#### 1. Definitions:

- (a) "Rules" refers to this "Pravega Innovation Summit 2023 Rules" document only, except if explicitly indicated otherwise.
- (b) "Competition" refers to the Pravega Innovation Summit 2023 Competition at Pravega 2023.
- (c) "Organisers" refer to the competition's organising committee.

### 2. Eligibility:

- (a) Participations are team-wise; each team can consist of a **maximum** of 5 people (individual participation is also allowed).
- (b) Individual Eligibility: The event is open to everyone who satisfies the following conditions:
  - Individual candidates should have a minimum age of 15 (as of 31 October 2023) and can have a maximum age of 28 (as of 31 October 2023)
  - Must not have participated in the event before.

### 3. Registration:

- (a) Candidates who wish to participate must register themselves at the Pravega website.
- (b) The participants, after registration, will be circulated a Google form which needs to be filled out within 1 week after the closure of the website registration portal
- (c) At the time of registration, the student has to certify, using the registration form, that they will:
  - o Adhere to the rules of the competition.
  - o Provide proof of identity when prompted.

# 4. Submission of entries (for prelims):

A Google Form will be sent after registration to upload Pitch-Deck and the link for the video.

- (a) Entries can be submitted as a text file, video or a combination of text and video. The size limit for each mode of entry is as follows:
  - o Pitch-Deck: Presentation giving an overview of the products, services, and growth traction.

# Pitch-Deck + Video: Video with a time limit of 5 minutes uploaded on YouTube (private link to be shared).

- (b) The entries must be the participating team's original work and should not infringe the intellectual property or propriety rights of any third party, without limitation, any third-party patents, copyrights or trademarks.
- (c) Organisers shall not disclose any of the Confidential Information in any manner whatsoever except when judging the entries. They shall hold and maintain the Confidential Information in the strictest confidence.

# 5. Competition:

(a) The selected teams will be promoted to the final competition, whose details will be shared after the screening round.

# 6. Scoring:

- (a) Grading and scoring decisions are final, and no correspondence from the participants will be entertained.
- (b) The marking scheme will remain confidential unless the organisers decide otherwise.

#### 7. Results:

- (a) The organisers reserve the right to perform statistical analysis on results by location and rely on other reasonable means to identify suspected irregularities.
- (b) Wherever the organisers find that a team has broken one of the Rules, they retain the right to disqualify the team.
- (c) Where a team has previously been disqualified, the organisers reserve the right to refuse registration for future competitions by that team.

#### 8. Prizes:

Event has a Prize Pool of 4lakhs.

### 9. Miscellaneous:

- a) The Organizers may, without notice, amend the Rules at any time by posting an amended version on the Competition website.
- b) All submitted responses must be in English unless otherwise specified.
- c) Important dates will be updated on the website.
- d) If you have any other questions or clarifications, you can contact us at pis.pravega@gmail.com.