## Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) College of Engineering Department of Civil Engineering Social Activity I Report

B. Tech. Civil Engineering Sem. IV Students carried out Social activity on **12 April 2023** by picking up plastic waste (garbage) from Taljai Pathar forest area in Pune City. This activity was carried out under the guidance of Dr. Milind Gidde (Head- Civil Engineering Department BVDUCOE).

Total **40 students** from B. Tech Civil Sem. IV participated in this activity along with two faculty members (Prof S. D. Talegaonkar & Prof. P. D. Pawar). This activity involved picking up plastic waste from Taljai forest area walking track. This forest area comes in city heart area so lot of peoples comes here for morning & evening walk. These people spread lot of plastic waste like water bottle, plastic wrapper of food items etc along the track. Our Students also spread the awareness by displaying banners and explaining the need to maintain the area clean. Passerby people stopped and asked curiously about the events. More than 300 people were made aware by our students.

Social Activity I is mentioned in the syllabus Structure of B. Tech. Civil (2021) pattern. Additional credits are mentioned for Social Activity in the structure.

This activity is important from social awareness point of view as well as academics of the students.

## Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) College of Engineering, Pune Department of Civil EngineeringReport on Social Activity II "Traffic Awareness"

B. Tech. (Civil) Engineering Semester VI Students carried out a Social activity on a theme of "Traffic Awareness" on **13 April 2023** at Traffic Signal near Katraj Dudh Dairy, Pune. Total **37 students** from B. Tech (Civil) Semester VI were participated in this activity along with two faculty members namely Dr. P. B. Kodag & Prof. S. S. Thorat. This activities such as poster presentation regarding common rules and regulations of traffic, some do's and don'ts, information about common and uncommon traffic signals, awareness to volunteers regarding duties and responsibilities of traffic controlling authorities during different situations.

Students of Semester VI were distributed into groups of 7-8 students per group. Ideas regarding the traffic awareness were shared with the students one to two days before and asked them to prepare the charts, flex, board etc. to disseminate the information to the people using the road for travelling from one point to other for various reasons such as students going to school/classes/play-ground, people going to offices and business locations, travelers, etc.

Traffic authorities namely Mr. Kanase and Mr. Gaikwad were also present for this activity to maintain the smooth conduction of traffic, for guiding the students, and making aware the students and people travelling about the traffic awareness.

Social Activity II is mentioned in the syllabus Structure of B. Tech. Civil (2021) pattern. Additional credits are mentioned for Social Activity in the structure. This activity is important from social awareness point of view as well as academics of the students.

We would like to thank traffic authorities for allowing and guiding us for the smooth conduction of this social activity. We would also like to thank Dr. M. R. Gidde, HoD, Civil Engineering and Dr. V. S. Sohoni, Principal, BVDUCOEP for timely encouragement, whole hearted support and official permissions to conduct this activity. We would also like to mention our sincere thanks to visible and invisible hands for successful completion of this activity. Last but not the least, we would like to thank all the participating students without them this activity may not have such grand success.

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