

MUTUAL NON-DISCLOSURE AGREEMENT

(Confidentiality Agreement)

This **Non-Disclosure Agreement** (the "Agreement") is entered into as of this _____ day of _____, 2025, by and between:

PARTY A: Team IIC SIT, representing the Institutions Innovation Council at Sinhgad Institute of Technology, Lonavala, Pune - 410401 (hereinafter referred to as the "Disclosing Party").

AND

PARTY B: cBlackhole Infiverse LLP, having its registered office at: Kali Gali, 176/1410, Rd Number 3, near Hathi Circle, above Bright Connection, Motilal Nagar II, Goregaon West, Mumbai, Maharashtra 400104 (hereinafter referred to as the "Receiving Party").

1 Purpose

The Parties wish to explore a potential business relationship and collaboration regarding **Project ASCEND** (Autonomous Survey & Computation in GPS-Denied Environments) for the **ISRO Robotics Challenge - URSC 2026**. In connection with this, the Disclosing Party may share confidential technical, financial, and strategic information.

2 Definition of Confidential Information

"Confidential Information" shall include, but is not limited to:

- Detailed System Architecture, circuit schematics, and hardware configurations.
- Proprietary algorithms for ROS 2 Humble, Gazebo simulations, and SLAM point-cloud generation.
- Specific sensor selections, AI model architectures (Coral TPU delegates), and the Itemized Bill of Materials (BOM).
- Any information marked "Confidential" or which under the circumstances should reasonably be understood to be confidential.

3 Obligations of Receiving Party

The Receiving Party shall:

- a) Hold the Confidential Information in strict confidence and use it only for the purpose of evaluating the proposed collaboration.
- b) Restrict access to the Confidential Information to employees or advisors who need to know such information for the specified purpose and who are bound by confidentiality obligations.
- c) Not disclose, publish, or otherwise reveal any portion of the Confidential Information to any third party without prior written consent from Team IIC SIT.

4 Exclusions

Confidential Information does not include information that is: (i) already known to the Receiving Party; (ii) in the public domain through no fault of the Receiving Party; (iii) received from a third party without breach of any obligation of confidentiality; or (iv) independently developed by the Receiving Party.

5 Term and Termination

This Agreement shall remain in effect for a period of **two (2) years** from the date of disclosure. Either party may terminate this Agreement with 30 days' written notice, but confidentiality obligations shall survive for the remainder of the term.

6 Governing Law

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of India. Any disputes shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts in **Mumbai/Pune**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first above written.

For Team IIC SIT (Party A)

Name: Yash Kamble
Title: Team Lead
Date:

For cBlackhole Infiverse LLP (Party B)

Name:
Title:
Date: