

Office of the Vice Chancellor Ashoka University

Subject: Formal Declaration of Carbon Reduction Target

To the Faculty, Staff, Students, and Extended Community of Ashoka University,

As we continue to advance our mission of providing world-class education and fostering cuttingedge research, we remain equally committed to the cause of environmental sustainability. In reflection of our institutional values and responsibility towards the planet, we have closely monitored and recorded our greenhouse gas emissions over the years.

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This declaration underlines our pledge to implement robust sustainability practices and to promote a culture of environmental consciousness within our community. We look forward to working collaboratively with all stakeholders to develop and deploy innovative strategies that will guide us toward this target. Through our concerted efforts, we shall strive to contribute positively to the global endeavour of climate action.

We acknowledge the challenges that lie ahead, but we remain resolute in our commitment to this vital cause.

Sincerely,

Vice Chancellor Ashoka University

Date 23.2.24