



7.1.8.1 Notices of constitution and formation of Anti-ragging committee

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Anti-Ragging Notice & Guidelines

Subject: Prevention and prohibition of Ragging in technical Institutions/College.

1. Objectives:-

In view of the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court in SLP No. 24295 of 2006 dated 16-05-2007 and in Civil Appeal number 887 of 2009, dated 08-05-2009 to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging including any conduct by any student or students whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student, or indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities by any student or students which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other student or asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student, with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student, in all higher education institutions in the country, and thereby, to provide for the healthy development, physically and psychologically, of all students.

- 2. What constitutes Ragging: Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:
- Any conduct by any student or students whether by words spoken or written
 or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness
 a fresher or any other student;
- Indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities by any student or students which
 causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship, physical or psychological
 harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other
 student;
- Asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student;
- Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher;
- Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students.
- Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students;

- Any act of physical abuse including all variants of it: sexual abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or any other danger to health or person;
- Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, posts, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student;
- Any act that affects the mental health and self-confidence of a fresher or any other student with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student.

3. Actions to be taken against students for indulging and abetting ragging in college:-

- The punishment to be meted out to the persons indulged in ragging has to be exemplary and justifiably harsh to act as a deterrent against recurrence of such incidents.
- Every single incident of ragging a First Information Report (FIR) must be filed without exception by the institutional authorities with the local police authorities.
- The Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution shall take an appropriate decision, with regard to punishment or otherwise, depending on the facts of each incident of ragging and nature and gravity of the incident of ragging.
- Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established the
 possible punishments for those found guilty of ragging at the institution level
 shall be any one or any combination of the following:-
 - Cancellation of admission
 - Suspension from attending classes
 - Withholding/withdrawing scholarship/fellowship and other benefits
 - Debarring from appearing in any test/examination or other evaluation process
 - Withholding results
 - Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
 - Suspension/expulsion from the hostel
 - Rustication from the institution for period ranging from 1 to 4 semesters
 - Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution.
 - Collective punishment: when the persons committing or abetting the crime of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment as a deterrent to ensure community pressure on the potential raggers.

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Sub.: Formation of College Level Anti-ragging committee and squads- Reg.

Ref: Directives of the Supreme Court of India, dated May 16, 2007 in SLP No. (s) 24295 of 2006. University of Kerala Vs Council, Principals', Colleges, Kerala & Ors with SLP(C) No. 24296-99/2004 & W.P. (Crl) No. 173/2006 and SLP (C) No. 14356/2005) and Civil Appeal no. 887 of 887 of 2009 dated May 8, 2009.

The Hon'ble Supreme Court of India admitted and heard the above referred SLPs in relation to the menace of ragging in Technical Institutions/Universities/Colleges in the Country. In this connection, a committee headed by Dr. R.K. Raghavan, former Director of CBI, for giving specific recommendations on effective prevention of ragging in educational institutions was constituted by the apex court. Accordingly, the Committee had carried out a very detailed study on the various factors contributing for ragging and collected the public opinion. Further, the Committee had submitted a detailed report with suitable recommendations and measures required to effectively curb the menace. The recommendations of the Committee were duly accepted. The following directives have been issued to all the educational institutes for necessary implementation by the Hon'ble Court and this institute proposes to follow them.

- I. Factors enlisted by committee:
- 1. Primary responsibility for curbing ragging rests with academic institutions themselves.
- 2. Ragging adversely impacts the standards of higher education.
- 3. Incentives should be available to institution for curbing the menace and there should be disincentives for failure to do so.
- 4. Enrolment in academic pursuits or a campus life should not immunize any adult citizen from penal provisions of the laws of the land.
- 5. Ragging needs to be perceived as failure to inculcate human values from the schooling stage.
- 6. Behavioral patterns among students, particularly potential 'raggers', need to be identified.
- 7. Measures against ragging must deter its recurrence.
- 8. Concerted action is required at the level of the school, higher educational institution, district administration, university, State and Central Governments to make any curb effective.
- 9. Media and the Civil Society should be involved in this exercise.

II. Recommendations approved by the Supreme Court:

- 1. The punishment to be meted out has to be exemplary and justifiable harsh to act as a deterrent against recurrence of such incidents.
- 2. Every single incident of ragging where the victim or his parent/guardian or the Head of Institution is not satisfied with the institutional arrangement for action, a First Information Report must be filled without exception by the institutional authorities with the local police authorities. Any failure on the part of the institutional authority or negligence or deliberate delay in lodging the FIR with the local police shall be construed to be an act of culpable negligence on the part of the institutional authority. If any victim or his parent/guardian of ragging intends to file FIR directly with the

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police, that will not absolve the institutional authority from the requirement of filing the FIR.

- 3. In the prospectus to be issued for admission by educational institutions, it shall be clearly stipulated that in case the applicant for admission is found to have indulged in ragging in the past or if it is noticed later that he has indulged in ragging, admission may be refused or he shall be expelled from the educational institution.
- 4. It shall be the collective responsibility of the authorities and functionaries of the concerned institution and their role shall also be open to scrutiny for the purpose of finding out whether they have taken effective steps for preventing ragging and in case of their failure, action can be taken, for example, denial of any grant-in-aid or assistance from the State Governments.
- 5. Anti-ragging committees and Squads shall be forthwith formed by the institutions and it shall be the job of the committee or the squad, as the case may be, to see that the Committee's recommendations, more particularly those noted above, are observed without exception and if it is noticed that there is any deviation, the same shall be forthwith brought to the notice of this Court.
- 6. The Committee constituted pursuant to the order of this Court shall continue to monitor the functioning of the anti-ragging committees and the squads to be formed. They shall also monitor the implementation of the recommendations to which reference has been made above.

III. Institute Level Anti-ragging Squads (Proctorial Committee): (A) ANTI RAGGING COMMITTEE:-

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Dr. Rekha Nair	9928015794
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