ISO CERTIFICATION

1. **Quality Management System ISO 9001:2015**

Quality Management System provides a framework for the institute to consistently meet customer/stakeholder needs, improve processes, and enhance satisfaction through a systematic approach called a Quality Management System (QMS). It focuses on continuous improvement and efficiency.

VMSIIHE has adopted a process approach for its Management System. By identifying the top level processes within the institute and then managing each of these discretely, this reduces the potential for non-conforming products or services discovered during final processes or after delivery. Instead, non-conformities and risks are identified in real times, by actions taken within each of the top level processes. The Certification is valid till 01st January, 2029.

2. **Environmental Management System ISO 14001:2015**

(The Environmental Management System ISO 14001:2015 is maintained by the Engineering Department valid till 29th December, 2028.

Environmental Management is beneficial in terms of reduced operational costs through efficiency, enhanced reputation among eco-conscious students and partners, and improved environmental compliance. It also fosters a more engaged community by integrating sustainability into the curriculum and providing practical experience for students.

I. **The institute is equipped with the following**:

- Sewage Treatment Plant
- Rain Water Harvest
- Bio-organic Plant.
- Solar Panels
- Fire Hydrants and Fire Aid Fire Fighting Equipment
- Smoke Detectors
- Automatic Sprinkler System Water Capacity Manual Operated Call Points
- Exit Signs **-**Directional Exit Signs & Assembly Point Sign
- Fire Suppression System with periodical Inspection of Fire Protection System
- Gas Bank

Cost savings and efficiency:
Reduces waste, energy, and water consumption, leading to lower utility bills and other operational costs. Streamlines processes and promotes resource efficiency, which can increase profitability.

Compliance assurance:
Provides a framework for meeting environmental regulations, which reduces the risk of fines and legal issues.

Curriculum integration:
Offers a practical framework to integrate environmental stewardship into the curriculum, giving students hands-on knowledge and skills.

Student and staff engagement:
Encourages student and staff involvement in environmental initiatives. This fosters a sense of ownership and responsibility, leading to more informed and conscious attitudes towards sustainability.

Enhanced reputation:
Demonstrates a strong commitment to the environment, which can attract students, teachers, and potential partners who value sustainability.

II.   FINDINGS:

Awareness is created about the environmental facilities in the campus. Periodical fire alarm
Safety mock drills are conducted for students and staff. This involvement fosters a sense of Ownership and demonstrates the practical application of Environment Management Policies**.**