To

The Principal/Head
of all Dental Colleges in the country

Sub: Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions – Regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to request all Dental College authorities to step up anti-ragging mechanism by way of adequate publicity through various mediums; Constitution of anti-ragging committee and anti-ragging squad, installing CCTV cameras at vital points, alarm bells etc. Regular interaction and counseling with the students, identification of trouble-triggers, mention of anti-ragging warning in the institution’s prospectus and information booklets/brochures shall be ensured. Surprise inspection of hostels, students accommodation, canteens, rest cum recreational rooms, toilets, bus-stands and any other measure which would augur well in under taken, the students and the parent/guardian community may also be made aware of the anti-ragging helpline, anti-ragging website, anti-ragging monitoring agency. The Institutions are also requested to take legal action in serious cases, involving local police authorities. The college authorities may invite any senior police officer of their area of jurisdiction to address the students regarding consequences and prevention of ragging to create awareness among the students.

2. Students in distress due to ragging related incidents can call the national Anti-ragging Helpline 1800-180-5522 (24x7 Toll Free) or e-mail the Anti-ragging Helpline at helpline@antiragging.in. For any other information regarding ragging, please visit the UGC website i.e. www.ugc.ac.in & www.antiragging.in. The students may also contact the ragging cell of the Dental Council of India on phone No. 011-23238542 and E-mail antiraggingcell@dciindia.org for ragging complaints.

3. All Institutions are requested to ensure strict compliance of anti-ragging measures and intimate the same to Monitoring Agency under intimation to UGC.

4. It is requested to display Anti Ragging posters as per the enclosed format at all prominent places like Admission Centre, Departments, Library, Canteen, Hostel, Common facilities etc. The size of posters should be 8x6 feet. The list of contact persons with their phone numbers which includes Associate Dean, Officer-in-Charge Student Activities, Wardens of Boys and Girls Hostel, Police Officials should be displayed at main entrance.

5. You are also requested to take the above measures to curb the ragging and furnish the photographs of the ragging posters placed at your Dental College to this Council or upload on DCI website, by 31st October 2015 positively, for furtherance in the matter.

6. This may kindly be treated as Most Urgent.

Yours faithfully,

(M. L. Meena)
Secretary I/C
Dental Council of India

Copy for kind information to:-

1. The Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Health & Family Welfare, (Deptt. of Health – DE Section), Nirman Bhawan, Maulana Azad Road, New Delhi – 110 011.
2. Dr. Pankaj Mittal, Additional Secretary, UGC, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110 002.
3. Dr. Archana Thakur, Deputy Secretary, UGC, Bahadur Shah Zafar Marg, New Delhi – 110 002.
4. Prof. S. K. Katharia, Prof. & Head, Deptt. of Dental Surgery, S. N. Medical College, Agra (UP).
5. The President, Dental Council of India, New Delhi.

(M. L. Meena)
Secretary I/C
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SAY NO TO RAGGING

RAGGING IS A PUNISHABLE OFFENCE!
DON'T INDULGE IN RAGGING.

VISIT UGC WEBSITE
www.ugc.ac.in &
www.antiragging.in TO SEE
UGC ANTI RAGGING
REGULATIONS.

DON'T BE A MUTE SPECTATOR TO RAGGING.
REPORT RAGGING INCIDENTS IMMEDIATELY.

WHAT IS RAGGING?

ANY ACT RESULTING IN:

✓ MENTAL/PHYSICAL/SEXUAL
ABUSE
✓ VERBAL ABUSE
✓ INDECENT BEHAVIOR
✓ CRIMINAL
INTIMIDATION/WRONGFUL
RESTRAINT
✓ UNDERMINING HUMAN DIGNITY
✓ FINANCIAL
EXPLOITATION/EXTORTION
✓ USE OF FORCE

A STUDENT INDULGING IN RAGGING
CAN BE:
✓ EXPELLED FROM THE
INSTITUTION
✓ BANNED FROM THE HOSTEL
✓ HIS/HER SCHOLARSHIP CAN BE
WITHDRAWN
✓ DEBARRED FROM
EXAMINATIONS
✓ DENIED ADMISSION TO ANY
INSTITUTION
✓ PROSECUTED FOR CRIMINAL
ACTION
✓ INSTITUTIONS HAVE BEEN
ASKED TO FILE THE FIR WITH
LOCAL POLICE AGAINST THOSE
WHO RAG/ABET RAGGING

ARE YOU BEING RAGGED?
Immediately Call UGC Anti-Ragging Helpline
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Or send an e-mail to helpline@antiragging.in

JOIN HANDS TO MAKE YOUR CAMPUS RAGGING FREE