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GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM OFFICE OF THE DIRECTORATE OF HIGHER EDUCATION ,ASSAM KAHILIAPARA, GUWAHATI-19

No.DHE/CE/AQ.11/2018/10

Dated Kahilipara the 14-08-2018

From:

Smti Gitimoni Phukan, A.C.S.

Director of Higher Education, Assam

Kahilipara, Guwahati-19

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The Principal,

.....(all) College,

Sub:

Constitute Committee for sexual Harassment.

Ref:

DHE's letter No. DHE/PEN/Misc-1/2015/9 dated 20/11/2015

Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I have the honour to state that it has been observed that some colleges hawnot constitute the committee for Sexual Harassment at work place against women as per instruction given vide letter No. DHE/PEN/Misc-1/2015/9 dated 20/11/2015 (copy enclosed).

You are therefore, requested to constitute a committee for Sexual Harassment at work place against women by taking the faculty member, administrator, student representative and legal expert as early as possible and sent the compliance report on or before 20/8/2018.

The matter may be treated as Most Urgent.

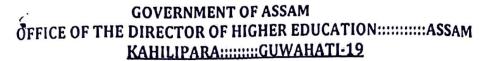
Yours faithfully

Director of Higher Education, Assar

Kahilipara, Guwahati-19

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Principal Silapathar College Silapathar, Dhemaji





No. DHE/PEN/Misc-1/2015/9

Dated 20/11/2015

From:- Shri P. Jidung, M.A.,M.Phil.,LL.B.,AES
Director of Higher Education, Assam
Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

To,

The Principal All Colleges.

Sub:- Regarding submission of status report

Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, I am appreciating your action taken in your college and submission of status report regarding anti-ragging, functioning of committee for sexual harassment at work place etc. In this regard, Govt. of Assam, Education Deptt. has also requested us to submit a detail report against each point in the interest of students community as noted below.

1. Anti-Ragging measures adopted

- (a) Constitute an Anti-ragging Vigilance Committee by the teaching staff.
- (b) At least 2(two) help line numbers.
- (c) Undertaking/Affidavit to be submitted by the students at the time of admission.
- (d) Poster, banner to be displayed inside and outside the college campus.

 (all these in formations are to be uploaded in your college website and prospectus)

2. Functioning of committee for Sexual Harassment at work place against women.

(a) Constitute a committee by the faculty, administrator, students representative and legal expert.

3. Tutorial and Remedial classes taken in the Institutions

(a) Number of tutorials and remedial classes to be organized by the concerned academic department separately along with a detail report.



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ss Management for the final year students.



(a) Constitute a stress management committee/students counseling cell and submit report regarding spiritual awareness, organizing workshop etc. as per UGC guideline.

5. Attendance monitoring system vise-a-visa UGC/AICTE guideline.

Name of the departments & No. of students	Name of professors with designation (working against	Total no. of classes allotted				Total no. of classes attended/total			Total hours of classes taken by college teachers	Remarks	
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Measures taken by the Institutions for career counseling and placement of students.

6. (a) Constitute a career counseling cell to provide career guidance and placement information to the students as per UGC guidelines and submit report.

7. Any innovative scheme/Programmes taken by the institutions

- (a) Self defence
- (b) Spoken English
- (c) Personality development of students
- (d) Foreign language study
- (e) Free yoga, Blood donation camp, free of dirt impurity from the college campus etc.
- (f) N.C.C. etc
- (g) B S & G (Rover & Ranger) for college students.

You are therefore requested to submit a detail report (both soft & hard copy) against each point

Yours faithfully,

Director of Higher Education, Assam Kahilipara, Guwahati-19.

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Secretary

D.O.No.F.91-1/2013(GS)

By Speed Post

23rd July, 2015

Silapathar College Silapathar Dhemaji

Dear Sir/Madam,

UGC had earlier sent an advisory vide letter No. 91-3/2014(GS) dated 28th January, 2015 enumerating various measures to prevent sexual harassment, followed by a letter dated 15th June, 2015 for forwarding annual returns on cases of sexual harassment. You were also requested to constitute Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) as per Sexual Harassment at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act. 2013 and hold regular meetings of the ICC and also ensure adequate publicity about it by displaying posters in prominent places, their contact details and the procedure for filing the complaint with the ICC. Copies of the earlier letters alongwith proforma are available on UGC website i.e. www.ugc.ac.in under 'Notices' section.

