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Sub: - Minutes of the Internal Complaints Committee (ICC) Meeting held on 11.12.2021 – Reg.

Ref: - ICC Meeting Notice dt 01.12.2021

Members Present:

- 1. Dr. M N Suma, Prof. & HOD Dept. of Bio-Chemistry, JSS Medical College, Mysuru
- 2. Prof. Shivananda Bharathi, JSS Law College, Mysuru
- 3. Smt. M S Kokila, Dy. Registrar (Sr. Grade), GAD, JSS AHER, Mysuru
- 4. Dr. Nilani Packianathan, Dy. Director, BQS, JSSAHER, Mysuru
- 5. Dr. Shilpa Palaksha, Asso. Professor, Dept., of Ph. Practice, JSS College of Pharmacy, Mysuru
- 6. Dr. B Gowramma, Asst. Prof. Dept., of Pharmaceutical Chemistry, JSS College of Pharmacy, Ooty
- 7. Dr. Divya Rao B J, Asst. Prof. Dept., of HSMS, JSS AHER, Mysuru
- 8. Dr. N Pallavi, Asst. Prof. Dept., of Water and Health, Faculty of Life Sciences, JSS AHER, Mysuru
- 9. Smt. S Sumithra, Computer Programmer, JSS Dental College & Hospital, Mysuru

Leave of Absence:

1. Smt. Madhuri Tathachari, Managing Trustee, Bhramara Trust, Mysuru

Dr. Suma M N, Chairman of the ICC welcomed the members of the ICC and requested the Member Secretary to take up the agenda to inform / update the issues, or the complaints received if any in the college / hostel / departments.

Agenda:

- a) <u>Confirmation of the minutes of the meeting held on 25.06.2021:</u> As there were no comments made by the members; the minutes of the meeting were confirmed.
- b) <u>Safety / Precautionary measures:</u> The members were happy to inform that the college / hostel / departments have not received any complaints by the staff and students with regard to sexual harassment and gender sensitization.

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Further, Dr. Suma M N enquired as to whether hostel inmates are following the rules and are not going out of the hostel after the stipulated time. The members ensured that the hostel inmates residing both on campus and off campus are returning within the stipulated time and no complaints are recorded by security in this regard.

Prof. Shivananda Bharathi appraised about the incident had with the students at Chamundi Hills during August 2021 and advised the members to sensitize the students to be aware about their whereabouts while they are out of the campus for any reason. The recent incident at Chamundi Hills has shocked the Mysoreans and members appreciated the measure of strictly monitoring the 'In & Out' of the students residing on campus and off campus as a precautionary measure towards any untoward incidents in view of the incident had during August 2021 at Chamundi Hills, Mysuru.

Further, he also, advised to be observant on the student's behavior and their activities involved by them in their friends' groups during their academic progress as a precautionary measure.

The Member Secretary also appraised about the installation of additional CCTV Surveillance at the hostels and completion of streetlight refurbication work is taken up.

c) <u>Orientation on ICC and briefing on related activities:</u> Dr. Suma M N, Chairman of ICC informed the committee about her participation in the webinar / online training organized by National Productivity Council held from 8th to 9th September 2021 and briefed about the said guest lecture.

Meanwhile, Dr. Vidya S, Member, JSSMC reported about the successful conduct of the Crime Awareness Programme held at JSS Medical College from 15th to 17th September 2021wherein, Sri V.Mahesh, Sub Inspector, Office of the Superintendent of Police, Mysore District Control Room, Mysuru highlighted the use of Karnataka State Police App and use of ERSS (Emergency Response Support System) "One Nation One Emergency Number 112"

As there was no other matter, the meeting concluded with vote of thanks by Dr. Divya Rao.

Registrar