The Popular vote carries a 15% weightage (upto 1.5 marks). This is added to the jury score to arrive at the semi-final stage of the SKOCH Award. This ensures the SKOCH-Order-of-Merit certificate and also qualifies CONCOR to compete for the top national honour by soliciting the expert vote from delegates during the conference.

Please follow the below mentioned steps for submission of vote:

- 1. Step 1: Go to SKOCH Exhibition (<u>https://exhibition.skoch.in</u>) and click on 'Beacons of Hope' in the Menu bar.
- 2. Step 2: Look for our Project and Organisation name in the list. If you can't find your project link on the first page, go to the next page(s).
- 3. Step 3: Go through the page of our project and follow the instructions properly.
- 4. Step 4: At the bottom of the page, you will find the voting button. Click that to go to the voting form
- 5. Step 5: Put all necessary information there and cast your vote.
- 6. The voting lines will open at 10:00 hrs on Friday 27th June 2025 and it will close at 17:00 hrs on Monday 30th June 2025

In order to improve our chances to win SKOCH Order-of-Merit, it is requested to kindly cast your valuable vote. This will help us to win SKOCH award.