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Subject: Steps to be taken for curbing the menace of ragging -reg.

Dear Sir/Madam,

In pursuance to the judgement of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging in the AICTE approved technical Institutions, AICTE has framed the Regulations called AICTE (Prevention and Prohibition of Ragging in Technical Institution, Universities including Deemed to be Universities imparting technical education) Regulation, 2009.

These regulations are mandatory, and all Institutions are required to take necessary steps for its implementation in Toto including the monitoring mechanism by way of adequate publicity through various mediums such as; Constitution/setting up of Anti-Ragging Committee (ARC) and Anti-Ragging Squad (ARS), Anti-Ragging Cell, Installing CCTV cameras at vital points, Anti-Ragging workshops and seminar, Updating all websites with Nodal Officers' complete contact details, Alarm bells etc., Regular interaction and counseling with the students, Identification of trouble-triggers, mention of Anti-Ragging warning in the Institution's E-prospectus/E-information booklets/brochures, Surprise inspection of hostels, students' accommodation, canteens, rest cum recreational rooms, toilets, bus-stands & display Anti-Ragging posters at all prominent places like admission Centre, Departments, Library, Canteen, Hostel, Common facilities etc., any other measure which would augur well in preventing/quelling ragging and any uncalled-for behavior/incident must be undertaken.

Students in distress due to ragging related incidents can call the National Anti-Ragging Helpline No. 1800-180-5522 (24x7 Toll Free) or e-mail the Anti-Ragging Helpline at helpline@antiragging.in and visit at www.antiragging.in and also contact monitoring agency i.e. Centre for Youth (C4Y) on mobile No. 08826455807 (only in case of emergency).

In compliance to the directions of the Anti-Ragging Monitoring Committee, all AICTE approved Institutions/Universities have to implement the following:

- i. The concept of mentor-mentee be followed by students in institution to make a comfortable bond amongst Juniors and Seniors.
- ii. The ARC and ARS of institutions should be empowered by provisioning of a legal counsel so that airtight cases against the ragging culprits can be made.
- iii. Henceforth for extreme ragging and suicide cases, Principal of the college and Registrar of the University will be called and will be answerable to the National Anti-Ragging Monitoring Committee for the reasons of non-compliance of AICTE Regulations for ragging.

iv. As and when a serious/suicide/death case is reported in AICTE approved Institution/University, AICTE will constitute a Committee to relook into the issue even when case is under police investigation.

You are requested to implement revised procedure for students to file an online Anti-Ragging undertaking and make it compulsory for each student and every parent to submit an online undertaking every academic year at www.antiragging.in.

Institution/University have to display the e-mail address and contact number of the Nodal Officer of Anti-Ragging Committee of their Institution/University's website and campus areas like Admission Centre, Departments, Library, Canteen, Hostel and Common facilities etc. and also fill the complete details of ARC and ARS on the website i.e. www.antiragging.in and also display in their notice boards.

Institution and University are requested to insert a mandatory column in their Institution/University's admission form as per the given format:

Anti Ragging Undertaking	
Reference No.	

Institutions/Universities are requested to ensure strict compliance of this advisory and fill the compliance on www.antiragging.in. You are also requested to make multiple prints of this circular and the same to be prominently displayed at all the locations visited by the students.

It is once again reiterated for the benefit of all the stakeholders that ragging is a criminal offence and the culprits will attract punitive action as mentioned in the AICTE Regulations.

With kind regards.

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To
The Principal/Director/Registrar
of all AICTE approved Institutions/Universities

Copy to:

- 1. Prof. Manish R. Joshi, Secretary, University Grants Commission, New Delhi
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