

# Anti Ragging Booklet

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*(This document is printed and circulated as per clauses 6.2(a), (b) and (c) of the University Grants Commission's Regulations No. F.1-16/2007 (CPP-II) dated 17 June, 2009.*

*This has also reference to 5.06 and 5.27 of the report of the Raghavan Committee constituted by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.*

*The full text of the Regulation is available at the UGC website [www.ugc.ac.in](http://www.ugc.ac.in))*



**JORHAT ENGINEERING COLLEGE**  
**A Ragging Free Campus**

## Preface

This booklet primarily contains the abstract from the UGC's Regulations issued vide No. F1-16/2007(CPP-II) dated 17 June, 2009.

The names and contact information of the Anti-Ragging Squad are also provided for the assistance of the newcomers if required. Besides the contacts, some statutory officers' information is also provided in this booklet.



## 1. Abstract from the UGC Regulation

- 1.1 Education, specially higher education, should open new vistas of learning and knowledge. Equal opportunities and high regard for human rights are two fundamental pillars of effective learning and practical knowledge. We, at Jorhat Engineering College are committed to building a society that is just, equal, and free from any prejudice.
- 1.2 We zealously guard the privileges of students and protect the basic human rights and liberties of all, especially of the College newcomers. We all welcome the newcomers with an open and warm heart and endeavor to make their entry into this sacred temple of learning as smooth as possible.
- 1.2.1 **Therefore we are pledged to have a Ragging Free College.**  
*Ragging is totally prohibited in the College and anyone found guilty of ragging and/or abetting it, whether actively or passively, or being a part of conspiracy to promote ragging, is liable to be punished strictly in accordance to the rules laid down by the University, University Grants Commission and in accordance to the provisions of the Assam Prohibition of Ragging Act, 1999.*
- 1.3. Ragging, as defined by the Honourable Supreme Court of India in its landmark judgement in 2001, is defined as,

***“Any disorderly conduct whether by words spoken or written or by an act which has the effect of teasing, treating or handling with rudeness any other student, indulging in rowdy or undisciplined activities which causes or is likely to cause annoyance, hardship or psychological harm or to raise fear or apprehension thereof in a fresher or a junior student or asking the students to do any act or perform something which such student will not in the ordinary course and which has the effect of causing or generating a sense of shame or embarrassment so as to adversely affect the physique or psyche of a fresher or a junior student.”***

In UGC Regulations in Curbing the menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009 ragging is defined as

“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.”

- 1.3.1 Ragging, which is also known as *hazing* or *fagging* in the western world is a punishable offence according to **The Assam Prohibition of Ragging Act, 1999**. The Assam legislation which is treated as the Law of the Land for this purpose defines ragging as,

***“Either display of noisy or disorderly conduct or doing of any act which causes or is likely to cause social, physical or psychological harm or raise apprehension or fear or shame or embarrassment to any student in any educational institution and includes teasing, abusing of, playing practical jokes on or causing hurt to, such students; or asking the student to do any act or perform something which such student will not, in the ordinary course, willingly do.”***

- 1.3.1 The University Grants Commission in its document “UGC Regulations on Curbing The Menace of Ragging in Higher Educational Institutions, 2009” has **defined ragging as one or more of the following acts.**

- 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 on any other student;
- b. indulging in rowdy or indisciplined 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 the 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;
- d. 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 any other danger to health or person;
- h. any act or abuse by spoken words, emails, post, public insults which would also include deriving perverted pleasure, vicarious or sadistic thrill from actively or passively participating in the discomfiture to fresher or any other student;
- i. 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.

1.3.2 The University Grants Commission in the document mentioned at clause 3.1A has recommended certain measures to be adopted by Universities/colleges. We, at Jorhat Engineering College are bound to implement these measures in strict compliance, in letter and spirit.

**1.3.2.1 Anti-Ragging Committee (ARC):** An Anti-Ragging Committee is already set up with members from outside and inside the College under the Chairmanship of the Principal to oversee overall anti-ragging initiatives.

