

University of Mumbai

BY HAND URGENT



No. Special Cell/ICC/2016-17/2

CIRCULAR :

Subject :- Prevention of Caste based discrimination in Higher Education Institutions

The Principals/Directors of affiliated Colleges in Arts ,Commerce ,Science, Law, Education, Engineering, Management, Pharmacy, and equivalent courses, Heads of the University department are hereby informed that the Secretary, University grants Commission vide its letter No. D.O.F.No.1-7/2011(SCT) dt. 1st March, 2016 informed to cease to act on the following point of caste discrimination .

- I. The Office/faculty members should desist from any act of discrimination against SC/ST student on grounds of their social origin.
- II. The University/Institute/College may develop a page on their website for lodging such complaints of cast discrimination by SC/ST student and also place a complaint register in the Registrar/Principal Office for the purpose. If any such incident comes to the notice of the authorities, action should be taken against the erring official/faculty members promptly.
- III. The university and colleges should ensure that no official/faculty members indulge in any kind of discrimination against any community or category of students.


You are also requested to advise the officials/faculty members of your College/ Institute /University Department that they should be more sensitive while dealing with above such incidents of caste discrimination.

Further you are also requested to bring the content of this circular to the notice of concerned .

Date : 10 May, 2016

Place : Mumbai.

Yours faithfully,


(Dr. M. A. Khan)
Registrar

The Principal/Director of affiliated Colleges/ Institutes in Arts ,Commerce ,Science, Law, Education, Engineering, Management, Pharmacy, and equivalent courses and Heads of the University departments.


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