

Anti-Ragging Measures
Bir Tikendrajit University, Imphal

BAN ON RAGGING

In view of the directions of the Honorable Supreme Court in the matter of "University of Kerala v/s. Council, Principals, Colleges and others" in SLP no. 24295 of 2006 dated 16.05.2007 and that dated 8.05.2009 in Civil Appeal number 887 of 2009, and in consideration of the determination of the Central Government and the University Grants Commission to prohibit, prevent and eliminate the scourge of ragging, including any conduct by any student or students, whether by words spoken or written, or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness a fresher, Manipal University Jaipur ensures strict compliance on the prevention of Ragging of any form.

MEASURES FOR PROHIBITION OF RAGGING AT THE INSTITUTE LEVEL

- No institution or any part of it thereof, including, but not limited to the schools, the departments, constituent units, colleges, centers of studies and all its premises, whether academic, residential, playgrounds, or canteen, whether located within the campus or outside, and in all means of transportation of students, whether public or private, accessed by students for the pursuit of studies in such institutions, shall permit or condone any reported incident of ragging in any form; and all institutions shall take all necessary and required measures, including but not limited to the provisions of these Regulations, to achieve the objective of eliminating ragging, within the institution or outside.
- All institutions shall take action in accordance with these Regulations against those found guilty
 of ragging and/or abetting ragging, actively or passively, or being part of a conspiracy to
 promote ragging.

PENALTY FOR RAGGING

No person who is student of an educational institution shall commit ragging. The Supreme Court of India has ordered that "If any incident of ragging comes to the notice of the authority, the concerned student shall be given liberty to explain and if his/her explanation is not found satisfactory, the authority would expel him/her from the institution".

WARNING

No leniency will be shown to the offenders involved in ragging. All students are requested to note and co-operate in keeping our university and its constituent colleges free from ragging. Names of the officials with photographs and telephone numbers to be contacted in case of emergency are printed in the orientation handbook given by the institution.

IMPORTANT NOTE

Action against ragging will be taken as per BTU Rules & Regulations.

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NOTIFICATION

Subject: Constitution of Anti-Ragging Committee

1. Objectives:

- To investigate any matter reported, related to Anti–Ragging with immediate effect.
- To prohibit, prevent, and eliminate the scourge of ragging, to include any conduct by any student or students, whether by words spoken by an act which has the effect of reaching or handling with rudeness a fresher or any other student.
- To provide a healthy, physical, and psychological atmosphere for the development of all students.

2. Composition:

The committee is constituted as per the following structure.

Sr. No	Name	Designation in Committee	Contact Number & Email id
1.	Dr Seram Devika, HoD, Botany	Chairperson	6909960414 seram.devika@gmail.com
2.	Dr Shantibala Devi, Rector	Member	8974593884 shant.bala@gmail.com
3.	Dr Kesham Lebnan, HoD, Zoology	Member	7005615410 kesham.lebnan@gmail.com
4.	Dr Liatomjam Anand Singh	Member	9862623086 laitomjan.anand@gmail.com
5.	Dr Nabhakumar Singh, HoD, Geography	Member	9862920196 nabha.kumar@gmail.com
6.	Dr Ibemcha Keisham, HoD,Law	Member	8730887118 ibemcha.keisham@gmail.com
7.	Dr Apemba Meitei, HoD, Manipuri	Member	9856691582 apemba.meitei@gmail.com
8.	Dr Luwang Johnson, Research Professor	Member	7005851951 johnson.luwang@gmail.com
9.	Dr Suresh, Proctor	Member	8448559307 n.suresh@gmail.com
10.	Ms N. Binita, Principal Incharge, Faculty of Pharmacy	Member	9612101799 n.binita@gmai.com
11.	Ms Raifomshal Saka, HoD, B Ed Spl Education	Member	9137061538 Raifomshal.saka@
12	Dr Puinabati Devi, Dean Academics	Member	9856165455 asem.puinabati@gmail.com

3. Functions of the Committee:

- a) The Committee shall investigate the matters as and when required, brought to the notice, and shall submit an investigation report to the Registrar for further course of action.
- b) To ensure compliance with the provisions of these Regulations as well as the provisions of any law for the time being in force concerning ragging; and also, to monitor and oversee the performance of the Anti-Ragging Squad in the Prevention of ragging in the institution.
- c) To make surprise raids on Hostels and other places vulnerable to incidents and having the potential for ragging, and shall be empowered to inspect such places.
- d) To conduct an on-the-spot enquiry into any incidents of ragging referred to it.

4. Gender Norms:

One-third of the total members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

5. Meetings:

- a) The meetings shall be conducted as and when any such matter is brought before the committee, and minutes of the meetings to be submitted to the Registrar's Office.
- b) One meeting before the commencement of the orientation program for the first-year students should be conducted.

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MD. Tauha Khan Deputy Registrar, BTU



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- 1. PA of The Hon'ble Vice Chancellor BTU
- 2. All Deans, Directors, and HODs BTU
- 3. Registrar's Office, BTU
- 4. Notice Board

