaints to maintenance staff and update status.
4. Provide real-time updates to users on complaint progress.
5. Generate summary reports and insights on complaint resolution performance.

5 Stakeholder Identification

Stakeholder	**Role/Description**
Students / Faculty / Staff	End-users who submit complaints
Maintenance Team	Handles and resolves assigned issues
Admin / Supervisor	Monitors complaints and assigns staff
Requirement Provider (RP)	Oversees progress, provides feedback, and approves milestones

6 Software Development Methodology

The **Kanban Framework** is selected for developing the *Namal Complaint and Maintenance Management System*. Kanban focuses on continuous delivery, workflow visualization, and adaptability — which align closely with this project's nature. Since complaint management involves evolving requirements, ongoing updates, and regular interac-

tion with the Requirement Provider (university administration), Kanban ensures smooth progress without rigid sprint boundaries.

Unlike time-boxed Agile methods, Kanban enables flexible task prioritization. Each module — such as login, complaint registration, dashboard, or report generation — can move independently across stages like *To Do*, *In Progress*, *Testing*, and *Completed*. This approach supports consistent improvement, transparency in task flow, and early feedback integration.

6.1 Justification

- Allows incremental delivery without fixed iteration cycles.
- Ideal for projects requiring regular Requirement Provider input and evolving priorities.
- Improves efficiency through visual workflow tracking and load balancing.
- Reduces bottlenecks and supports multiple active development tasks.

7 Tools and Technologies

We will use MERN stack for Namal Complaint Management System Website. Tools and Technologies are given below.

- **Frontend:** React/Next.js will be used for frontend development.
- **Backend:** Node, Express will be used for Backend Development.
- **Database:** MongoDB / PostgreSQL will be used as Database.
- **Authentication:** JWT (JSON WEB TOKEN)
- **Cloud Storage:** Cloudinary
- **Visualization and Task Management:** Github
- **Version Control and Deployment:** Github and Vercel
- **Design and Documentation:** LaTeX and Figma

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