

# **Gifts and Hospitality Policy:**

As on Non-Government Organisation all associated with Samabhavana should not receive/give in kind or cash in any kind of manner.

- → Principally refuse/ avoid any kind of gifts or hospitality and or any other benefits from stakeholders as we are a Non-Government Organisation; We do not give or receive gifts, hospitality, or any other form of benefits from any of our stake holders.
- → Follow strict guidelines and policies regarding gifts and hospitality.

#### Travel:

#### a. Work Travel:

- → All work travel should be authorized in advance by the appropriate authority and in accordance with the organization's travel policy.
- → Employees should use reasonable judgment when incurring travel expenses and should seek cost-effective options.
- → Employees should submit accurate and detailed expense reports with appropriate supporting documentation.

### **b.** Sponsored Travel:

- → Employees should obtain prior approval from the appropriate authority before accepting sponsored travel.
- → Sponsored travel should be transparent, lawful, and free from any expectation of favoritism or undue influence.
- → Employees should disclose any potential conflicts of interest related to sponsored travel.

## **Entertainment:**

#### a. Hosting Entertainment:

→ Entertainment expenses should be bare minimum and limited to only Tea or Coffee ONLY. Expenses for entertainment should be accurately recorded and supported by appropriate documentation.

#### b. Accepting Entertainment:

- → Employees associated in any form with Samabhavana should exercise discretion and judgment when accepting invitations to entertainment events.
- → Employees should avoid situations that could compromise their objectivity or create a perception of impropriety.

## **Compliance and Reporting:**

- → Employees should comply with all applicable laws, regulations, and policies related to gifts, travel, and entertainment.
- → Non-compliance may result in disciplinary action, up to and including termination of employment.
- → Employees should promptly report any concerns, potential violations, or breaches of this policy to the appropriate authority or through the organization's designated reporting channels.

