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GUIDELINES FOR ANTIRAGGING COMMITTEE

In pursuance to the directions of the Hon'ble Supreme Court dated 08.05.2009 in civil Appeal No.887/2009 and the UGC notification on " Regulation on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009", as Meenashri Institute OF Nursing , Ormanjhi, Ranchi has taken the following preventive measures to eliminate the scourge of ragging among the students and to provide them congenial environment to learn and develop both mentally and physically.

Objectives –

- **To root out ragging in all its forms from the Meenashri Institute Of Nursing by prohibiting and preventing its occurrence.**
- **To implement the provision of UGC regulation on curbing the menace of ragging.**
- **To regulate and punish those who indulge in ragging, as provided under the UGC Regulation, 2009.**

What constitutes Ragging ?

Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:

- **Any conduct by any 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 students.**
- **Indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities by any 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 students.**

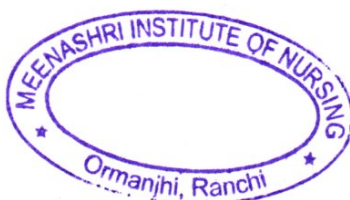


- Asking any students to do any act which such students will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of fear, shame, torment or embarrassment, so as to adversely affect the physique of such fresher or any other students.
- Act by senior students that prevents, disrupts or disturbed the regular academic activity of any other students or a fresher.
- 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 the affects the mental health and self- confidence of a fresher or any other students with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing of power, authority or superiority by a students or students over any fresher or any other students.

Provision of punishment at the Institution as recommended by the UGC-

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. The students who are found to be indulged in ragging should be debarred from taking admission in any Institution in India. Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established by the Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution, 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.
- Fine of Rupees 25,000/-
- 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.

The Anti Ragging Squad shall make surprise raids/visits on hostel/canteen and others hot spots and is empowered to inspect places of potential Ragging. The Anti Ragging Squad will work under the overall guidance of Anti Ragging Committee.

- **The institutional authority shall intimate the incidents of ragging occurred in their premises along with actions taken to the Council immediately after occurrence of such incident and inform the status of the case from time to time.**
- **Courts should make an effort to ensure that cases involving ragging are taken up on priority basis to send the correct message that ragging is not only to be discouraged but also to be dealt with sternness.**


Administrator