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Dear Bhavesh and Shanker

## **OXFORD UNIVERSITY INNOVATION AND INDIA**

You mentioned that you may be meeting with Hon. PM Narendra Modi and BJP president Amit Shah and asked me to set down in writing our interests in collaborating with Indian organisations.

Oxford University Innovation is the technology transfer company of the University of Oxford. We were established to help researchers from Oxford commercialise the results of their research. We do this by:

- Securing additional funding to produce full commercial products and processes (so called technology translation)
- Licensing technologies to established companies
- Setting up new companies to exploit licensed technologies

The University of Oxford is interested in making sure that our technologies are used as widely as possible; impact is our measure and includes societal benefits. In the context of India we would be interested in any form of cooperation which increases the use of our technologies. Our technologies cover many technology sectors including agriculture, automotive, energy, environmental, engineering, chemicals and healthcare. We would welcome opportunities to work more closely with India research institutes, R&D units of established companies, technology investment funds, business networks, technology incubators etc.

Perhaps Mr Modi or Mr Shah could suggest organisations we can talk to about collaboration opportunities?

Regards

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