No. EDN-HE (21) B (15) 15/2021-V-Directorate of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1 Telephone No. 0177-2653575, Extn. 234, Fax: 2812882,

E-mail: dhe-sml-hp@gov.in, genbr@rediffmail.com

Dated; Shimla-171001, the March, 2023

To

the Deputy Directors of Higher Education, in Himachal Pradesh

Subject: -Strict Compliance of the Provisions Contained in the "Flag Code of India 2002 (as amended in 2021 & 2022) and the prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971"-reg.

Please find enclosed herewith a copy of File No. 15/1/2023-Public-dated; 19.01,2023 received from the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Public Section), North Block, New-Delhi through the Joint Secretary (Higher Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2 vide his/her letter No. EDN-A-Ja (4) 1/2015-dated: 14th February, 2023 on the subject cited above.

In this connection, you are hereby directed to implement the provisions contained in the Flag Code of India-2002 in letter and spirit and also issue necessary instructions to all the Heads of Institutions under your control to adhere to the instructions of the Provisions Contained in the "Flag Code of India 2002(as amended in 2021 & 2022) and the prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971" strictly.

Please treat it as most urgent and action in the matter may be taken on top-priority

basis.

(Dr. Amarjeet K Sharma) Director of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Endorsement No. Even, Dated: Shimla-171001, the March, 2023

Copy for information to;

- The Secretary (Education) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2 with reference to his/her letter No. referred above.
- 2 The Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2 refer to his/her letter No. referred above.
- 3 Pandey Pradeep Kumar, Deputy Secretary, Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Public Section), North Block, New-Delhi1110001 refer to his/her letter No. referred above.

The Technical Officer (Computer/IT Cell), Directorate of Higher Education to upload the Notification on Departmental website.

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Director of Higher Education Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1



**IMMEDIATE** No. EDN-A-Ja (4)1/2015 Government of Himachal Pradesh Department of Higher Education DHE From The Secretary (Hr. Education) to the 1 4 FEB 2023 Government of Himachal Pradesh additionia cadimi To VDirector of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh Shimla-171001. 13 February, 2023 Dated, Shimla-2 the Strict Compliance of the Provisions Contained in the 'Flag Code of India, 2002' (as amended in 2021 & Subject: 2022) and 'The prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971'-reg. Sir, I am directed to enclose herewith a photocopy of GAD letter No. GAD-A(F)9-1/2021 dated 09-02-2023 alongwith its enclosures received from Joint Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh on the subject cited above and to request you to look into the matter and take further necessary action accordingly. Yours faithfully, (Sunil Verma) Joint Secretary (Hr. Edu.) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh \*\*\*\* Sh. satish shaqma

No. GAD-A(F)9-1/2021 Government of Himachal Pradesh General Administration Department. Section-A

From

The Secretary(GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.

To

- All Administrative Secretaries, to the Govt, of Himachal Pradesh.
- The Registrar General, 2. High Court of Himachal Pradesh
- The Secretary to Governor, Himachal Pradesh. 3.
- The Secretary, Himachal Pradesh Vidhan Sabha, Shunla-4 .4.
- All Heads of the Department in Himachal Pradesh. 5.
- All Managing Directors/ CEOs, 6. Boards / Corporations & Autonomous institutions in H.P.
- All Deputy Commissioners in Himachal Pradesh. 7.
- All Superintendents of Police in Himachal Pradesho 8.
- P.S. to All Ministers, H.P.

Dated

Shimla-2.

09 February, 2023:

Subject:-

Strict Compliance of the Provisions Contained in the 'Flag Code of India, 2002' (as amended in 2021 & 2022) and 'The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971- reg.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No.15/1/2023-Public, dated 19.01.2023 received from the Deputy Secretary to the Govt. of India, Ministry of Home Affairs, New Delhi on above cited subject with the request to adhere to the instructions ibid in letter and spirit. It is also requested that suitable instructions in this regard may also be issued to all concerned authorities/agencies under your control. A copy each of 'The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971'and'Flag Code of India, 2002' may kindly be downloaded from official website of the Ministry of Home Affairs i.e. (www.mha.gov.in).

Yours faithfully,

allions (Surject Singh Rathore) Joint Secretary(GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.

February, 2023.

Ph. 0177-2622686(O)

Endst. No. & Date: As above.

Copy for information is forwarded to the Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Ministry of Home Affairs (Public Section) w.r.t. his letter referred above.

> Joint Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh

File No. 15/1/2023-Public Government of India Ministry of Home Affairs (Public Section)

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North Block, New Delhi – 01. Dated: \9 January, 2023

To

The Chief Secretaries/ Administrators of All State Governments / UT Administrations, Secretaries of all Ministries/Departments of Government of India.

Subject:

Strict compliance of the provisions of Flag Code of India, 2002 [as amended in 2021 & 2022] and the Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971-reg.

Sir/ Madam,

I am directed to say that the Indian National Flag represents hopes and aspirations of the people of our country and hence should occupy a position of honour. There is universal affection and respect for, and loyalty to, the National flag. Yet, a perceptible lack of awareness is often noticed amongst people as well as organizations/agencies of the Government, in regard to laws, practices and conventions that apply to display of the National Flag. Copy of 'The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971' and 'Flag Code of India, 2002 [as amended in 2021 & 2022]' which governs the use/hoisting/display of National Flag, are available on this Ministry's website www.mha.gov.in.

- 2. As per clause (x) of Paragraph 2.2 of Part-II of the Flag Code of India, the National Flag made of paper may be waved by public on occasions of important national, cultural and sports events. You are requested to ensure that on the occasions of important national, cultural and sports events, Flags, used by the public, made of paper, are not discarded or thrown on the ground after the event. Such Flags are to be disposed of, in private, consistent with the dignity of the Flag.
- 3. You are also requested to undertake mass awareness programme in this regard and also to give it wide publicity through advertisements in the electronic and print media.

Encl: As above.

Yours faithfully,

19/1/2023

(Pandey Pradeep Kumar)
Deputy Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 2309 3101



Copy to:

1. President's Secretariat, Rashtrapati Bhawan, New Delhi.

2. Vice - President's Secretariat, New Delhi.

3. Prime Minister's Office, South Block, New Delhi.

4. Cabinet Secretariat, New Delhi.

- 5. Office of all Governors.
- 6. Election Commission of India, New Delhi.
- 7. Lok Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 8. Rajya Sabha Secretariat, New Delhi.
- 9. Registrar, Supreme Court of India, New Delhi.

10. Registrar, all High Courts.

- 11. Office of Comptroller and Auditor General of India, New Delhi.
- 12. The Union Public Service Commission, New Delhi.
- 13. Central Vigilance Commission, New Delhi.
- 14. NITI Aayog, Yojana Bhawan, New Delhi.

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