

## Nutan Vidya Mandir Education Society's Late Sow. Kamaltai Jamkar Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Parbhani Anti-Ragging Committee

#### Introduction:-

The Anti-Ragging Committee is the supervisory and advisory committee responsible for preserving the culture of a non-ragging environment in College campus. The Anti-Ragging Committee is involved in devising strategies and action plans to combat the menace of ragging in college by adopting a range of activities.

In the view of the directions of the honourable Supreme Court in the SLP No. 24295 of 2006 dated  $16^{th}$  May 2007 and in Civil appeal No 887 of 2009 dated  $08^{th}$  May 2009 to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scores of ragging.

#### Formation of Anti-Ragging Committee:-

College constitutes the Committee headed by Principal of the college along with a senior faculty members as a coordinator who has good skills of handling the complaints of the students. There would be few more teachers as members of the committee. Beside it there are two students' representatives for UG & PG respectively.

| Sr. No | Name of Member      | Designation | Contact details |
|--------|---------------------|-------------|-----------------|
| 1)     | Dr. Vasant K Bhosle | Chairman    | 9423143837      |
| 2)     | Ms.Nirmala Jadhav   | Member      | 7972616016      |
| 3)     | Dr.Pallavi Kulkarni | Member      | 9021111411      |
| 4)     | Dr.SangitaLomte     | Member      | 9405343706      |
| 5)     | Dr.Naseem Begum     | Member      | 9960461481      |
| 6)     | Dr.AbhijitSarnaik   | Member      | 9527777374      |
| 7)     | Mr.VikasChintalwar  | Member      | 9423958343      |
| 8)     | Mr.ParmeshwarYadav  | Member      | 9422110981      |
| 9)     | Ms. Rutuja Joshi    | Student     | 9322971676      |
| 10)    | Ms. GeetaKatte      | Student     | 8767262081      |

#### Objectives of the Anti-Ragging Committee:-

- 1) To prevent and protect the student community from being ragged or indulging in the act of Ragging
- 2) To create awareness among students about the harmful effects of Ragging, its impact on human life and the consequences of participating in Ragging act
- 3) Receive complaints and resolve them through Anti Ragging Committee.
- 4) Initiate legal actions when necessary depending on the intensity of the Ragging instances.

#### What Constitutes Ragging:-

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

- a) Any conduct by any student or students weather by words spoken or written or by act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness of fresher or any other student.
- b) Indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities by any student or student which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof any fresher or any other student.
- c) 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.
- d) Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student or a fresher;
- e) Exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students.
- f) Any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students;
- g) 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;

- h) 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;
- i) 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.

#### Measures for prevention of raging

It shall be mandatory for every stake holder to take following majors for prevention of ragging at institutions,

- a) Ragging within and outside the campus is totally banned and anyone found guilty of ragging is liable to be punished.
- b) the applicant must submit the school leaving certificate which shall be include a report on the behavioural pattern of the applicant so that the institution can thereafter keep intense watch up on the student who has a negative entry in this regard
- c) A student seeking admission to the hostel shall have to submit another affidavit along with her application for hostel accommodation that she is also aware of the law in this regard and agreed to abide by the punishments meted out if she is found guilty of ragging or abetting ragging.
- d) Institute provides the assistant of counsellors at the time of admission to counselfresher in every manner as well as in the induction program institute introduces about anti ragging committee and its rules and regulations.
- e) College has displayed its policy on anti-ragging on College website as well as on boards in the campus which will be easily accessible for all students.

#### **Monitoring Mechanism:-**

- a) Institute has constituted an Anti-Ragging committee which is headed by Head of Institution and consisting of representative from faculty and Students.
- b) The Anti-Ragging committee can make a surprise visits to hostels and other places.

c) Anti-Ragging committee can conduct an on the spot enquiry any incident of ragging referred to it by the head of institution or any other member of the faculty or any member of staff or any student or any parent or guardian or any employee of a service provider or by any other person.

#### **Duties of Ragging Grievant:-**

- a) A written complaint has to be submitted to the Anti-Ragging Cell (ARC) describing the ragging instance completely with date, time and place of happening
- b) The complaint should contain the identity of the complainant and the identity of the alleged
- c) The complainant should submit the complaint in person to any of the Anti-Ragging Committee (ARC) members
- d) The confidentiality of the complainant and any other applicable issues shall be maintained Anti Ragging Committee.

#### Action to be taken against Ragging:-

- a) A strong, exemplary and justifiably harsh punishment would be meted out to the person indulged in ragging to act as a deterrent against recurrence of such incidents.
- b) Every single incident of ragging a FIR would be filed without exception by the institutional authorities with the local police authorities.
- c) 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.
- d) Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established the possible punishments for those found guilty of ragging at institution level shall be any one or any combination of the following:
  - I. Cancellation of admission
  - II. Suspension from attending classes
  - III. Withholding/ withdrawing scholarship/ fellowship and other benefits

- IV. Debarring from appearing in test or examination
- V. Withholding results
- VI. Suspension from the hostel
- VII. Collective punishment- when the persons committing or abetting the crime ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment as deterrent to ensure community pressure on the potential raggers.

#### Appeal:-

An appeal against the order of punishment by the Anti-ragging committee shall lie to the chairman or head of the institution, as they case may be.

#### Action taken report:-

Institutional authorities shall intimate the incidents of ragging occurred in their premises along with actions to the council from time to time.

For more Information Click on following Link:-

https://www.antiragging.in/index.html

https://www.ugc.gov.in/pdfnews/5122319 AntiRagging-letter--VC-English.pdf

 $\underline{https://www.ugc.gov.in/pdfnews/7823260\ Anti-Ragging-3rd-Amendment.pdf}$ 





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### **Complaint Form**

|                                      | Date:  |  |
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| Your Name:                           |  |  |
| Phone Number:                        |  |  |
| Status: Student ( )/ Teacher ( )/    | Non-Teaching Faculty ( ) (Select $\sqrt{\ }$ ) |  |
| Department:                          |  |  |
| Address:                             |  |  |
| Complaint Information:               |  |  |
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| Location of Incident:                |  |  |
| Please describe the incident in deta | il:  |  |
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Signature