### Government College of Engineering, Salem- 11

(An Autonomous Institution affiliated to Anna University, Chennai)



**SELF-STUDY REPORT** 



#### **CRITERION 5**

5.1.4 The institution adopts the following for redressal of student grievances including sexual harassment and ragging cases

- 1. Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies
- 2. Organisation wide awareness and undertakings on policies with zero tolerance
- 3. Mechanisms for submission of online/offline students' grievances
- 4. Timely redressal of the grievances through appropriate committees

(Submitted to National Assessment and Accreditation Council)

#### **Self Declaration**

This is to certify that the supporting documents for this metric exceed the 5MB upload limit. Therefore, links to sample documents and some samples are provided in the following pages. Any/all Supporting documents will be provided, if required. All links, documents and images are verified and authenticated.

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**IQAC – Chairperson** 

Internal Quality Assurance Cell Govt. College of Engineering Salem - 636 011.

### 5.1.4 The institution adopts the following for redressal of student grievances including Anti Gender Harassment and ragging cases.

- 1. Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies.
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S.No	Particulars		Availability	
		Yes	NO	
1	Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies.	✓		
2	Organisation wide awareness and undertakings on policies with zero tolerance.	✓		
3	Mechanisms for submission of online/offline students' grievances.	$\checkmark$		
4	Timely redressal of the grievances through appropriate committees.	✓		

### **Our Response: A**

5.1.4 The institution adopts the following for redressal of student grievances including Anti Gender Harassment and ragging cases.

1.Implementation of guidelines of statutory/regulatory bodies		
Internal Complaints Committee	Link1/ Website link for ICC committee	
Anti Ragging Committee	Link 2/Website link for Anti Ragging Committee	
Anti Ragging Squad	Link 3/Website link for Anti Ragging Squad	
Anti Gender Harassment Committee	Link 4/Website link for Anti Gender Harassment Committee	
SC/ST Cell	Link 5/Website link for SC/ST cell	

Institution Policies Displayed at Website		
Grievances Redressal	Link 6/Grievances Redressal Policy Displayed	
Policy	in website	

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#### 2.Organization wide awareness

#### Anti Ragging Announcements and Displays

#### **Anti Ragging policy Extracts**

#### Prohibition of Ragging in Tamil Nadu Educational Institutions Extract of Act No:7 of 1997.

- (1) Definitions In this Act, unless the context otherwise requires, "ragging" means display of noisy, disorderly conduct doing any act which causes or is likely to cause physical or psychological harm or raise apprehension or fear or shame or embarrassment to a student in any educational institution and includes, -
  - (a) teasing, abusing of, playing practical jokes on, or causing hurt to such student; or
  - (b) asking the student to do any act or perform something which such student will not in the ordinary course willingly do.
- (2) **Prohibition of ragging.** Ragging within or without any educational institution is prohibited.
- (3) Penalty for ragging. Whoever directly or indirectly commits, participates in, abets, or propagates "ragging" within or without any educational institution, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years and shall also be liable to a fine which may extend to ten thousand rupees.
- (4) **Dismissal of student.** Any student convicted of an offence under section 4 shall also be dismissed from the educational institution and such student shall not be admitted in any other educational institution.

