Sri Balaji Society's



BALAJI LAW COLLEGE (BLC) - PUNE

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# **Policy on Environment**

### 1. Introduction:

Balaji Law College is committed to fostering a sustainable and eco-friendly environment within its campus and the surrounding community. This policy outlines the various environmental initiatives that the college will undertake to promote a greener and cleaner campus while educating and engaging students in sustainable practices.

### 2. Plantation of Trees:

2.1. The college will establish a dedicated Tree Plantation Committee responsible for selecting and planting a diverse range of trees, including fruit-bearing trees like starfruit and avocado, across the campus.

2.2. The Tree Plantation Committee will ensure proper care and maintenance of the planted trees to ensure their healthy growth.

### 3. Regular Cleanliness Drives:

3.1. The college will organize regular cleanliness drives involving students, faculty, and staff to clean the campus premises and nearby areas.

3.2. These drives will be conducted on a monthly basis and will focus on waste collection, segregation, and proper disposal.

### 4. Swachchata Campaign:

4.1. The college will actively participate in the national Swachchata (Cleanliness) campaign, contributing to the larger goal of a clean and green India.

4.2. Awareness sessions, workshops, and rallies will be organized to educate the students about the importance of maintaining cleanliness and hygiene.

### 5. Promotion of Sustainable Transportation:

5.1. In an effort to reduce carbon emissions and traffic congestion, students will be encouraged to opt for eco-friendly modes of transportation, such as bicycles or public transport.

5.2. Students are requested to refrain from using 4-wheelers within the campus premises.

### 6. Waste Management:

6.1. The college will implement an efficient waste management system that includes waste segregation into categories like recyclable, organic, and non-recyclable waste.

6.2. Recycling bins will be strategically placed across the campus to promote proper waste disposal.

# 7. Energy Conservation:

7.1. The college will undertake energy-saving measures such as installing energy-efficient lighting, promoting the use of natural light, and minimizing unnecessary energy consumption.

7.2. Awareness campaigns and workshops will be conducted to educate students and staff about the importance of conserving energy.

## 8. Green Initiatives in Events:

8.1. All college events, seminars, and workshops will strive to minimize paper usage by promoting digital communication and documentation.

8.2. If printed materials are necessary, recycled paper will be used.

### 9. Student Involvement:

9.1. The college will encourage student-led environmental clubs and committees to initiate and drive sustainability projects.

9.2. Competitions, workshops, and seminars will be organized to engage students in brainstorming and implementing eco-friendly ideas.

### 10. Monitoring and Evaluation:

10.1. The college will establish a Sustainability Monitoring Committee responsible for tracking the progress of the environmental initiatives outlined in this policy.

10.2. Regular assessments will be conducted to measure the impact of these initiatives and identify areas for improvement.

### 11. Conclusion:

Balaji Law College is dedicated to creating an environmentally conscious and sustainable campus through these initiatives. By involving students, faculty, and staff in these efforts, the

college aims to contribute positively to the environment and promote a sense of responsibility towards the planet.

This policy document will be reviewed annually to ensure its effectiveness and relevance in the evolving environmental landscape.

