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#### **PREFACE**

Life expectancy of those few who survive will be much shorter than what we have now. This is something we all agree to avoid. The students who are in schools and colleges now are to be the enlightened leaders of immediate tomorrow. Our national educational authorities, as in most developed countries, therefore insist that every student in our country should learn how damages to the environment occur and how to avoid such situations, emphasizing more on possible remedial measures. This green education should start from schools and colleges, and the insistence on Green Audit of higher education institutions on an annual basis is to make students and staff well informed of the extent of 'ecological footprints' each one creates, as well as on which areas one should concentrate to make his or her environs greener than before. The 2022-23 Energy Audit Report of SS MARGOL DEGREE COLLEGE, SHAHABAD-585228, Karnataka, is prepared in such a manner that it can educate every concerned member of this institution, on the major contributors tending to destroy and on every step helpful to restoration leading to further an ideal energy efficient institution status. A brief presentation of the contents of this report by the teachers to the other stakeholders would help in getting every one of them to start taking further steps to achieve a 'Ideal Green Energy Institutional campus directly and hence the region indirectly.



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## SS MARGOL DEGREE COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE SHAHABAD-585228.

#### **VISION**

To Preserve and Promote the finer innate qualities of a STUDENTS, then Citizens of our Nation for the eternal Human Values, the rich heritage of our Nation, to equip with her with knowledge and skills to meet the regional and global challenges with confidence. Apart from this, intends to be a transformational leader Environmental Education & its awareness, facilitating with day to day happenings and routine practices, the full flowering of Life in Abundance

#### **MISSION**

The institution's Mission is to infuse the Ethical, Moral and Social Values to disseminate the unfolding and sensitizing the integrated personality of Womanhood. Providing and promoting the apt education to empower and assimilate all the innate human qualities to face the National and Global Challenges with confidence, apart from the sustainable livings, ensuring a learning environment of creativity, Adventure of ideas with Constant innovation, and State of the art Technique, Information &

**Communication Technology** 

## SS MARGOL DEGREE COLLEGE OF ARTS, SCIENCE & COMMERCE SHAHABAD-585 228. (KARNATAKA)

#### **EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This Report presents the results of Green Auditing conducted at SS MARGOL DEGREE COLLEGE, SHAHABAD, was established in the year 1967, and is affiliated to Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi. It offers three years Degree Courses in Arts, Science, Commerce, to Award of Bachelor Degree from the said University. The College with NAAC Accredited B Grade and has been co-educational since its establishment. Established by the Hyderabad Karnataka Eduation Society, Kalaburgi.

Account the Green/Energy/Enviro Auditing, is mutually respected with THE GREEN AUDIT are related to all the students, employees and administrators; Green Auditing is far less familiar to all stakeholders including students and general public. It is most of the time capable of evoking several doubts and misunderstandings on its need as well as on the methodology. Yet, Green Auditing is not to be understood as another name for ecological or environmental auditing. It is much broader and encompasses audit of the following aspects of an institution's normal functioning: Use of Water, Energy, Renewable and other Nature's Resources etc. and the state of Health (of all related persons), Environmental Quality, Transportation & Communication as well as assessment on Accessibility for differently-able, Gender Justice and Carbon Footprint, it leaves through all activities over a year. Green denotes a world full of all living beings human, animals, insects and plants as well as all the useful and harmful micro-organisms that can go on forever in peace, happiness and equity. Teachers play an undeniable role in imparting knowledge to the students and the nature of future living on this planet is shaped by their hands. Hence, teachers are in a position to facilitate knowledge and promote the learners to achieve better awareness about what is happening in and around them. Teachers as professionals and influential individuals, supported by the managements of institutions, can play an important role in shaping up students' attitude through training and parading them to be the role models in their communities. Educational Institutions thus can offer an ideal service in molding the young minds in their impressionable age, towards promoting the health of nature, understanding the underlying causes of climate change and its impacts, and the conditions required to be maintained for sustaining life on earth. Green Audit is, therefore to make the entire

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college and the society understand through the trained students, as to how heavy is their carbon footprint, and help search for remediation and make their campuses and living surroundings 'as green as' one can make it. It is also in search of newer ways to climb up the ladder through continuous efforts in search of the green shade in appreciating their responsible behavior and admire the novel ways in which the campus team has strived to achieve their "shade of green". Green audit can also be a useful tool for a college to know how and where they are using the most energy, water and other Nature's resources. The college can thus plan for the needed changes and ensure savings. It can also be used to improvise their waste minimization strategy. Green auditing and the implementation of mitigation measures will be a win-win situation for the college, the learners and the planet. It can also create health consciousness and promote awareness on environment, ethics and values. Green auditing in such a situation, it is only logical that the college evaluate its own contributions toward a sustainable future for all. As environmental sustainability is becoming an increasingly important issue for the nation, the role of higher educational institutions in relation to

