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Federal State Budget Educational Institution of Higher Education "Ufa State Aviation Technical University" and National Institute of Technology Tiruchirappalli (hereinafter named as "Parties") aimed at realization of mutual scientific cooperation, sign the following Agreement on Cooperation.

1. Subject of the Agreement

The parties concluded the Agreement to strengthen mutual collaboration and joint scientific research in the sphere of plasma electrolytic oxidation of metals and alloys. The principal goal of mutual research is development of new coatings and automated smart technological processes through plasma electrolytic oxidation for advanced applications. To achieve the goal the Parties are planning to organize a Joint Laboratory of Plasma Electrolytic Oxidation.

2. Agreement term

The agreement becomes comes into force on the date of signature by the Parties. It will remain in effect for 5 years and may be prolonged by agreement of the Parties.

3. Forms of Collaboration

The Agreement involves the following forms of cooperation.

- a. Exchange of researchers.
- b. Joint scientific-research projects.

- c. Exchange of information and samples for investigation.
- d. Preparation of joint papers.

Persons participating in the exchange program under this agreement should have adequate proficiency in English and/or Russian, and – where relevant – have a Ph.D. or Dr. degree.

4. Principles of Collaboration

For the every case of joint activity demanding serious expenses, a relevant proposal for joint research should be submitted to International, Indian or Russian financial bodies. Such a joint research project would be implemented only if it is financially supported by a relevant grant.

5. Publications

Any technical reports and scientific papers, generated in the Joint Laboratory will be jointly published.

6. Intellectual property

For avoidance of doubt the reference information, intellectual property and knowhow, used in joint projects, shall remain the property of the Party, that has introduced its use.

All rights to Results of Intellectual Property (Results), gained in the result of the acting collaboration, shall be jointly owned by both Parties and the Parties shall collaborate to agree any exploitation of the Results.

7. Information

Both Parties will take measures for reporting, data submission and know-how in connection with the agreement implementation, but neither Party takes any responsibility for material losses, taken by another Party or by third Party in connection with the use of any such advice, reports, data and know how.

Both Parties agree to treat all information released to each other under this Agreement as confidential and will not divulge such information to any third Party. Such obligation of confidentiality shall not refer to the information that:

- i) is known by the Receiving Party
- ii) is already known to the Receiving Party by the third Party
- iii) is acquired by the Receiving Party through its own independent research
- iv) is approved in writing for disclosure by the Owner
- v) is required to be disclosed due to any legal or regulatory requirement.

8. Implementation of the Agreement

Both parties will empower one of the members of their faculty or staff as a

Coordinator of the given agreement	t, above all, for the formulation and
implementation of the research program	. They understand that the financial matters
should be discussed and it will depend on the availability of the funds.	
Signatures of the Parties	
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Date	Date(S. 11. 2017-

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