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## **PUBLIC NOTICE**

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### **CURBING THE MENACE OF RAGGING IN AICTE APPROVED TECHNICAL INSTITUTIONS**

It is brought to the notice of the Institutions, students and other various stakeholders that ragging is a criminal offence and AICTE has framed regulation which has been notified vide F.No. 37-3/Legal/AICTE/2009 dated July 1, 2009 (available on AICTE web portal [aicte-india.org](http://aicte-india.org)) on curbing the menace of ragging in AICTE approved Technical Institution, in order to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging in AICTE approved Technical Institutions.

The above regulation is mandatory and apply to all AICTE approved Institutions. All these Institutions should take necessary steps for its implementation, monitoring mechanism etc. as per provisions provided in the above regulation and ensure its strict compliance. Also following preventive measures for Anti-Ragging should be strictly followed by all AICTE approved Institutions: -

- (1) The Institutions may erect suitable hoardings/bill boards/banners in prominent places within the campus to exhort the students to prevent or not to indulge in ragging and also indicating therein the names of the officials and their telephone numbers to be contacted in case of ragging.
- (2) All Educational Institutions should form Anti-Ragging-Committee and Squads and dedicated Cadre of Wardens and Professional Counselors to ensure that the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India and Raghavan Committee recommendations are followed without exception.
- (3) Affidavit must be obtained from every Student, Parent/Guardian separately as per Clause 5, Sub-Clause 3 & 4 of AICTE regulation as cited above. Another affidavit must also be obtained along with application of Students while availing hostel accommodation as per Clause 5, Sub-Clause 6 of AICTE regulation as cited above.
- (4) The Institution may also undertake any other form of campaigns as it may consider appropriate for prevention of ragging.

Any violation of AICTE regulation as cited above by AICTE approved Institution or in case any Institution fails to take adequate steps to prevent ragging or act in accordance with these regulations or fails to punish perpetrators or incidents of ragging suitably, AICTE shall call for punitive action against erring Institutions.

Students in distress owing to ragging related incidents can access the Toll Free Helpline 1800 – 180 – 5522 or write to the Member Secretary, AICTE, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor, Chanderlok Building, Janpath, New Delhi – 110 001

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