# SIGMA UNIVERSITY

## Office of Registrar

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Subject

: Constitution of Women Development Cell/Internal Complain Committee (ICC)

Reference

: 1) The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and

Redressal) Act, 2013

2) UGC (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal of Sexual Harassment of Women Employees and Students in Higher Education Institute) Regulation 2015

In pursuance of the directions issued by the UGC and MHRD, Sigma University has set up the Women Development Cell (WDC)/ Internal Complain Committee (ICC) and prescribed norms to sensitise the community with regard to gender related issues and create a gender friendly environment. To provide and maintain a dignified, congenial working environment for women employees (including teaching, non-teaching and contractual workers) and students, where they can work, study and explore their potential to the fullest, a WDC/ICC committee has been constituted.

The following Women Development Cell is constituted at the University Level:

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#### Goals of WDC

Any person including faculty, staff, contractual employee, temporary employee, casual worker, and student of Sigma University can approach the Women Development Cell.

### The WDC shall have the following functions.

- To sensitize all members of the Sigma University community about the Supreme Court and statutory mandates prohibiting gender discrimination and sexual harassment in the workplace, and to encourage involvement through academic, cultural, and outreach activities. These may include talks, seminars, workshops, community actions, drama, street theatre, poster-making, and more.
- 2. To Provide dialogue, discussion, and deliberation on women's rights and gender-related issues.
- 3. To encourage participation from NGOs and law enforcement agencies in addressing these issues.
- 4. To establish a resource Center for women and create a platform for the exchange of ideas.
- To review safety and security measures for female employees and girl students at Sigma University campus.
- 6. The meetings will be held every three months throughout the Academic year.
- 7. Representative of Registrar office will take follow up of smooth functioning of Committee.

Mc Priyank Patel

Registrar

To,

The Dean (FET, FPH, FNS, FSC, FCM, FDR, FPT, FDA, FCA, FSW, FSV, FHT, FHS) & Directors/Heads of Different Portfolios/Admin Head/OS/DR/AR (Statutory)/AR(Academics)/AR(Admin)/All Members of WDC

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