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## **ENERGY CONSERVATION POLICY**

## **Preamble**

The goal of the Energy Conservation Policy is to create awareness and need of the maintenance of environment and energy saving to the stakeholders.

## **Policy Making**

The Energy Conservation Policy of ShriSakthikailassh Women's College is to manage energy in such a systematic way so as to minimize its impact on the environment. The policy implies to explore the renewable energy resources to reduce the burden of the government and to find out substitute natural resources as solution to the energy crisis.

This Energy Conservation Policy is binding for all the components of the institution and applies to all its stakeholders and to the various activities undertaken by the institution. It helps to embed efficiency and environmental awareness into everyday activities, by helping to realize the responsibilities and commitment to conservation of natural resources and to limit its usage.

## **Policy**

- To assess our energy usage and measure its impact on the environment.
- To count CO<sub>2</sub> emissions generated by our means of transportation.
- To reduce local air pollution emissions using environment friendly vehicles, including bicycles, public transportation and use of pedestrian friendly pathways are encouraged.
- To install solar panels for the generation of alternate energy.
- To install LED bulbs in the entire campus to save energy.
- To develop systematic waste management system.
- To develop rainwater harvesting unit.
- To undertake tree plantation drive.
- To ensure the availability of necessary resources to achieve our objectives.
- To strengthen our employee's and student's environmental knowledge and skills in order to improve our own environmental purposes.
- To provide information and training opportunities on energy saving measures.
- To place save energy stickersnear switch boards.
- To give instruction to students to switch off the lights, fans, computers when not in use

The policy will be communicated to the students and employees via internal communication channels and will be made available to all the stakeholders on the institutional website.