Environmental sustainability is more apparent. Over a period, the green culture will pervade the society. In this College, the Green Audit process involved the creation of a student volunteer corps in the form of Green Guardians Club and an audit team with students, teachers, members from Administration, as well as a team of experts who have practiced greening for years including energy and environmental auditors and ecological administrators, through the Nature's and Earth Matters Green Foundation and other related team with the motto 'engineering green solutions'. The results showed that the austere ways of the college, with the cycles of green audits conducted, have helped in identifying opportunities for a number of refuse, recover, reuse, and recycle strategies for wastes as well as for increased energy efficiency and renewable energy use. The carbon footprint in 2021 is only at a very low level, which is less with the national benchmark. A more concrete strategy for students to interact with the communities around them and help them for building resiliency could be developed in the face of onslaughts from climate change and natural calamities on our EARTH, which is only one.

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Bhupavan Energy & Enviro **Projects Pvt Limited & ARC Power Generation Limited** 

Dated: 21.02.2023

### On behalf of Green Foundation's Green Auditing Team, very much thankful to:

prof: Kankappa Bilav, Principal, SS Margol Degree College, Shahabad-585 228.

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Sri SB Chanpally, Chief Engineer (Retd-KPCL); Bidar.

Smt: Sonali V M, M.Tech (Mech) Lecturer, Panchasheel Polytechnic College, Raj <sub>Rajeshwari</sub> Nagar, Bengaluru.

Sri: MG Kalekar, Manager (Retd), ACC Wadi.

The Photographer, Gardener, the respective care taker of RO water Unit and Nature Lovers among the College, Teaching & Non Teaching staff & the students.

**Table** 

SI No	ELECTRICAL ENERGY CONSUMING DEVICES	Quantity
1	COMPUTERS	34
2	FANS	70
	NORMAL TUBE LIGHTS	55
	LED TUBE LIGHTS	16
	LED BULBS	18
	NORMAL BBULBS	5 0
	PROJECTOR	
	ELECTRIC GENERATOR	2
	CCTV SET WITH ACCESSORIES OF 28	1
)	SOLAR GARDEN TOWER WITH BATTERY	3
	SOLAR GARDEN TOWER WITHOUT BATTERY	7
2	BATTERYS	2
	INVERTOR	1

The GESCOM Bill=Rs 4484.00 for Nov-2022; Rs 5238.00 for Dec-2022 & Rs 5017.00 for Jan-2023 Average is Rs 4913 for three months & more than 60000.00 per annum

#### **ENERGY AUDIT**

Year by year, the electrical energy of this college and Sustainability Audit identified immediate and no cost, low cost and high cost options that can be pursued in above Table. The College Authorities has advised to be act continuously on the first two opportunities during the year 2022-23, which are as follows:

- 1. Minimise the phantom load in the electrical system. Immediate returns will come with practically no investment. Replace the existing multiple units of UPS system for computers by properly optimized single unit UPS system.
- 2. Replace existing ordinary tube lights and CFLs with LED lights in the Guest House and in the Hostels. Bring down the consumption without reducing illumination levels or human comfort.

Phantom load is the energy that will be measured by energy meters, even when the equipment is out of use. Computers, LCD projectors, Printers, Photostat machines, Fridges, TV units etc. which are normally hooked to the power line all the 24 hours, may be active only for part of the day. When not in use, unless they are isolated by switching off (not stopping by remote electronic controls), a small percentage of the full load will still be consumed and felt by the energy meter.

Most of them were under-loaded and idled for hours every day. Also, the batteries were old and very weak. Failure of any one UPS unit used to totally disable the devices connected to it, till it is set right. With the suggested new system, a single unit of sufficient capacity is connected in parallel mode to all the user outlets.