Ref. No.: BTU / 2024 /DREG/ ARAGG/0024 Date: 17 September 2024

OFFICE ORDER

SUBJECT: ANTI RAGGING SQUADS

- 1. The University Anti Ragging Squad, as per office order attached, will be active with effect from 19 Sep 2023 by this date the squad should be fully operational in terms of mobility, communication, and alertness to maintain vigil to ensure that no ragging activity takes place in the University Campus / in its vicinity.
- 2. The senior-most member of the squad will be the team leader. The Team Leader will decide and suggest any change, if required, in the distribution of the Area of Responsibility (AoR) to improve the effectiveness of the Squad.
- 3. The Anti-Ragging Squad, in contrast, is a body with vigil, oversight, and patrolling functions and should appropriately be a smaller body with such representation as considered necessary to keep it mobile, alert, and active at all times. The Squad may be called upon to make surprise raids on hostels and other hot spots and is empowered to inspect places of potential ragging. The squad will work under the overall guidance of the Anti-Ragging Committee.
- 4. Complying with the directives of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India (vide SLP No 24295 of 2006 and vide its order dated 16 May 2007) and in Civil Appeal Number 887 0f 2009 dated 8 May 2009 AICTE Notification dated 01 July 2009 (issued vide F No 37-3 /Legal/AICTE/2009, AND UGC Letter No F.1-15/2009(ARC) PT III dated 29 April 2014, Anti Ragging Committee is formed for overseeing the implementation of the provisions of Anti-Ragging verdict.
- 5. All roads and sports fields/complexes on the campus will be covered by the security guards. All guards will be trained to be proactive if any ragging activity is observed in their area of duty, and if they notice any objectionable activity, like gathering of students etc, they should immediately report it to the Proctor and Dean of Students Welfare of the Chief Warden.
- 6. Team Leader of each Anti-Ragging Squad is requested to submit a report as per the prescribed format as an Appendix to this Office Order BY 10 A.M. on the next day to the Proctor and Dean of Students Welfare.
- 7. HoDs Only. HoDs are requested to disseminate the contents of the following to all the Faculty Members and Staff in their respective Departments:
 - a) UGC Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Education Institutions 2019 issued vide DO. O No 1-15/2009 (ARC) pt III dated 27th June 2019.
 - b) Regulations/Notices on Curbing the Menace of Ragging, earlier issued by the Registrar.
- 8. Actions to be taken by Anti-Ragging Squads members.
 - a) Must be aware of all the Notices / Circulars /Orders published by the University on Anti-Ragging measures and act accordingly.
 - b) Must report immediately telephonically to one or more of the following if Ragging Activity is observed: -

(i) Dr Seram Devika, HoD, Botany	- 6909960414
(ii) Dr Shantibala Devi, Rector	- 8974593884
(iii) Dr Kesham Lebnan, HoD, Zoology	- 7005615410
(iv) Dr Liatomjam Anand Singh	- 9862623086
(v) Dr Nabhakumar Singh, HoD, Geography	- 9862920196
(vi) Dr Ibemcha Keisham, HoD, Law	- 8730887118
(vii) Dr Apemba Meitei, HoD, Manipuri	- 9856691582
(viii) Dr Luwang Johnson, Research Professor	- 7005851951
(ix) Ms N. Binita, Principal In charge, Faculty of Pharmacy	- 7005851951
(x) Ms Utara Devi, Faculty of Pharmacy	- 9774463448
(xi) Ms Raifomshal Saka, HoD, B Ed Spl Education	- 9137061538
(xii) Dr Suresh, Proctor	- 8448559307
(xiii) Dr Puinabati Devi, Dean Academics	- 9856165455

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REPORT OF ANTI-RAGGING SQUAD

Team Number:	Date Of Duty			
Time of Duty: From to				
1. Member in the Team:	2. Members Absent during Duty			
(a)	(a)			
(b)	(b)			
(c)	(c)			
(d)	(d)			
(e)	(e)			
2. Places Visited:-				
3. Observation of Incidence of Ragging (given details if any):				
4. Any suspicious observation that concerns you and needs immediate attention:				
5. Interaction with freshers / Seniors:				
6. Any other thing you want to convey regarding curbing of Ragging:				
Date:	(Signature of Squad Head)			

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NOTICE

SALIENT POINTS: JUDGMENT OF THE HON'BLE SUPREME COURT OF INDIA ON RAGGI (CIVIL APPEAL NO. 887 OF 2009)

- 1. The following are the salient points of the Judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on "RAGGING" (Civil Appeal No 887 of 2009) for information and compliance of all concerned: -
 - (a) "Seniors" under the garb of "Introduction" have started the ragging of freshers.
 - (b) In the modern era, "RAGGING" has come to be known only as a synonym of "Teasing", "Terror", "Harassment", "Cruelty" and "Physical", and "Mental Torture".
 - (c) "Ragging" is a systematized form of Human Rights abuse as embodied under the Constitution of India as well as other constitutions of the world.
 - (d) "Ragging" creates a sense of fear in the minds of the First Year Students, and they become apprehensive of foreseen incidents which later come true and culminate in actual form.
 - (e) "Ragging" has come to be meant as an extreme, "Harassment", "Terror", and even "Physical and Mental Torture" of Freshers.
 - (f) "Ragging" means causing, inducing, compelling or forcing a student whether by way of a practical joke or otherwise, to do any act which detracts from human dignity or violates his person or eposes him to ridicule or to forbear from doing any unlawful act, by intimidating, wrongfully restraining, wrongfully confining, or injuring him or by or by using criminal force to him or by holding out to him any threat of such intimidation, wrongful restraint, wrongful confinement, injury or the use of criminal force.
 - (g) If any incident of Ragging comes to the notice of the authority concerned, the accused student will be given an opportunity to explain, and if his explanation is NOT satisfactory, the authority will EXPEL him/her from the University.

(h) A question raised was regarding giving an opportunity to the offender before taking actions like expulsion, etc. Delay in action in many cases would frustrate the need for taking urgent action. In such cases, if the authorities are prima facie satisfied about the errant act of any student, they can, in appropriate cases, pending final decision, suspend the student from the university and the Hostel, if any, and give opportunity to him/her to have his / her say. Immediately, the police shall be informed, and criminal law set into motion.

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Dy. Registrar, BTU



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