**1.3.2.2 Anti-Ragging Squad (ARS):** The Anti Ragging Squad of the College under the Chairmanship of one of the senior faculty and members taken from all sections of the College employees takes up the following measures to prevent ragging. The names and mobile numbers of the members are attached in this document.

- a. Vigilance at all hours including at odd hours, all around the Campus, particularly in the hostels.
- b. Arrangement and conduct of joint sensitization programs to counsel newcomers and old students.
- c. Arrangement of and presence in “ice-breaking” sessions among the new and old students in the hostels and elsewhere (*detail schedule of these sessions will be made available in the notice boards of the departments and hostels on the first day of the new academic session*).
- d. Occasional dining with the boarders in the hostels to instill confidence among the newcomers.
- e. Conduct anonymous random surveys among freshers to check whether the Campus is indeed free from ragging.
- f. Any other activity the Anti-Ragging Committee might delegate to the Squad.

1.4. **Rights and Duties of New-comers and their guardians :**

A fresher should consider the College community as his/ her family and should maintain cordial relationship with other members of the community, particularly with the senior students. He/she, like any other student, enjoys all rights and privileges that are available to any free citizen of this country. It is the duty of the students, therefore, NOT to obey any orders or requests from anyone in the hostel (apart from the administrators) or within or outside the Campus if he/she feels embarrassed or undignified by complying with such requests. It is the responsibility of the fresher or any other person(s) who is/are aware about such request or order to bring it to the immediate notice of the Principal or any member of the ARC, ARS mentioned above. It should be noted that failing to do so is an offence as per College rules and thus liable to be punished. **The confidentiality of such student(s)/guardian(s) will be strictly maintained.** The guardian should cooperate with the College Authority to seek redressal of the grievances of the freshers, if any.

1.4.1. Honourable Supreme Court also suggested (on the recommendation of Raghavan Committee) that every single incident of ragging where the victim or his parent/guardian or the Head of the Institute is not satisfied with the Institute's arrangement for action, an FIR must be filed by the institutional authority with the local police. As soon as the FIR is lodged the offence will be treated as per provisions of the Law of the Land (i.e., Assam Prohibition of Ragging Act, 1999)

1.5. **Rights and Duties of the Old (Senior) Students:** As the new-comers are, in most of the cases, first timers in Jorhat Engineering College, it is the duty of the seniors to guide the freshers properly so that they feel at home. The seniors should remember the days when they left their parents, the security of home and set foot in this hitherto unknown Campus. It is the modesty, helpfulness, love and cooperation of the seniors that will contribute towards making the new comers good and responsible members of the University community. It is also the responsibility of the old students to explore the talents in the freshers in the "ice breaking sessions" in hostels. However, they should note that this can be done only in the presence of the members of the ARC, or ARS or their representatives.

1.5.1 Seniors should take active and wholehearted part in making sure that no ragging takes place anywhere on the Campus and should report any such incidents immediately. It is the commitment of the College authority to keep the identity of such students in strict confidence. It is noteworthy that people involved directly or indirectly in ragging including the onlookers are liable to be punished under the College rules.

## **1.6. Punishment:**

1.6.1 A student found guilty of ragging under the provision of *Regulations on Maintenance of Students' Discipline* of Jorhat Engineering College is punishable by suspension/rustication from College.

1.6.2 Under the provisions of the Assam Prohibition of Ragging Act, 1999 ragging is a criminal offence and punishable by a

fine of Rs. 10000/- and imprisonment upto 6 months.

- 1.6.2.a Under the provisions, educational Institutions are also liable for disciplinary proceedings if they fail to or neglect in taking action against the erring students.
- 1.6.2.b Students found to indulge in ragging will be expelled from the College for a period not less than one academic session, while the authority concerned may put out advertisements in local newspapers making the announcement public.
- 1.6.3 The offenders will also be punished under the provisions as per the clause 9.1 of the UGC's aforementioned Regulations.
- 1.6.3a Under clause 9.3 (of the said Regulations) the faculty and staff of the College are liable for disciplinary action if they fail to report, take timely action, and/or found guilty of showing apathetic or insensitive attitude towards prevention of ragging.

