Dear Sir/Madam,

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of UGC Notification dt. 29th June 2016 along with a copy of the Gazette of India regarding Regulations on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in higher educational institutions, which is self-explanatory. These Regulations are also available on the UGC website i.e. www.ugc.ac.in. These regulations may be called “Curbing the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions (3rd amendment), Regulations, 2016.” They shall come into force on the date of their publication in the Official Gazette.

In UGC Regulations on Curbing the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009 (hereinafter referred to as the Principal regulations, in Para 3, the following shall be added after 3(i) under heading what constitutes Ragging:-

3(j). Any act of physical or mental abuse (including bullying and exclusion) targeted at another student (fresher or otherwise) on the ground of colour, race, religion, caste, ethnicity, gender (including transgender), sexual orientation, appearance, nationality, regional origins, linguistic identity, place of birth, place of residence or economic background.

The said regulations are mandatory binding in all characters and all the Delhi University institutions/colleges/departments/hostels/halls/centres are advised to implement the said regulations in letter and spirit so that, the menace of ragging in Delhi University institutions/colleges/departments/hostels/halls/centres etc. can be curbed/stopped. You are also requested to regularly update your websites and display the complete contact details of Anti Ragging Committee, Anti Ragging Squad, Hostel Wardens, Nodal Officer etc.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]

Encl: as above.

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UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
NOTIFICATION
New Delhi, the 29th June, 2016

No. F. 1-15/-2009 (ARC).—In exercise of powers conferred under clause (g) of sub-section (1) of section 26 of the University Grants Commission Act, 1956 (3 of 1956), the University Grants Commission hereby makes the following regulations namely:—

(1) These regulations may be called "Curbing the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions (third amendment), Regulations, 2016."

(2) They shall come into force on the date of their publications in the Official Gazette.

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Prof. JASPAL S. SANDHU, Secy. (UGC)

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