You are, therefore, requested to send the Annual Return on cases of Sexual Harassment as per proforma for the period from 1st April, 2014 to 31st March, 2015 and also details of constitution of ICC to the UGC on email i.e. *ugc.iccgs@gmail.com* latest by 7th August, 2015 so as to enable UGC to compile and furnish the information to the Government of India. This may also be brought to the notice of the colleges affiliated to your esteemed University for compliance.

This may please be accorded Top Priority.

With kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

(Jaspal S. Sandhu)

The Vice-Chancellor of all Universities.

Copy to:

The Publication Officer, UGC, New Delhi for uploading on UGC website

Jaspal S. \$andhu)



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D.O. No. F.91-3/2014 (GS)

Dear Sir/Madam.

January, 2015 12 8 JAN 2015

You may be aware that the UGC had constituted a Task Force to review the existing arrangements for the safety and security of girls & women in particular and of the entire youth in general on the campuses of institutions of higher learning. It is necessary that the University/Institute/College must have a. committee and a separate cell to deal with issues of gender based violence and gender sensitization programs, to evaluate, assist and support Higher Educational Institutes to meet certain requirements which will make mandatory in order to give effect to a policy of zero tolerance on campuses for gender based violence and harassment with a view to eliminating cultures of impunity (and also cultures of silence and complicity). The Cell could provide on-going management advice, supervision and oversight, as well as information material from time-to-time. The senior officers/faculty members, including Registrar of the University, and Principal of the College should keep a close watch to ensure that such incidents do not occur at all.

Further, the University/Institute/College may develop a page on their web-site for lodging such complaints of Sexual harassment and also place a complaint register in the Registrar/Principal office for the purpose. If any such incident comes to the notice of the authorities, action should be taken against the erring official/faculty members promptly under intimation to UGC.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,

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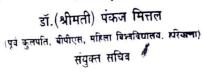
The Vice-Chancellor (All 676 Universities)







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Dr. (Mrs.) Pankaj Mittal (Former Vice-Chancellor, BPS Women University, Haryona)

Joint Secretary

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No. F. 91-1/2013 (GS)

The Vice Chancellor (All 706 Universities) As per list attached

June, 2015

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Forwarding of Annual Return on cases of Sexual Harassment -Sub:

I am directed to enclose letters No.C-36011/1/2010-PG dated 27th February, 2015 and No.C-30011/1/2015-Vig. Dated 12th May, 2015 received from Ministry of Human Resource Development regarding forwarding of Annual Report on cases of Sexual Harassment. As the information has to be furnished to the Ministry of Human Resource Development immediately, you are requested to send the required information for the period 1st April, 2014 to 31st March, 2015 in the enclosed proforma to the UGC latest by 22nd June, 2015 to enable UGC to furnish the information to MHRD for onward transmission to DOPT.

An immediate action in the matter would be highly appreciated.

Encl: As above.

Publication Officer, UGC with a request to upload on the UGC Website.

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(Pankaj Mittal)

Yours faithfully,

Most Immediate

No.C-30011/1/2015-Vig. Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) Vigilance Section

Room No.231'C', Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi, the 19 May, 2015.

To

Vice Chancellor/Directors, All autonomous Organizations. (As per list attached)

Subject:-Forwarding of Annual Return on cases of Sexual Harassment - regarding.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to Vigilance Wing's letter No. C-36011/1/2010-PG dated 27th February 2015 on the above mentioned subject and to state that Annual Return for the period from 1st April 2014 to 31st March 2015 sought from the attached/ subordinate offices/ autonomous bodies/ PSUs on which the Ministry has jurisdiction, is still awaited from most of organizations. As the information has to be furnished to DOPT, it is once again requested that the requisite information may kindly be furnished to Vigilance Wing immediately repeat immediately to enable us to furnish the information to DOPT.

2. This may please be accorded top priority.

Yours faithfully,

Under Secretary (Vig.)

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Most Immediate

No.C-36011/1/2010.PG. Government of India Ministry of Human Resource Development (Department of Higher Education) Vigilance Section

Room No.231'C', Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi, the J7-February, 2015.

To

The Head of Organizations, (As per list attached)

Sent innoigh a office

Subject:- Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964 - Guidelines regarding preventions of sexual harassment of women at the workplace and Annual Report on cases of Sexual Harassment - regarding.

Sir/Madam,

The undersigned is directed to forward herewith a copy of Department of Personnel and Training (DOPT)'s OM No. 11013/ 2/2014-Estt. (A-III) dated 2nd February 2015 on the above mentioned subject to comply with the instructions/guidelines issued by DOPT. It is also requested to-furnish annual return (as on 31st March) in the enclosed proforma to the Ministry by 15th April every year to enable Vigilance Wing to furnish the repot to DOPT within the stipulated time.