#### (5) Suspension of student.

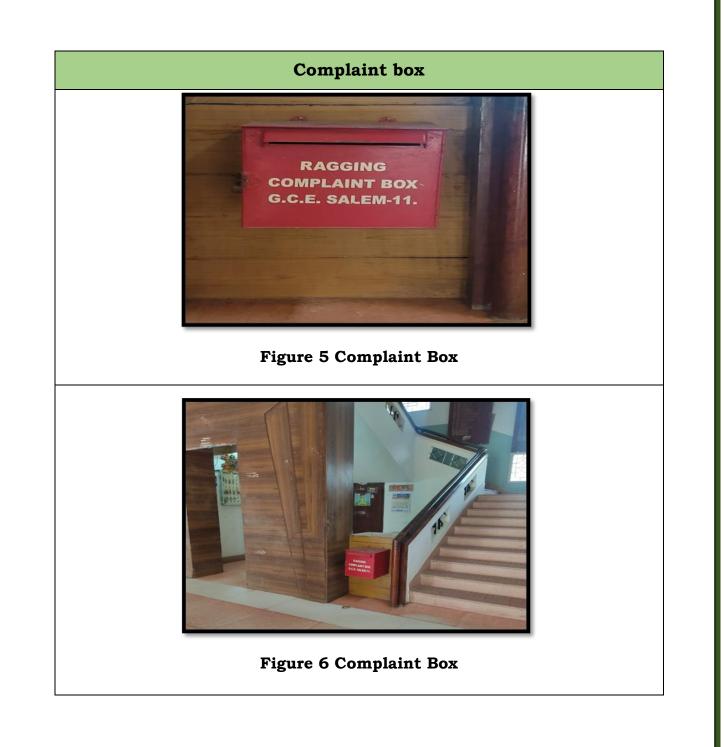
- Without prejudice to the foregoing provisions, whenever any student complaints of ragging to the head of an educational institution, or to any other person responsible for the management of the educational institution, such head of the educational institution or person responsible for the management of the educational institution shall inquire into the same immediately and if found true shall suspend the student, who has committed the offence, from the educational institution.
- (2) The decision of the head of the educational institution or the person responsible for the management of the educational institution that any student has indulged in ragging under sub-section (1) shall be final.



Figure 2 Anti Ragging Policy Displayed @ Main gate



Figure 4 Anti Ragging Policy Displayed @ Boys Hostel



Undertaking on Policies with Zero Tolerance		
Undertaking Forms & Anti Ragging Affidavits	Link 7/Sample of Affidavit by the Institution	
Anti Ragging Squad	Link 8/Anti Ragging Squad	

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3.Mechanisms for submission of online/offline students' grievances				
	Link 9/Internal Compliance Committee			
	Link 10/GCE Salem Students' Grievances Form -Online			
Internal Complaints	Link 11/Institutions Grievances Redressal Mechanism			
Committee	Link 12/Sample of Grievances Received			
	Link 13/Grievances Report by Committee			
	Link 14/GCE Salem Students' Grievances Form -Online			
Anti Ragging Committee	Link 15/Sample of Anti Ragging Affidavits			
	Link 16/Anti Ragging circulars and institutional efforts			
SC/ST Cell	Link 17/GCE Salem Students' Grievances Form -Online			
Anti Ragging	Link 18/Anti-Ragging-squad			
Squad	Link 19/Anti Ragging Squad Vigilance Duty			
	Link 20/GCE Salem Students' Grievances Form -Online			
Anti Gender Harassment	Link 21/Institutions Grievances Redressal Mechanism			
Committee	Link 22/Anti gender Harassment Committee circulars and efforts to promote gender equality			

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4. Timely redressal of the grievances through appropriate committees		
	Link 23/Grievances and Redressal subcommittee circular	
Internal Complaints Committee Report	Link 24/Sample of Grievances Received	
	Link 25/Grievances Report by Committee	
	Link 26/Anti Ragging circulars and institutional efforts	
Anti Ragging Redressal Measures	Link 27/Redressal of Grievances Report	
	Link 28/Institutional Measures on Redressal of Ragging Complaints	
	Link 29/Anti-Ragging-squad	
Anti Ragging Squad	Link 30/Anti Ragging Squad Vigilance Duty	
	Link 31/Vigilance Duty Proceedings	
	Link 32 /Anti Gender Harassment Report	
Anti Gender Harassment	link 33/Institutional Measures on Redressal of Anti Gender Harassment Complaints	
Committee Report	Link 34/Redressal of Grievances Report	
	Link 35/Sample of Anti Ragging Affidavits	
Grievances Statistics	Link 36/Grievances Statistics over the years 2018- 2023	

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