Policy on Monitoring IUCN and other Conservation Species

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Kalasalingam Academy of Research and Education (KARE) – Policy on Monitoring and Conservation of IUCN and Other Protected Species

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Preamble

India has launched its updated biodiversity action plan, with a goal of protecting at least 30 per cent of its terrestrial, inland water, and coastal and marine areas by 2030, in line with global biodiversity targets. Kalasalingam Academy of Research and Education (KARE) also aimed to contribute to the conservation efforts of species listed by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) and other designated protected species.



Application

This Policy applies to all the students, staff and visitors

Purpose

Contribute to the conservation efforts of species listed by the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN) and other designated protected species.

Policy Monitoring and Reporting:

KARE will actively monitor the status and trends of species listed by the IUCN and other designated protected species.

Collaboration with IUCN: The organization will collaborate with the IUCN and other relevant conservation bodies to stay informed about updates, recommendations, and guidelines related to the conservation of listed species.

Data Collection and Research: Establish and support research programs focused on the biology, ecology, and population dynamics of IUCN-listed and other protected species within the organization's jurisdiction.

Habitat Preservation: Ensure the preservation and restoration of natural habitats crucial for the survival of IUCN-listed and other protected species.

Education and Awareness: Develop and implement educational programs to raise awareness among staff, stakeholders, and the community about the importance of conserving IUCN-listed and other protected species.

Compliance with Laws and Regulations: GU will comply with all relevant local, national, and international laws and regulations related to the protection and conservation of IUCN-listed and other designated protected species.

Mitigation Measures: Implement measures to mitigate potential impacts on IUCN-listed and other protected species arising from organizational activities.

Community Engagement: Engage with local communities to promote the conservation of IUCN-listed and other protected species, encouraging sustainable practices and responsible interactions.

Policy Review and Compliance

This policy will undergo an annual review by the members appointed by the University to assess its effectiveness and incorporate feedback from the stakeholders, students and faculties. Revisions will be made whenever needed to adapt to new IUCN implemented rules, technological advances and institutional needs.

Conclusion

KARE collaborate with academic institutions, NGOs, and governmental bodies to foster research partnerships aimed at enhancing the understanding and conservation of IUCN-listed and other protected species.

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