OFFICE OF THE DEAN UNIVERSITY INSTRCUTION PANJAB UNIVERSITY, CHANDIGARH

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Minutes of the urgent meeting of the Anti Ragging Committee held on 30.03.2015 in the Vice-Chancellor's Committee Room under the Chairmanship of Dean University Instruction to consider an email received from Anti Ragging & Anti Racial Abuse pertaining to Complaint No.PB-2024.

PRESENT:

- 1. Dean University Instruction ... Chairman
- 2. Dean Student Welfare (M)
- 3. Dean Student Welfare (W)
- 4. ASP (Central), nominee of S.S.P. Chandigarh
- 5. Prof. Nishtha Jaswal
- 6. Dr. Sushil Kansal
- 7. PUTA President
- 8. Mr. Chandan Rana, Research Scholar
- 10.Chief of University Security
- 11. Dr. Supinder Kaur, officiating Warden GH-7 (called to explain the position)
- 12. A.R. (DSW) ...Convener

The Registrar, Prof. Kalpana K. Mahajan, Joint Secretary UT, Director, A.I.R., Director D.D., Chandigarh, Director ID&C, Professor Anil Monga, Prof. R.K. Gupta, Prof. S.K. Sharma, Director, HSJIDS & H, Ms. Rupinder Kaur, Dr. Sabina Salim could not attend the meeting.

The Vice-Chancellor also attended the meeting for some time and briefed the members.

Professor Navdeep Goyal, D.S.W. (M) briefed the members about dispute between Ms. Nusrat and Aditi, residents of Girls Hostel No.-7. He stated that to resolve the issue a meeting of the Anti-Ragging Committee was called on 16.03.2015 in the VCCR. Both the parties were heard in the meeting and the committee came to the conclusion that it was not a case of ragging but sheer personal quarrel between the residents, therefore, DSW(M) and DSW(W) were instructed to handle the case accordingly.

Subsequently, a meeting was arranged amongst Professor Arun K. Grover, the Vice-Chancellor, Secretary to Vice-Chancellor, Ms Aditi and her father by the DSW(W) on 20.03.2015 to resolve the issue and in this meeting it was decided to shift Ms. Aditi and Ms. Nusrat to other hostels. Ms. Nusrat was assured that she would be allotted a single room considering that she is a research scholar and that all the shifting expenses would be borne by the University.

Dr. Navdeep Goyal informed the members that he got a call from S.P. Shrinagar regarding the ragging incident as well from the sister of Nusrat Dilawar. In his clarification, Dr. Goyal conveyed them the decision of the committee to change the hostel of both the

residents and explained that it was not a case of ragging, rather it is a case of interpersonal conflict amongst the students. He also advised Nusrat's sister to convince Nusrat to cooperate with the authorities.

Dr. Supinder Kaur, Acting Warden, Girls' Hostel No.7 narrated that a clash erupted on 27.03.2015 between Nusrat and Aisha around 10.30 p.m. To discuss the complaints received from both the students, Dr. Supinder Kaur convened an emergent meeting with DSW(M), DSW(W), Chief Security Officer where it was resolved to shift the students to other hostels at the earliest.

It was brought to the notice of the Committee that Ms. Aditi has not been residing in the hostel since 203.2015 and that till the meeting of the committee, she was not in the hostel, but rather she is residing with her parents. Orders were issued on 27/28.3.2015 to Ms. Aditi and Ms. Aisha to shift to G.H. No. 5 and Ms. Nusrat was ordered to shift to G.H. No. 1. In the mean time, Ms. Aditi sent a complaint to the Anti-Ragging Helpline, Ms. Nusrat sent a complaint to S.H.O. and Ms. Aisha gave a representation to the Vice-Chancellor.

After going through the details of the sequence of events, it was unanimously resolved as under:

- 1. That the parents of all the concerned students be called and the decision of the committee be conveyed to them
- 2. The concerned students, i.e., Aditi and Nusrat, be asked to shift to allotted hostels immediately.
- 3. In case, they fail to comply with the orders, their rooms be locked.
- 4. The copy of the decision be put on the Notice-Board of all the Hostels and also be put on the PU-Website.

Sd/-Asstt. Registrar (DSW) Sd/-Sd/-Sd/-Sd/-D.S.W.(M) D.S.W.(W) (PUTA President) (A.S.P., (Central)Chd) Nominee of SSP, Chd. Sd/-Sd/-Sd/-Sd/-(Dr.Sushil Kansal) (Prof.Nishtha Jaswal) (Mr.Chandan Rana) (Dr. Supinder Kaur) Sd/-**Dean University Instruction Approved** Sd/-

Vice-Chancellor