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**WARNING AGAINST RAGGING**

1. **Ragging is, now, a crime.** No one can feign ignorance of the law. In pursuance of the directions/decisions of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India, those who indulge in ragging can be punished with:

- Jail for period ranging from Six months to Ten years.
- Fine up to Rs. 50,000/-
- Embossing of certificates that '*The student had indulged in ragging*' which will:
  - Adversely affect career prospects.
  - Adversely affect opportunities to go abroad for the students on whose certificates it would embossed that he/she had indulged in ragging as a result they will not get passport and Visa.

2. As per Hon'ble Supreme Court ruling, the accused of ragging, depending upon the nature of act/offence, can also be tried under various provisions of the *Indian Penal Code (IPC)* some of them are as following-

S.No.	Offene	Sections of IPC	Punishment
1.	Causing physical or mental harm – Hurt, Grievous hurt, Voluntarily or otherwise,	319, 320, 321, 322	Jail term for One year or Rs.1,000/- fine or both
2.	Causing hurt on being provoked	334	Jail term for One month or Rs.500/- fine or both
3.	Causing grievous hurt on being provoked	335	Jail term for Four years or Rs.2,000/- fine or both
4.	Endangering personal safety of others	336, 337, 338	Jail term from Three months to Two Years or fine of Rs.500/- to Rs.1,000 or both
5.	Wrongful restraint	339	Jail term for One month or Rs. 500/- fine or both
6.	Wrongful confinement	340	Jail term for One year or Rs. 1,000/- fine or both
7.	Forcing a person to act against his/her will	349	Jail term for Three month or Rs.500/- fine or both
8.	Using criminal force	350	Jail term for Three month or Rs.500/- fine or both
9.	Assaulting – To create apprehension of causing physical or mental hurt	351	Jail term for Three month or Rs.500/- fine or both
10.	Assaulting or using criminal force against woman	354	Jail term for Two years or fine or both

3. As per UGC Regulation "Curbing the meance of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions (third amendment), Regulations, 2016", 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, lingustic identity, place of birth, place of residence or economic background, which is highly punishable in above mentioned Section of IPC.

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