The following housekeeping measures required for achieving the cited gains were introduced during the Audit year:

- a) Displayed stickers to switch off equipment like Computers, Printers, Photocopiers, etc.— when not required; also to isolate them from power supply, whenever possible.
- b) Maintenance schedules for switchboards and distribution boards prepared and followed.

c) Log Books for recording energy consumption, extent of power failures and running of standby generators were introduced.

d). Meters for sub-units for monitoring monthly energy consumption in every building to be Implemented in the immediate future

The college has its electrical installations in the various depts of the building and facilities and the connected load exceeds 33 KW, as indicated in Table above. The electrical energy consumption takes place during normal, peak time and off-peak time differently in different sub-areas. Electricity used is charged according to the energy charges. Which is on an average of more than Rs 60000.00 per year is made up of energy consumption during three tariff regimes – normal, peak and off-peak. Major part of it is as energy charges. Cost based on the maximum demand is not high in comparison. So, reducing consumption can bring in large reduction in carbon footprint. As three fourth of the charges are for kWh consumed, 'energy conservation' potential remains high. If demand can be restricted within the 'contract demand' limit (in kW), the demand charge component of electricity bill every month will remain predictable.

#### **Energy Efficiency tips:**

The next attractive opportunity in the path of greening through energy management is the replacement of fluorescent tubes (1200 mm or 4 ft) and compact fluorescent lamps (CFLs). At present the buildings have some number of ordinary four feet tubes. Reduction in Carbon Footprint will arise due to electrical energy being saved by using LED tubes that require only less electricity for giving the same level of illumination. In this case, 20 W LED tubes can be used instead of 40 W ordinary tubes. 40 W tubes with magnetic choke and starter used to need 56 W (power) to light up. So, savings per tube will be 36 W.

In addition, recommend to replace all the Bulbs with tubes of 4' for older & inefficient lighting devices (other than tubes) during the year. This also helped in bringing down the carbon footprint. On a rough estimate, the energy consumed by these all the lamps has been reduced to half and the heat radiating from such lamps has

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also gone down considerably, giving a greener environment

#### **ENERGY CONSUMPTION BILL FROM GESCOM FOR 3 MONTHS**

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#### **ENERGY AUDIT**

[Referred documents: The information furnished by the staff
Prof: Basavaraj Hiremath of Dept of Chemistry of the College, Photographs and
my personnel visit to the premises on 30th January 2023]

### ENERGY CONSUMPTION BY VERTUE OF WHICH ITS IS MANDATORY IN AND OUT FOR THE COLLEGE PREMISES.

SI	Particulars	Nos	Watts consumption	Time in	Total	Remarks
No				hours/day	watts	
1	Bore Pump for	1	1X1000=1000	3	3000	
	Lifting					
2	Fridge	1	1X1000=1000	8	8000	
3	Computers	14	14X100=1400	3	4200	
4	All Kinds of Fans	70	70X60=4200	4	16800	
5	Printer/Scanners	4	4X1000=4000	0.5	2000	
6	LED/Tubes/bulbs	34	34X15=510	2	1020	
7	Projector	4	4X500=500	2	1000	
8	Other	10	10X50=500	4	2000	
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	Total	138	13110	26.50	38020	
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Total Consumption considering 250 WD in the year is 380.20 KW per day

**Conclusion:** There is a less power consumption in the college premises. As compared o 1010 KW the National average and that of the college average 827.90

Recommendation: Use always the BEE STAR Marked electrical equipments for the less

consumption with higher efficiency.



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#### **ENERGY AUDIT CERTIFICATE**

This is to certify that the GREEN FOUNDATION (R), has conducted the Energy Audit its Resources and their compensation related to optimum use from all conventional & non conventional resources for the Campus of SS Margol Degree College of Arts, Science & Commerce, Shahabad-585228, Kalaburagi District of Karnataka State, for the year 2022-23.

The Energy Audit for the, reviews of data and implementation of measures by our Audit Team was done.

The implementation of Green Measures by the Management, Faculties and students, environmental sustainability is partially commendable and satisfactory.

This audit is conducted to ensure that a Energy Policy is followed and implemented in the campus across all academic and non-academic departments and the need for individual efforts in perpetuating green living habits among the students

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and college related people.

21st February 2023.

Place: KALABURAGI

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General Secretary.

For: Green Foundation;

**Energy & Environment Consultant** 

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Bhupavan Energy & Enviro Projects Pvt Limited & ARC Power Generation Limited.

I agree with the data presented in this report, as true, and further express my willingness to implement the recommendations of this audit report after internal review, even if any or many of them are in excess of the relevant mandates.

Principal, Date: 21-02-2023. College of Arts, Sc. College o

PRINCIPAL

H.K.E.S. S.S. Margol College
of Arts, Science & Commerce,
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#### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

#### **Next Audit**

In order to promote continuous improvement it is recommended to conduct the next green auditing during the year 2023-24.

#### **PHOTO GALLERY**