## **1.7. Epilogue:**

As mentioned in the UGC Regulations the aim of this document is to disseminate the idea of prevention of ragging through educational campaign. We sincerely hope that the provisions highlighted here will restrain any misadventure on the part of the senior students, who are indeed path-breakers for their juniors.

## **Pledge of Students**

All students of Jorhat Engineering College are required to submit online Anti-ragging undertaking as per the UGC format through the website: [www.antiragging.in](http://www.antiragging.in) and submit printout of the undertaking with signatures of the students and their parents to the Student Branch, JEC.

**JORHAT ENGINEERING COLLEGE**  
**Anti Ragging Committee**

Memo No. JEC/Estt/2025/15633-34 Dated Jorhat the 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2025

The Anti Ragging Committee of Jorhat Engineering College (As per All India Council for Technical Education notified Regulation for prevention and prohibition of ragging in AICTE approved Technical Institutions vide No. 37-3/ Legal/ AICTE/ 2009 dated 01.07.2009) and UGC Regulation issued in this regard is constituted with the following members

<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>	<b>Mobile</b>
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Dr. Diganta Hatibaruah	Professor, Mechanical Engineering	9954486973
Dr. Arup Bhattacharjee	Professor, Civil Engineering	9435514576
Dr. Mrinal Buragohain,	Professor, Electrical Engineering	9706067840
Dr. Mrinal Kumar Dutta	Associate-Prof, Civil Engineering	8638024038
Dr. Aditi Bazbarua	Non-Government Organizations involved in youth activities	9435352361
Mr. Sankab Kausik Baruah	Local Media	9101165572
Mr. Bipul Kalita	Parents Representative	9678360334
Mr. Bibek Dutta	Fresher's representative	9854338882
Ms. Ipsita Debashree Tanti	Fresher's representative	9707523288
Mr. Pranjal gogoi	Student's representative General Secretary, JECSU	8876446710
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Principal , Jorhat Engineering College  
Jorhat - 785007

## **JORHAT ENGINEERING COLLEGE ANTI RAGGING SQUAD**

As per Clause No.6.3 (c) of UGC Regulation No. F. 1-16/2007(CCP-II) dated 17<sup>th</sup> June, 2009, the Anti Ragging Squad of Jorhat Engineering College for the Academic Session 2024-2025 is constituted with the following members.

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The squad will assist the Anti Ragging Committee in curbing ragging of any form within the College.

The members of the committee will conduct surprise visit in the hostels during different hours of the day. They will also dine sometimes with the residents of the hostels, conduct orientation and ice-breaking sessions in the hostels till the freshmen social is held. The members will also initiate, take active part and monitor the Anti Ragging activities in the concerned academic department. In case any instance of ragging is reported, the squad will conduct immediate enquiry and will report to the Anti Ragging committee for further necessary action.

**JORHAT ENGINEERING COLLEGE**  
**Hostel Superintendent**

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1	Dr. Champak Kumar Bharali	9101447901	bharalick@gmail.com
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## **JORHAT ENGINEERING COLLEGE**

**Ragging is totally prohibited in the institution, and if anyone is found guilty, the offender is liable to be punished**

### **NATIONAL RAGGING PREVENTION PROGRAMME**

**National Anti-Ragging Helpline**

**24x7 Toll Free 1800-180-5522**

**helpline@antiragging.in**

**www.antiragging.in**

**UGC Monitoring Agency :: Centre for Youth (C4Y)**

**antiragging@c4yindia.org | www.c4yindia.org**

**RAGGING IS A CRIMINAL OFFENCE AND THE CULPRITS  
WILL ATTRACT PUNITIVE ACTION AS MENTIONED IN  
THE UGC REGULATIONS**

**[www.antiragging.in/assets/pdf/annexure/Annexure-I.pdf](http://www.antiragging.in/assets/pdf/annexure/Annexure-I.pdf)**