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Circular

In pursuance to the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in the SLP No: 24295/2006, dt: 16-05-2007 and the dt: 8-5-2009 in Civil Appeal No: 887/2009 and directions from the Ministry of Human Resources Development, Department of Higher Education, New Delhi, State Government vide circular No: ED 43 URC 2009, dt: 4-08-2010 has constituted a Anti-ragging Committee at the State Level under the Chairmanship of Honble Chancellor and Governor of Karnataka and a District Level Committee under the Chairmanship of Deputy Commissioner of the concerned District, to check the menace of ragging and alcoholism in the campus by providing data base and wide publicity.

On the same line, the University Grants Commission has also framed "**UGC Regulation on curbing the menace of ragging in Higher Educational institutions, 2009**" which was notified on 17th June, 2009 and are to be mandatorily followed by all higher Educational institutions. The Regulations are available on the UGC website i.e. www.ugc.ac.in. A nation wide toll free anti-ragging helpline 1800-180-5522 in twelve languages has also been established which can be accessed by students in distress due to ragging

In spite of these various efforts, State of Karnataka has recorded 191 cases of ragging since 2009. The cases of ragging for the current year alone are 41. This is a matter of serious concern.

Hence, it is reiterated that all the District Level Committees have to oversee and ensure that, the "**UGC Regulation on curbing the menace of ragging in Higher Educational institutions, 2009**" are implemented in toto by the Higher Educational Institutions and take stern measures to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging and make Karnataka a ragging free State.

Yours faithfully,

N. Veerabrahmachary
(N. Veerabrahmachary),

Under Secretary to Government,
Higher Education Department (Universities)

To,
The Compiler, Karnataka Gazette, Bangalore- with a request to publish this Notification in the next issue of the Gazette and supply 100 copies to this Department.

Copy to :-

1. Secretary, Ministry of Human Resources Department, Dept. Of Higher Education, Shastri Bhavan, New Delhi-110 115.
2. The Principal Secretary to Governor, Raj Bhavan, Bangalore.

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3. The Chairman and Members of State Level and District Level Anti-Ragging Committees.
4. All the Principal Secretaries/Secretaries to the Government of Karnataka.
5. All the Vice-Chancellor/Registrars of State and Central Universities in the State.
6. All the Vice-Chancellor/Registrars of Private Universities in the State.
7. Member-Secretary, Karnataka State Council for Higher Education, Bangalore.
8. The Commissioner, Collegiate Education Department, Bangalore.
9. The Commissioner, Technical Education Department, Bangalore.
10. The Director, DSERT, Bangalore.
11. The Commissioner, Dept. Of Public Instructions, Bangalore.
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13. All the Superintendent of Police of the Districts.
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17. PS to Hon'ble Minister for Primary & Secondary Education, Vidhana Soudha, Bangalore.
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No.DEV/D1/SH&CE/SAKSHAM/2013-14

Date: 03.04.2014

CIRCULAR

Sub: Regarding implementation of report 'SAKSHAM' on safety and security of girls & women in particular and of the entire youth in general on the campuses of institutions of higher learning - reg.

Ref: 1. D.O. No. F. 1-67/2013 (Cm.), dated: 18th February, 2014.
2. Uni. Notification dated 12.01.2011.
3. Vice-Chancellor approval dated 03.04.2014
4. Resolution of Syndicate meeting held on 11.09.2013.

It has been informed by the Chairman, UGC vide the above letter that, the UGC has constituted Task Force to review the existing arrangement for safety and security of girls and women in particular and of the entire youth in general. The Task Force has submitted a report entitled 'SAKSHAM' recommending various measures to be adopted for ensuring safety of women and programmes for gender sanitization on campuses and institutions of higher learning.

A soft copy of the report in this regard may be downloaded from the UGC website www.ugc.ac.in may be downloaded and may be circulated to all concerned for implementation of its recommendations and action taken report may be forwarded to the UGC under intimation to the undersigned.

Secondly, the University has also constituted a Syndicate Sub-Committee headed by Mrs. Zaheda Mulla to draw a policy in this regard. The report submitted by this committee has been approved by the Syndicate at its meeting held on 11.03.2013. A copy of this report may also be downloaded from the University website www.bangaloreuniversity.ac.in to pursue the activities, accordingly.

