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To whom so ever it may concern.

This is to certify that the partnership of Eye Bank Association Kerala with SightLife USA has opened new horizons to Eye Banking. SightLife USA has helped us to be professional. They have also helped us to improve the quality and quantity of the cornea retrievals and corneal transplantation surgeries. With their help and guidance we could start Hospital Cornea Retrieval Programme (HCRP) in three hospitals. They have helped us to get Eye Bank Manager, Eye Bank technicians and grief counselors trained. The equipment provided by them help us to assess the quality of the corneas so that we can use corneas of better quality in cornea transplantation. SightLife was successful in setting up a common platform for the eye banks in India. They have initiated an accreditation process by EBAI and helping the partner eye banks for accreditation.

It is worth mentioning that the entire team of SightLife USA in India consists of people who love our culture and respect the partners. Their only aim is to take Eye Banking in India to a global standard. Their dedication and professionalism are an inspiration to many of us. Hence the presence of SightLife USA in India will be very beneficial to Eye Banking in our country.

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