Yours faithfully,

Under ecretary (Vig.)

Copy to

All Bureau Heads as per list attached.

No. 11013/2/2014-Estt (A-III)
Government of India
Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions
Department of Personnel and Training
Establishment Division

North Block, New Delhi Dated February 2, 2015

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject:

Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964 - Guidelines regarding prevention of sexual harassment of women at the workplace- regarding

Following the promulgation of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013 [SHWW(PPR) Act] and notification of the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Rules, 2013 [SHWW(PPR) Rules] on 09.12.2013, the Government has recently, on 19 11.2014, notified the amendments to Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964 and Classification. Control and Appeal Rules, 1965. The amendments and other salient features of the Act/ Rules was brought to the notice of all concerned vide Office Memorandum of even no. dated 27.11.2014. The amendments to the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules 1964 and Classification, Control and Appeal Rules, 1965 and the Office Memorandum dated 01.12.2014 are available on the Department's website.

The following guidelines, conveying the decision of the Committee of Secretaries on this subject, were issued vide this Department's Office Memorandum No. 11013/3/2009-Estt.(A) dated 03.08.2009,

"As regards provisions for protection of women, it was suggested that the complaints committee mechanism provided under Vishakha guidelines relating to sexual harassment should be strictly in accordance with the judgment and steps should be taken to ensure that the committee is effective and functional at all times. It would also be desirable for the Committees to meet once a quarter, even if there is no live case, and review preparedness to fulfil all requirements of the Vishakha judgment in the Department/Ministry/ organization concerned."

- 3. As per the guidelines issued vide Office Memorandum dated 21.07.2009, it is also to be ensured that the Complaints Committee shall at all times be in existence and changes in its composition, whenever necessary, should be made promptly and adequately publicized. The composition of the Complaints Committee should also be posted on the websites of the concerned Ministries/Departments/Offices concerned.
- 4. Vide the Office Memorandum dated 01.12.2014, the attention of the Ministries/ Departments was also invited to the reporting requirements mentioned in the SHWW(PPR) Act and SHWW(PPR) Rules.

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- 5. All Ministries/ Departments are requested to please review the progress of implementation of the existing abovementioned guidelines issued in the aftermath of the Vishakha judgment.
- 6. Attention of all Ministries is invited to Section 22 of the Act relating to including information in Annual Report, and to request that information relating to number of cases filed, if any, and their disposal may be included in the Annual Report of the Ministry / Department.
- 7. All Ministries / Departments are also requested to furnish an annual return (as on 31st March) in the enclosed proforma to this Department by 30th April every year.

(J.A. Vaidyanathan) Director (E) Telefax: 2309 3179

To

- 1. The Secretaries of all Ministries/ Departments
- 2. President's Secretariat, New Delhi
- 3. Vice-President's Secretariat, New Delhi
- 4. The Prime Minister's Office, New Delhi
- 5. Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi
- 6. Rajya Sabha Secretariat/ Lok Şabha Secretariat, New Delhi
- 7. The Registrar General, the Supreme Court of India, New Delhi
- 8. The Registrar, Central Administrative Tribunal, Principal Bench, New Delhi
- 9. The Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi
- 10. The Secretary, Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi
- 11. The Secretary, Staff Selection Commission, New Delhi
- 12. The Chief Vigilance Officers of the all Ministries/ Departments
- All attached offices under the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions.
- 14. National Commission for Scheduled Castes, New Delhi
- 15. National Commission for Scheduled Tribes, New Delhi
- 16. National Commission for OBCs, New Delhi
- 17. The Secretary, National Council (JCM), 13, Feroze Shah Road, New Delhi
- 18. Director (Administration), DoPT
- 19-NIC (DOP&T) for placing this Office Memorandum on the Website.
 - 20. Hindi Section for providing the Hindi translation

Principal
Silapathar, Dhemaji

Reference: DOP&T O.M.No. 11013/2/2014-Estt.A-III dated February 2, 2015

Annual Return on cases	s of Sexual Harassment
Period: 1st April	to 31st March,

Ministry / Department :

S.No.		Ministry / Department	Autonomous Bodies
1.	Number of complaints of sexual harassment received in the year		
2.	Number of complaints disposed off during the year		
3.	Number of cases pending for more than 90 days		
4.	Number of workshops on awareness programmes against sexual harassment conducted during the year		
5.	Nature of action		

Note:

- Information is to be provided in consolidated form in respect of Ministry/ Department as a whole (including Attached / Subordinate Offices).
- 2. Information consolidated in respect of autonomous bodies may be provided in the appropriate column.

