DIRECTORATE OF EMPLOYMENT & CRAFTSMEN TRAINING (STRIVE)

INTERNAL AUDIT REPORT

FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST OCTOBER'2020 TO 31ST MARCH'2021

HEAD OFFICE

A.K. AZAD ROAD REHABARI Guwahati- 781008

AUDITORS



SPRK & CO.

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- G-11, Bhavya Residency Near Lakhdatar Hotel Khatushyamji, Sikar- 332602 Rajasthan

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PART-1-Executive Summary

<u>SCOPE</u>

We have conducted the internal audit assignment of Directorate of Employment & Craftsmen Training (STRIVE) in terms of the appointment letter issued to us. The time period covered by the audit is from 1st October'2020 to 31st March'2021. Audit procedures performed are designed to evaluate the adequacy, efficiency and effectiveness of the Company's internal control processes.

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Audit work was conducted on the basis of enquiry, observation, confirmation and verification of supporting documentation and identified processes.

It is an inherent limitation that accounting and internal control systems cannot provide management with conclusive evidence that objectives are reached due to the following reasons:

- There is a potential human error due to carelessness, distraction, mistakes of judgments and misunderstanding of instructions.
- The possibility that a person responsible for exercising an internal control could abuse that responsibility.
- That possibility of circumventing of internal controls through the collusion of a member of management or an employee inside or an outside entity
- The possibility that the procedures may become inadequate due to changes in conditions, and compliance with the procedures may deteriorate.

MANAGEMENT RESPONSIBILITIES IN TERMS OF GOVERNANCE, RISK AND CONTROLS

Management is responsible for the establishment and maintenance of effective systems of governance to:

- Promote appropriate ethics and values within the department;
- Ensure effective organizational performance management and accountability;
- Communicate risk and control information appropriate areas in the department; and

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• Coordinate the activities of and communication of information by external and internal auditors and management.

Management is further responsible for the establishment and maintenance of an effective system of internal control and risk management. The objectives of the system of internal control are, inter alia, to provide management withreasonable, but not absolute, assurance that:

- Objectives are achieved;
- Financial and operational information are reliable;
- Operations and programs are effective and efficient;
- Assets are safeguarded;
- Laws, regulations, policies, procedures and contracts are compiled with; and
- Risks are identified, appropriate risk responses selected, communicated and managed.

The principal safeguard against fraud, misstatement and irregularities is an effective system of internal control. It must, however, be recognized that there are inherent limitations in any system of internal control including management override, human error and circumventions through collusion. The prevention and detection of fraud is therefore management's responsibility. Management representations made are considered to form part of our audit evidence. Any management representations will be accepted on face value and in good faith. We will not perform detailed procedures to verify the accuracy, validity or completeness of the representations.

APPRECIATION

We thank the management for their cooperation in conduct of this audit. Should there be any clarifications the management is free to revert to us.

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PART-2 – OBSERVATIONS

- i) Manual Attendance Register/Biometric Attendance not maintained for payment of Salary to the staffs due to which present/leave details of the staffs cannot be checked.
- ii) Professional Tax has been regularly deducted by the Management on salary payment but deposits of the same has not been made. The Management should comply with the Statutory Obligations strictly to avoid any late fee/penalty/interest imposed by the tax authority.
- iii) An amount of Rs. 896646/- has been incurred for Repairing /Renovation of Class Rooms, Approach Road, Firefighting Works etc. at ITI Dibrugarh in which only Running Account Bill has been submitted by the Party. Tax Invoice has not been produced for verification. As the Party registered under GST (GST No. 18BLAPK2707G1ZE) as regular taxpayer, tax invoice should mandatorily be submitted by the Party.
- iv) Labour Cess deducted of amount Rs. 8966/- in the Bill of Kushal Kakati for Repairing /Renovation of Class Rooms, Approach Road, Firefighting Works etc. at ITI Dibrugarh has not been paid. The Management should comply with the Statutory Obligations strictly to avoid any late fee/penalty/interest imposed by the Labour Department.

For S P R K & CO. Chartered Accountants FRN: 321080E

(NIRAJ AGARWALLA) PARTNER Membership No. 310895 UDIN: 22310895AQMTWO7126

Place : Guwahati Date : 31st August'2022

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DIRECTORATE OF EMPLOYMENT & CRAFTSMEN TRAINING GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST OCTOBER' 2020 TO 31ST MARCH' 2021

LIABILITIES			ASSETS		
PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	AMOUNT	PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	AMOUNT
GENERAL FUND Opening Balance	25603733.00		Fixed Assets (As per Schedule-II)		NIL
Add: Surplus transferred from I/E A/c Current Liabilities (As per Schedule-I)	27215247.00	52818980.00 137,977.00	Loans & Advances (As per Schedule-III)		NIL
			Cash & Bank Balance Cash in Hand Cash at Bank Bank of India (A/c No:500510110003642)	NIL	52956957.00
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(NIRAJ AGARWALLA) Partner Membership No. 310895

Place : Guwahati Date : 31st August' 2022 Joint Director, Emplyment & Craftsmen Training, Govt. of Assam

