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Ref: Letter D.O. No.1-15/2009 (ARC) pt.III dated 17th March, 2017, received from Prof.Dr. Jaspal Sandhu, Joint Secretary, University Grants Commission, Bahadurshah Zafar Marg, New Delhi - 110002

Sir/Madam,

In pursuance in the Judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 08.05.2009 in Civil Appeal No. 887/2009, the UGC notified "Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009". The Regulations are available on the UGC website i.e. www.ugc.ac.in.

It is once again brought to your kind notice that ragging is a criminal offence and UGC has framed regulations on curbing the menace of ragging in higher educational institutions in order to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging. These regulations are mandatory and all institutions are required to take necessary steps for its implementation in to including the monitoring mechanism as per provisions in the above regulations and ensure its strict compliance.

Any violation of UGC regulations as cited above or if any institution fails to take adequate steps to prevent ragging or does not act in accordance with these regulations or fails to punish perpetrators of incidents of ragging suitably will attract action under the UGC Act.

The UGC has got developed **4 Short Films and one Documentary Film** to counsel students on ill effects of ragging. These films are uploaded on UGC website.

All Colleges/Departments/Institutions are requested to show these films regularly to the students during orientation and other programmes. These movies are available on the following link ugc.ac.in/page/Videos-Regarding-Ragging.aspx

It is requested to submit a copy of Compliance Report of the above activities to the Director, Department of Students' Development, University of Mumbai, Churchgate, Mumbai - 400 020.

Place: Mumbai - 400 020
Date: 7th June, 2017


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