MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MoU)

Providence Women's College, Malaparamba, Kozhikode

and

ICAR-Indian Institute of Spices Research, Kozhikode

This agreement is made on this 14th day of August 2017, by and between Providence Women's College (Reaccredited with 'A' Grade by NAAC), Malaparamba, Kozhikode, and granted College with Potential for Excellence, status, by the UGC

and ICAR-Indian Institute of Spices Research, Kozhikode, a constituent body of Indian Council of Agricultural research (ICAR) under Department of Agricultural Research and Education, Ministry of Agriculture and Farmers' Welfare devoted to research on spices.

Areas if consensus:

The Agreement shall include, but not be limited to, the following types of collaborations:

- (a) Joint educational, training and/or research activities
- (b) Exchange of invitations to scholars (faculty, research personnel, and graduate students) for lectures, visits and sharing of experiences.
- (c) Exchange of invitations to scholars for participation in conferences, symposia and seminars.
- (d) Exchange of information in fields of interest to both parties.
- (e) Exchange of faculty, research personnel, post graduate and undergone students for study and research as per existing norms of both the parties.
- (f) Practical training in pre-identified or otherwise selected field site as per existing norms of both the parties

Obligations/Responsibilities of the Parties:

- (a) Both sides will maintain ongoing communication and circulate essential information in a timely manner.
- (b) Each party acts on its own behalf in all relations with a third party. Neither party will be responsible for any outside commitments of the other party.

This MoU shall become effective on the date it is signed by the parties and shall be valid for three years extendable up to five years. Both parties shall review the status of the MoU at the end of each three/five year period to determine any modification, whenever necessary. The period of validity of this MoU may be extended by mutual consent up to five years. This MoU may be amended by mutual written agreement and may be terminated at any time by either party upon written notification signed by the competent authority of the party initiating termination. Such notification must be given to the other party at least six months in advance from the effective date of termination.

No amendment or modification of the MoU shall be valid unless the same is made in writing both the parties or their authorized representatives and specifically stating the same to be amendment of the MoU. The modifications/changes shall become part o the MoU and shall be effective from the date on which they are made/executed, unless otherwise agreed to.

In witness of, the parties hereto have caused this agreement to be executed by their duly authorized representatives in two counterparts, each of which shall be deemed as original, as of the day and year first above written.

For and behalf of	For and behalf of
Providence Women's College, Malaparamba, Kozhikode, Signature Name Designation PROVIDENCE WOMEN'S COLLEGE Date: 14.08:2017 Calicut - 673 009 WITNESS Name & Signature Dr. Minoo Divakavan Designation Assistant Professor Providence Women's College Kozhikode 673009	ICAR-Indian Institute of Spices Research, Kozhikode Signature Name Designation Designation Designation Date: (५ १ indian Institute of Spices Research Indian Institute Indian Institute of Spices Research Indian Institute