



ANTI-RAGGING MONITORING COMMITTEE

COMPOSITION; ROLE AND STATUS REPORT

The Anti-Ragging Monitoring Committee is constituted to attend to complaints of ragging on campus.....

COMPOSITION OF THE ANTI-RAGGING MONITORING COMMITTEE

No. GCCCEM/ Admin/ Committee/2020-21/ 493
Government College of Commerce and Economics
Borda , Margao –Goa
Date: 22/11/2020

ORDER

- Ref. 1. Goa Prohibition of Ragging (Amendment Act 2010(Goa act 17 of 2010).
2. DHE Circular No 9/162/HE/ GPRG/09/PF-11/1669 dated 10/06/2015.

The following staff/students and outside members are nominated to the college Anti Ragging Monitoring Committee to the Academic year 2020-21 the Committee will also function as Anti -Ragging Squad and will be in force till the date of reconstitution of new committee

| Sr No | Name / Person | Designation | Address |
|-------|--|--------------------------------|---|
| 1 | Dr, Elizabeth J. Henriques Associate Professor in Economics | Convenor | Govt College, Borda |
| 2 | Mrs. Rupali Sangodkar Assistant Professor in Commerce | Jt Convenor | Govt. College ,Borda |
| 3 | Mr.Tito Cardozo, Ex Deputy Chairman | External Member | Behind Apollo Pharmacy St Joaquim Road , Borda |
| 4 | College Counsellor | Member | Govt. College, Borda |
| 5 | PTA President | PTA Member | |
| 6 | P.I. Fatorda Police Station | External Member | Fatorda Police station |
| 7 | Ms. Nayana Shanbhag, Head Clerk | Administrative staff Member | Gov.t College, Borda |
| 8 | G.S. of College Council | Student Member | Govt. College, Borda |
| 9 | LR of College council | Student Member | Govt. College, Borda |
| 10 | CR from council (Boy only) | Student Member | Govt. College, Borda |

N.B. since the police inspectors, council member and PTA members are transferred /elected every year the said order will be issued his/her name as and when changes takes place, instead of reconstituting committee every now an then.

Duties

- The committee will chalk out and implement necessary precautionary measures to keep the campus out of ragging menace.
- The sensitize students about the evils of ragging and its prevention for the same in the college campus.
- The address complaints about ragging as per the Govt and University procedures.

(Prof. Gajanan V. Madiwal)
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Copy to:

1. The concerned Convenor/Member of the Committee.
2. Committee file and relevant Files
3. NAAC File.
4. IQAC File
5. Guard file.

UGC REGULATIONS ON CURBING THE MENACE OF RAGGING IN HIGHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS - 2009

What constitutes Ragging? Ragging constitutes one or more of any of the following acts:

- a. 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 or any other student;
- b. including in rowdy or indisciplined activities by any students which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship, physical or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in any fresher or any other student;
- c. asking any student to do any act which such student will not in the ordinary course do and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame, or torment or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of such fresher or any other student;
- d. any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other students or a fresher;
- e. exploiting the services of a fresher or any other student for completing the academic tasks assigned to an individual or a group of students,
- f. any act of financial extortion or forceful expenditure burden put on a fresher or any other student by students;
- g. any act of physical abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene and lewd acts, gestures causing bodily harm or any other danger to health or person;
- h. any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, post, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student;
- I. any act that affects the health and self-confidence of a fresher or any other student with or without an intent to derive a sadistic pleasure or showing off power, authority or superiority by a student over any fresher or any other student.

Action to be taken by the Head of the Institution:

- i. On receipt of the recommendation of the anti-ragging squad or on receipt of any information concerning any reported incident of ragging, the Head of institution shall immediately determine if a case under the penal law is made out and if so, either on his own or through a member of the Anti-Ragging committee authorized by him on behalf of victim, proceed to file a first information report (FIR), within twenty four hours of recommendation, with the police and local authorities, under the appropriate penal provisions relating to one or more of the following, namely;
- ii. Abetment to ragging;
- iii. Criminal conspiracy to rag;
- iv. Unlawful assembly and rioting while ragging
- v. Public nuisance creating during ragging;
- vi. Violation of decency and morals through ragging;
- vii. Injury to body, causing hurt or grievous hurt;
- viii. Wrongful restraint;
- ix. Wrongful confinement;
- x. Use of criminal force;
- xi. Assault as well as sexual offences or unnatural offences;
- xii. Extortion;
- xiii. Criminal trespass;
- xiv. Offences against property;
- xv. Criminal intimidation;
- xvi. Attempts to commit any or all of the above-mentioned offences against the victim(s);
- xvii. Threat to commit any or all of the above-mentioned offences against the victim(s);
- xviii. Physical or psychological humiliation;
- xix. All other offence following from the definition of “Ragging”.

Provided that Head of the institution shall forthwith report the occurrence of the incident of ragging to the district level Anti-Ragging Committee and the Nodal officer of the affiliating University, if the institution is an affiliated institution.

Provided further that the institution shall also continue with its own enquiry initiated under clause 9 of these Regulations and other measures without waiting for action on

the part of the police/local authorities and such remedial action shall be initiated and completed immediately and in no case later than a period of seven days of the reported occurrence of the incident of ragging.

Administrative action in the event of ragging:

The institution shall punish a student found guilty of ragging after following the procedure and in the manner prescribed here in under:

- a) The Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution shall take an appropriate decision, in regard to punishment or otherwise, depending on the facts of each incident of ragging and nature and gravity of the incident of ragging establishment in the recommendations of the Anti-Ragging squad.
- b) The Anti-Ragging Committee may, depending on the nature and gravity of the guilt established by the Anti-ragging Squad, award, to those found guilty, one or more of the following punishments, namely;
 - i. Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
 - ii. With holding/withdrawing scholarship/fellowship and other evaluation process.
 - iii. Debarring from appearing in any test/examination or other evaluation process.
 - iv. Withholding results.
 - v. Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
 - vi. Suspension/expulsion from the hostel.
 - vii. Cancellation of admission.
 - viii. Rustication from the institution for period ragging from one to four semesters.
 - ix. Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specific period.
 - x. Provided that where the persons committing or abetting the act of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment
- c) An appeal against the order of punishment by the Anti-Ragging Committee shall lie,
 - i. In case of an order of an institution, affiliated to or constituent part, of a University, to the Vice-chancellor of the University;
 - ii. In case of an order of a University, to its Chancellor.
 - iii. In case of an institution of national importance created by an Act of parliament, to the Chairman or Chancellor of the institution, as the case may be.

STATUS REPORT

- ✓ Submission of Monthly Anti-Ragging Report to the Directorate of Higher Education for further submission to the office of the Governor of Goa.
- ✓ Display of posters against ragging on the campus.
- ✓ Display of Committee list on the Notice Board.
- ✓ Total Number of ragging cases reported till date: **NIL**