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Name of Policy	Policy for Clean Energy Technology (SDG-7) at Sri Sri University	Department Responsible	Executive Registrar
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Policy Statement:

Sri Sri University is committed to sustainability and the achievement of Sustainable Development Goal 7 (SDG-7), which aims to ensure access to affordable, reliable, sustainable, and modern energy for all. This policy outlines our commitment to clean energy technology and the steps we will take to promote its adoption within our university.

Objectives:

- Transition to Clean Energy Sources: Sri Sri University will work towards reducing its carbon footprint by transitioning to cleaner and renewable energy sources, such as solar, wind, and hydropower, for our energy needs.
- 2. Energy Efficiency: We will implement energy-efficient technologies and practices across campus to reduce energy consumption and improve resource utilization.
- Awareness and Education: Sri Sri University will actively engage and educate our students, faculty, and staff about the importance of clean energy technology, sustainability, and responsible energy use.
- Research and Innovation: We will promote research and innovation in clean energy technologies, encouraging collaboration between students, faculty, and external partners.

Partnerships:

We will seek partnerships and collaborations with government agencies, non-governmental organizations, and industry partners to enhance our efforts in clean energy technology.

Policy Guidelines:

Energy Audit: Conduct regular energy audits to assess energy consumption and identify opportunities for improvement.

Renewable Energy Installation: Install renewable energy systems, such as solar panels and wind turbines, on campus to generate clean energy.

Energy-Efficient Infrastructure: Construct and renovate buildings to meet energy-efficient standards, including the use of sustainable materials and designs.

Education and Training: Incorporate courses and workshops on clean energy technology into the curriculum to educate students on sustainable practices.

Awareness Campaigns: Organize awareness campaigns, seminars, and events to promote clean energy technology and encourage behavioral change.

Research Grants: Provide grants and incentives for faculty and students to conduct research in clean energy technology and sustainable practices.

Collaboration: Collaborate with local communities, government bodies, and industry partners to share knowledge and resources for clean energy projects.

Monitoring and Reporting: Implement a monitoring and reporting system to track progress in reducing energy consumption and increasing clean energy adoption.

Resource Allocation: Allocate sufficient resources, both financial and human, to support the implementation of clean energy initiatives.

Review and Update: Periodically review and update this policy to align with advancements in clean energy technology and changing sustainability goals.

Responsibility: The Sustainability Committee at Sri Sri University will oversee the implementation and monitoring of this policy. Each department and faculty member will be responsible for incorporating clean energy principles into their practices and research.

Compliance: Non-compliance with this policy may result in corrective actions, including awareness and training sessions, and, in severe cases, disciplinary measures.

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