RAGGING & PUNISHMENT AT THE INSTITUTIONAL LEVEL : ANTI-RAGGING COMMITTEE:

The following committee has been constituted for maintaining discipline in the campus to control ragging activities:-

1.	Principal, Govt. Polytechnic, Daman	- Chairman.
2.	Head of Department (Civil)	- Member
3.	Head of Department (Mechanical)	- Member
4.	Head of Department (Chemical)	- Member
5.	Head of Department (I.T.)	- Member
6.	Head of Department (Electrical)	- Member
7.	Head of Department (Computer)	- Member
8.	Lecturer in Chemistry	- Member
9.	Representative of Local Police Station, Kalariya	- Member
10.	Representative of Local NGO	- Member

AICTE Prohibition of ragging act 1999 which is in effect from 15 May 1999 has the following provisions for action against ragging.

- a) Ragging within or outside of any educational institution is prohibited.
- b) Whosever directly or indirectly commits, participates in, abets, or propagates ragging within or outside any educational institution shall, on conviction, be punished with imprisonment for a term up to 2 years and / or as per action of law.
- c) Any student convicted of an offence of ragging shall be dismissed from the educational institution and such student shall not be admitted in any other educational institution for a period of five years from the date of order of such dismissal.
- d) Whenever any student or, as the case may be, the parent or a teacher of an educational institution complaints, in writing, of ragging to the head of the educational institution shall, without prejudice to the foregoing provisions, within seven days of the receipt of the complaint, enquire into the matter mentioned in the compliant, enquire into the matter mentioned in the complaint and if, prima facie, it is found true, suspend the student who is accused of the offence, and shall immediately forward the compliant to the police station having jurisdiction over the area in which the educational institution is situated for further action. Where, on enquiry by the head of the educational institution, it is found that there is no substance, prima facie, in the complaint received; he / she shall intimate the fact, in writing, to the complaint. The decision of the head of the educational institution shall be final.

e) If the head of the educational institution fails or neglects to act in the manner specified in section "d" above when a complaint of ragging is made, such person

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shall be deemed to have abetted the offence and shall on conviction be punished as provided for in section "b" above.

- f) Any acts or its amendments which may be published from time to time by AICTE, Government or Judgements by Hon. Supreme Court of India, Hon. High Court of Mumbai etc. will be applicable to candidates & Institutions covered under these rules of admission.
- g) Students / parents are informed to see the copy of AICTE regulations on cubing the menace of ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009 and read it carefully and fully understand the provisions contained in the said regulations.
- h) Students and parents are suggested to login on www.amanmovement.com for furnishing information about anti-ragging. The PDF generated after fulfilling required information should be duly signed by both students and parents and are required to submit to Government Polytechnic, Daman office.

At the institution level: Depending upon the nature and gravity of the offence as established by the Anti-Ragging Committee of the institution, the possible punishments for those found guilty of ragging at the institution level shall be any one or any combination of the following:

- (i) Cancellation of admission.
- (ii) Suspension from attending classes.
- (iii) Withholding / withdrawing scholarship / fellowship and other benefits.
- (iv) Debarring from appearing in any test / examination or other evaluation process.
- (v) Withholding results.
- (vi) Debarring from representing the institution in any regional, national or international meet, tournament, youth festival etc.
- (vii) Suspension expulsion from the hostel.
- (viii) Rustication from the institution for period ranging from 1 to 6 semesters.
- (ix) Expulsion from the institution and consequent debarring from admission to any other institution.
- (x) Fine of Rupees 25,000/-.
- (xi) Collective punishment: when the persons committing or abetting the crime of ragging are not identified, the institution shall resort to collective punishment as a deterrent to ensure community pressure on the potential

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The decision of the Principal in this matter shall be final.