

**COMMISSIONER OF COLLEGIATE EDUCATION
TELANGANA STATE, HYDERABAD
CIRCULAR**

Sub: Collegiate Education-Telangana State Anti-Narcotics Bureau (TSANB)–Formation of Anti-Drug Committees (ADCs), similar to Anti-Ragging Committees in the Government, Private Aided and Private Unaided Degree Colleges in Telangana State - Certain Instructions- Issued-Reg.

Ref: ID No.18/T1/TSANB/2023, the Director, TS Anti-Narcotics Bureau, Hyderabad, Dt: 24-07-2023

The Telangana State Anti - Narcotics Bureau (TSANB) has been constituted on 30.04.2023 to combat drug trafficking comprehensively including cultivation, production, transportation, smuggling, sale, purchase, possession or consumption of Narcotics and Psychotropic Substances in the state of Telangana.

Further, vide reference read above, the Director, TSNAB has requested the Commissioner of Collegiate Education, Telangana State for formation of "Anti-Drug Committees" on par with the Anti-Ragging Committees in the Educational Institutions and to take other measures to educate the youth on ill-effects of drug usage and legal consequences, as youngsters are the most vulnerable group.

In this regard, the Principals of Government, Private Aided and Private Unaided Degree Colleges in Telangana State are directed to form "Anti-Drug Committees" and upload/furnish the respective college details of Anti-Drug Committee in the College website and to mail tsnabho-hyd@tspolice.gov.in at the earliest.

In this connection, all the Principals concerned are instructed to constitute the Anti-Drug Committee with at least 5 members and representatives of Civil and Police Administration, NGO involved in youth activities, faculty members, parents, students, non-teaching staff, etc., and arrange the suitable warning hoardings/bill boards/banners in the prominent places within the campus, convene and address a meeting of various functionaries/agencies such as Hostel wardens, parents, faculty, District

administration including police to discuss the measures to be taken to prevent drugs in the institution and steps to be taken to identify those indulging in or abetting drugs peddling/consumption.

Further, the institution shall give wide publicity among students, through various means, about the laws relating to drugs and the catastrophic consequences of drug consumption. The Anti-Drug Committee should conduct events like Anti-Drugs Workshops, Seminars, Orientation programs, Counselling awareness programs, educating on ill-effects of drugs, sessions, encouraging peer policing among students against drugs and reporting of any noticed use of drugs by students to authorities.

If any person comes to know any information regarding Narcotic Drugs and Psychotropic Substances, it shall be informed to the helpline No. 8712671111 and mail to tsnabho-hyd@tspolice.gov.in such information shall be kept confidential as it is classified information and cannot be disclosed to any person or authority.

In this regard, it is informed that the TSNAB has notified that it shall be the overall responsibility of the Colleges and other equivalent educational institutions and its management, to put in place other systems and checks, to eradicate the menace of Narcotic Drugs from in and around their premises.

(The orders of the CCE have been obtained in the note file.)

For Commissioner of Collegiate Education

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To the Registrars of all the State Universities in Telangana

To the Principals of all the Government Degree Colleges in the State

To the Secretaries/Correspondents of all the Private Aided & Private Unaided Degree Colleges in the State