

# Dr. L. D.Balkhande College of Arts and Commerce, Pauni Dist.- Bhandara

# **E-waste Management Policy**

E-waste management policy of Dr. L. D. Balkhande College of Arts and Commerce Pauni is as follows

- a) E-waste means waste electrical and electronic equipment whole or in parts or in rejects from their manufacturing and repair processes, which are intended to be discarded.
- b) E-waste Management and Handling rules 2011 as published by the Ministry of Environment applicable from 01st May 2012.
- c) Management of

computers, Personal Computers, Laptops, Printers including Cartridges, Printers Copiers, E/E typewriters, User terminals and Systems, Facsimile, Telephones, Cordless, Cellular, Answering systems.

## E-waste Policy and Principles:

A. An item of equipment once permanently discarded by the user or the authorities mentioned above shall be deemed as e-waste, regardless of whether it is operational or non-operational

- **B**. There are four key principles regarding the disposal of E-waste:
- 1. Protection of the Environment
- 2. Social responsibility
- 3. Disposal
- 4. Data Protection

#### C. Protection of the Environment:

- 1) Wherever possible, functional computers should be redeployed to identified users with or without up-gradation.
- 2) Donated equipment should be necessarily disposed off through Discovery Nanda Computer., segregation, transportation, dismantling, recycling and disposal of e-waste as per guidelines of the Central Pollution Control Board.
- 3) No mixing of such materials shall be allowed with general scrap or Institutional wastes from the premises.

## D. Social Responsibility:

Dr. L. D. Balkhande College shall take all efforts to reduce the generation of e-waste in the campus. Awareness will be created among all staff and students on the usage of electronic goods and also on the ways that it has to be collected and disposed. Never throw e-waste in the dustbin. Even small things like phones or batteries should not go in the trash.

### E. Disposal:

The Institution has entered into an arrangement with a Discovery Nanda service provider for management of the entire process of the safe disposal of Electronic and Electrical wastes generated in the Institution.

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