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SCHEDULES OF BALANCE SHEET

SCHEDULE-I

Details of Current Liabilities

PARTICULARS	01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021	
Salary Payable	NIL 17 022 00	
GST TDS	17,932.00	
Labour Cess	8,966.00	
Forest Royalty	5,643.00	
Income Tax TDS	9,107.00	
Professional Tax	6,664.00	
Security Deposit (Kushal Kakati)	89,665.00	
TOTAL	137,977.00	

SCHEDULE-II

Details of Fixed Assets

PARTICULARS	01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
Computer Furniture	NIL NIL
TOTAL	NIL

SCHEDULE-III

Details of Loans & Advances

PARTICULARS	01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
Fund Transferred to ITI's	NIL
TOTAL	NIL

INCOME & EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST OCTOBER' 2020 TO 31ST MARCH' 2021

EXPENDITUR	E		INCOME		
PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	AMOUNT	PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	AMOUNT
To Salary & Remuneration		667584.00	By Fund Received during the year (As per Annexure-III)		28400000.00
" Repair & Renovation of Classroom, Approach Road etc. at ITI Dibrugarh		896646.00	" Bank Interest		379477.00
" Procurement of Fixed Assets (As per Annexure-IV)		NIL			
" Bank Charges		NIL			
" Surplus transferred to Balance Sheet		27215247.00			
		28779477.00			28779477.00

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DETAILS OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT

ANNEXURE-III

Details of Fund Received

PARTICULARS		01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
RA-1		28,400,000.00 NIL
RA-2 RA-4		NIL NIL
	TOTAL	28,400,000.00

ANNEXURE-IV

Details of Procurement of Fixed Assets

PARTICULARS		01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
Computer Furniture		NIL NIL
	TOTAL	NIL

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RECEIPTS & PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE PERIOD FROM 1ST OCTOBER' 2020 TO 31ST MARCH' 2021

RECEIPTS			PAYMENTS		
PARTICULARS	AMOUNT	AMOUNT	PARTICULARS AMO		AMOUNT
Opeing Balance:					
Cash in Hand	NIL		Salary & Remuneration		738552.00
Cash at Bank					
Bank of India (A/c No:500510110003642)	25681365.00	25681365.00	Repair & Renovation of Classroom,		
			Approach Road etc. at ITI Dibrugarh		765333.00
Fund Received		28400000.00			
(As per Annexure-I)			Procurement of Fixed Assets		NIL
			(As per Annexure-II)		
Bank Interest		379477.00			
			Closing Balance:		
			Cash in Hand	NIL	
			<u>Cash at Bank</u>		
			Bank of India (A/c No:500510110003642)	52956957.00	52956957.00
		54460842.00			54460842.00

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Training, Assam, Rehaban, Guwahal-

DETAILS OF RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT

ANNEXURE-I

Details of Fund Received

PARTICULARS		01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
RA-1 RA-2 RA-4		28,400,000.00 NIL NIL
	TOTAL	28,400,000.00

ANNEXURE-II

Details of Procurement of Fixed Assets

PARTICULARS	01.10.2020 TO 31.03.2021
Computer Furniture	NIL NIL
TOTAL	NIL

BANK RECONCILIATION STATEMENT AS AT 31ST MARCH, 2021

S.]	No.	Particulars	Amount(Rs.)
1		Bank Balance as per Cash Book as on 31.03.2021 Bank of India, Savings Account No. 500510110003642 Dispur Branch, Guwahati	NIL 52,956,957.00
2	a.	<u>Add</u> <u>Cheques issued but not encashed in the Bank</u> : <u>Cheque No Date Amount</u> NIL	52,956,957.00
	a.	<u>Less</u> <u>Cheques deposited but not encashed in the Bank</u> : <u>Cheque No</u> <u>Date</u> <u>Amount</u> NIL Sub Total- 2 (a-b)	
3		Bank Balance as per Cash Book as on 31.03.2021 Bank of India, Savings Account No. 500510110003642 Dispur Branch, Guwahati	NIL 52,956,957.00
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DIRECTORATE OF EMPLOYMENT & CRAFTSMEN TRAINING GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM PROCUREMENT AUDIT REPORT AS AT 31ST MARCH' 2021

S.N	Itineraries ensured by Auditors	Compliance fromAuditors (yes/No)	Comment of auditor in case of variation in detail
1.	Goods and services financed have been procured in accordance with the relevant financing agreement and procurement norms as laid out in the operations manual;	Yes	Nil
2.	Procurement processes being followedat the ITIs, ICs and State Societies are as per Procurement Guidelines under STRIVE project as per para 4.2 of theOM.	Yes	Nil
3.	Any procurement related complaints received, and time taken in disposal of each such complaint, and verifying that No contracts excluded from the Programhave been awarded.	Yes	Nil
4.	Contract Award Notice (CAN) as per applicable formats (Competitive selection, Request for quotations, Direct Selection) are uploaded on website/public domain against of each of the completed procurement (applicable in case of LOA/contract issued)	Yes	Nil
5.	Any other section reviewed on procurement	No	Nil

Note: Observation As Part -II of Auditor's Report Should be followed.

For SPRK&CO. **Chartered** Accountants FRN: 321080E (CA NIRAJ AGARWAL PARTNER

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