VELAMMAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY Panchetti, Chennai – 601 204

ANTI RAGGING RULES and REGULATIONS

RAGGING MEANS

- 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 in undisciplined activities by any student or 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 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.
- Any act by a senior student that prevents, disrupts or disturbs the regular academic activity of any other student 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 including all variants of it; sexual abuse, homosexual assaults, stripping, forcing obscene, and lewd acts, gestures, causing bodily harm or other danger to health or person.
 - h) Any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, posts, public insults, which would also include deriving perverted pleasure vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the Discomfiture to fresher or nay other student.
 - Any act that affects the mental 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.

PUNISHMENT

- Suspension from attending classes and academic privileges.
- Withholding/withdrawing scholarship, fellowship and other benefits.
- Debarring from appearing in any test/ examination or other evaluation process.
- 4) Withholding results.
- Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival, etc.
- 6) Suspension/ expulsion from the hostel
- Two years imprisonment.
- 8) Fine to the tune of Rs.2.50 lakhs.
- 9) Cancellation of admission.
- Rustication from the institution for period ranging from one to four semesters.
- Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution for a specified period.

Provided that where the persons committing or abetting the act of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment

- Since my ward having been admitted in VELAMMAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, Chennai-601204, I have carefully read and fully understood the provisions contained in UGC Regulation on Curbing the Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009.
- 2) I am fully aware as to what constitutes ragging and the penal and administrative action that is able to be taken against my ward in case my son/daughter found guilty of or abetting ragging activity or passively or being part of a conspiracy to promote ragging.
- 3) I hereby solemnly aver and undertake that
 - a) My ward will not indulge in any behavior or act that may be constituted as ragging under clause 3 of the Regulations.
 - b) My son/daughter will not participate in or abet or propagate through any act of commission or commission that may be constituted as ragging under 3 of the Regulations.
- 4) I hereby affirm that, if found guilty of ragging, my ward will be liable for punishment according to clause 9.1 of the regulations, without prejudice to any other criminal action that may be taken against my ward under any penal law or any law for the time being in force.

I hereby declare that my ward has not been expelled or debarred in admission in any institution in the country on account of being found guilty of, abetting or being part of a conspiracy to promote, ragging; and further affirm that in case the declaration is found to be untrue, my son/daughters admission is able to be cancelled.

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