Sd/-
REGISTRAR

To,
The Chairpersons/Director/Co-ordinator of all the PG Departments/Principals of Constituent colleges of BUB/Director P.G. Centre Kolar, BUB/ Principals of all the University affiliated Colleges of Bangalore University, Bangalore.

Copy to:

1. Co-ordinator, IT Centre, University Library, BUB.
2. Smt. Sujatha, System Analyst, Computer Section, JB Campus, BUB

} With a request to upload the Circular on the University website for the information of all concerned.

No.Dev/D1/SH & GE/Syn.Sub-Commt/2013-14

Date: 16.05.2014

NOTIFICATION

- Sub: Re-constitution of committee to look into curbing of violence and Sexual Harassment on Women – on University Campus – Reg.
- Ref: 1. DO No. F1-67/2013 (Cm.) dated 18.02.2014.
2. Uni. Notification No. Dev/D3/VSH-UGC/2007-08, RE-CONST, dt: 02.02.2011
3. Uni. Notification No. Dev/D1/SH & Ge/Syn.Sub-Commt/2013-14, dt: 21.04.2014
3. Approval of the Vice-Chancellor dated 16.05.2014

In modification of the notification of even no. dated 21.04.2014, the constitution of the Standing Committee to combat the menace of violence and sexual harassment on Women in work places of Bangalore University is revised as follows with immediate effect and until further orders:

1.	Dr. Lalitha Ashwath, Professor, Dept. of Library and Information Science, Bangalore University, Bangalore	Chairperson	(O) 22961403, (M) 9448315377
2.	Smt. Hemalatha Mahishi, Activist & Eminent Legal Practitioner, KHC	External Member	(M) 7259749739
3.	Smt. Sarojini. M (Advocate), Women Activist	External Member	(M) 9886128238
4.	Dr. Cynthia Menezes, Canara Bank School of Management, BUB	Member	(O) 22961977, (M) 9902554503
5.	Dr. N.Nandini, Chairperson, Dept. of Environmental Science, BUB	Member	(O) 22961367, (M) 9880839109
6.	Dr. Jeevan Kumar, Professor, Dept. of Political Science, BUB	Member	(O) 22961733, (M) 9972496362
7.	Smt. B.R. Gayathri, Superintendent, Finance Branch, City Campus, BUB.	Convenor	(O) 22961252, (M) 9902144956

The Committee is entrusted with the responsibility of all cases of violence, sexual harassment and gender discrimination against women and recommend suitable action as provided under relevant laws. The Committee will have jurisdiction all over the University as mentioned in Karnataka State University Act, 2000 referred to it by the Syndicate and / or Vice-Chancellor. The Committee may co-opt two students, as special invitees every year, of whom one must be from among the Ph.D. scholars.

The above Committee may pursue the activities in accordance with the policy drawn by the Syndicate Sub-Committee headed by Mrs. Zaheda Mulla, which is approved by the Syndicate at its meeting held on 11.03.2013. The report of this committee may be viewed on the University website www.bangaloreuniversity.ac.in and www.karnataka.gov.in/bangaloreuniversity.

This supersedes all other Committees constituted earlier in this regard.

By order,
Sd/-
REGISTRAR

To,
The Chairperson and members of the committee,
Copy to:

1. The Finance Officer, Bangalore University, Bangalore.
2. The Deputy Registrar, Syndicate Section, BUB.
3. P.S to VC/Registrar/Registrar (Eval.), BUB.



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As per the University Grants Commission, New Delhi, has established an "Online Grievance Redressal Portal for the Students", to provide a mechanism for redressal of students' grievances and ensure transparency in admission, prevention of unfair practices, etc. Bangalore University has appointed a NODAL OFFICER to monitor and respond to students' grievances through this portal.

Students from the Bangalore University and its affiliated colleges can lodge complaints related to admission process, non-transparent or any unfair evaluation practices, provision of student amenities, alleged discrimination of students, etc. through "Online Students Grievance Redressal Portal" of UGC (website www.ugc.ac.in/grievance), New Delhi. Nodal Officer of Grievances Redressal Portal will monitor and respond to students grievances lodged on to this PORTAL.

Contact details of the Nodal Officer:

Prof. C. S. Karigar

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