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Date: 29.08.2013

To

- 1) All Deans/HODs/Centre Heads, Pondicherry University.
- 2) The Principles / Directors of all the affiliated institutions.

Sir,

Sub: Menace of ragging in higher educational Institutions.

Ref: Lr. No.: F/1-15/2009 (ARC) Pt.-III, dated August, 2013.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of the communication cited regarding Menace of ragging in higher educational Institutions.

It is requested to take immediate necessary action to display hoardings, distribute pamphlets and include an item in University Departments / college functions highlighting the ill effects of ragging and ask students to refrain from it. The film on anti-ragging available on the UGC website may be downloaded and given wide publicity by screening of the film among the students, staff and other stakeholders, as desired by the UGC.

It is requested to ensure strict compliance of the anti-ragging measures.

Yours faithfully,

(J. SAMPATH)
REGISTRAR(i/c)

Encl: As above.

Copy to:

- 1) The Director, SEI&RR and Chairman, Anti-ragging Committee, Pondicherry University. } For kind information / perusal.
- 2) The Director (Research), Pondicherry University.
- 3) The Dean, CDC, Pondicherry University.
- 4) The Dean, Students Welfare, Pondicherry University.
- 5) The Assistant Registrar (Affiliation), Pondicherry University.
- 6) The Assistant Registrar, V.C's Secretariat, Pondicherry University. } For kind information of Vice-Chancellor
- 6) The Assistant Registrar (PCR), Registrar's Office, Pondicherry University.

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Subject: Menace of ragging in higher educational institutions.

Sir/ Madam,

This is in continuation to this office letter No. 1-15/2009 (Anti-Ragging) dated 28th June, 2013 on the above subject. 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 toto 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, UGC shall call for punitive action against erring institutions.

All Universities/institutions are requested to display hoardings, distribute pamphlets and include an item in college functions highlighting the ill effects of ragging and ask students to refrain from it as per decision taken in the Supreme Court Committee meeting held on 07.07.2012 led by Dr. R. K. Raghavan, former Director, CBI, New Delhi. A public notice in this regard has appeared in national dailies on 19.07.2013 and also placed on UGC website. UGC has also uploaded a film on anti-ragging on its website and request you that the same may be downloaded and given wide publicity amongst the students. A web portal has already been launched for filling up the affidavits online www.antiragging.in or asking for the details on helpline@antiragging.in. The Universities may also ask the colleges under their jurisdiction to make arrangements for screening of this film among the students, staff and other stakeholders. The name, e-mail address, mobile number of the Nodal Officer to whom the complaints of ragging can be made should also be prominently displayed for access of students and intimated to the anti-ragging helpline immediately. Wide publicity to the anti-ragging toll free helpline No. **1800-180-5522** may enable the students in distress to report the related incidents.

You are kindly requested to ensure strict compliance and monitoring of anti-ragging measures.

Yours faithfully,


(Akhilesh Gupta)
Secretary