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No. QSD. 8-19/2021/CSK HPKV (GA)/- 11161-11260  
Dated, Palampur, the:-

From

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Registrar

To

1. All the Statutory Officers, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
2. All the Heads of Departments/Units/Offices, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
3. The Medical Officer, University Health Centre, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
4. All the Associate Directors/ Scientist Incharges/Programme Coordinators, RRSs/ RSSs/KVKs, CSK HPKV.

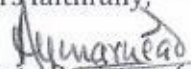
**Subject: Strict Compliance of the Provisions contained in the 'Flag Code of India, 2002' and 'The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971' Advisory.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No.GAD-A(F)9-1/2021 dated 03.02.2022 alongwith its enclosures received from the Secretary (GAD) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla on the above subject and to request you to bring it to the notice of all employees (teaching and non-teaching) and students working/studying under your control and ensure to adhere the instructions contained in ibid letter in letter and spirit.

Encls: As above.

Yours faithfully,

  
Deputy Registrar (Admn.),  
CSK HPKV, Palampur.

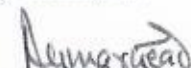
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Copy of above is forwarded to the following for similar action:-

1. The Incharge, UNS, CSK HPKV, Palampur with the request to upload the letter in the University website
2. The Joint Director (Information and Public Relation), Directorate of Extension Education, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
3. The Incharge, Legal Cell, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
4. The Secretary to Vice-Chancellor, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
5. All the Dy. Registrar/Assistant Registrars/Section Officers/Superintendents (Head Quarter), CSK HPKV, Palampur.
6. The PA to Vice-Chancellor/ Registrar, CSK HPKV, Palampur.
7. Security Supervisor, CSKHPKV, Palampur.



  
Deputy Registrar (Admn.)  
CSK HPKV, Palampur.

**IMMEDIATE**

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

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

Dated Shimla-2.

03 February, 2022.

**Subject:-** Strict Compliance of the Provisions Contained in the 'Flag Code of India, 2002'  
 and 'The Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971' Advisory.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No.15/1/2022-Public, dated 12.01.2022 received from the Under 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](http://www.mha.gov.in)).

Yours faithfully,

*Surjeet Singh Rathore*  
 (Surjeet Singh Rathore)  
 Joint Secretary(GAD) to the  
 Government of Himachal Pradesh.  
 Ph. 0177-2622686(O)

Endst. No. &amp; Date: As above.

February, 2022

Copy for information is forwarded to the Under 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

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**IMMEDIATE**

File No. 15/1/2022-Public  
Government of India  
Ministry of Home Affairs  
(Public Section)

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North Block, New Delhi - 01.  
Dated 1/11 January, 2022



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 and the  
Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971- Advisory.

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], which governs display of National Flag, are available on this Ministry's website [www.mha.gov.in](http://www.mha.gov.in).

2. As per para 2.2 (x) of Section-I (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 made of paper only are used by the public and such paper Flags 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 requested to undertake mass awareness programme in this regard and also to give it wide publicity through advertisements in the electronic and print media.

Yours faithfully,

Prem Parkash

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Under Secretary to the Government of India  
Tel: 23092421

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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.
15. All attached & Subordinate Offices of the Ministry of Home Affairs.
16. 5 Spare Copies.



(Prem Parkash)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

Tel: 2309 2421



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- (d) using the Indian National Flag as a drapery in any form whatsoever except in state funerals or armed forces or other para-military forces funerals; or
- (e) #using the Indian National Flag:-
- (i) as a portion of costume, uniform or accessory of any description which is worn below the waist of any person; or
  - (ii) by embroidering or printing it on cushions, handkerchiefs, napkins, undergarments or any dress material; or
- (f) putting any kind of inscription upon the Indian National Flag; or
- (g) using the Indian National Flag as a receptacle for receiving, delivering or carrying anything except flower petals before the Indian National Flag is unfurled as part of celebrations on special occasions including the Republic Day or the Independence Day; or
- (h) using the Indian National Flag as covering for a statue or a monument or a speaker's desk or a speaker's platform; or
- (i) allowing the Indian National Flag to touch the ground or the floor or trail in water intentionally; or
- (j) draping the Indian National Flag over the hood, top, and sides or back or on a vehicle, train, boat or an aircraft or any other similar object; or
- (k) using the Indian National Flag as a covering for a building; or
- (l) intentionally displaying the Indian National Flag with the "saffron" down.

### 3. PREVENTION OF SINGING OF NATIONAL ANTHEM

Whoever intentionally prevents the singing of the Indian National Anthem or causes disturbances to any assembly engaged in such singing shall be punished with imprisonment for a term, which may extend to three years, or with fine, or with both.

#### \*3A MINIMUM PENALTY ON SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENCE

Whoever having already been convicted of an offence under section 2 or section 3 is again convicted of any such offence shall be punishable for the second and for every subsequent offence, with imprisonment for a term, which shall not be less than one year.

Note 1: \* Inserted vide The Prevention of Insults to National Honour (Amendment) Act, 2003 (No. 31 of 2003 dated 8.5.2003)

Note 2: # Inserted vide The Prevention of Insults to National Honour (Amendment) Act, 2005 (No. 51 of 2005 dated 20.12.2005)

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**THE PREVENTION OF INSULTS TO NATIONAL HONOUR ACT, 1971**  
No. 69 of 1971 (23<sup>rd</sup> December, 1971)

(Amended by the Prevention of Insults to National Honour (Amendment) Act, 2005)  
No. 51 of 2005 (20<sup>th</sup> December, 2005)

**An Act to Prevent Insults to National Honour**

Be it enacted by Parliament in the Twenty- second year of the Republic of India as follows: -

1. **SHORT TITLE AND EXTENT**

- (1) This Act may be called the Prevention of Insults to National Honour Act, 1971.
- (2) It extends to the whole of India.

2. **INSULT TO INDIAN NATIONAL FLAG AND CONSTITUTION OF INDIA**

Whoever in any public place or in any other place within public view burns, mutilates, defaces, defiles, disfigures, destroys, tramples upon or \*otherwise shows disrespect to or brings into contempt (whether by words, either spoken or written, or by acts) the Indian National Flag or the Constitution of India or any part thereof, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine, or with both.

Explanation 1 - Comments expressing disapprobation or criticism of the Constitution or of the Indian National Flag or of any measures of the Government with a view to obtain an amendment of the Constitution of India or an alteration of the Indian National Flag by lawful means do not constitute an offence under this section.

Explanation 2 - The expression, "Indian National Flag" includes any picture, painting, drawing or photograph, or other visible representation of the Indian National Flag, or of any part or parts thereof, made of any substance or represented on any substance.

Explanation 3 - The expression "public place" means any place intended for use by, or accessible to, the public and includes any public conveyance.

\*Explanation 4 - The disrespect to the Indian National flag means and includes—

- (a) a gross affront or indignity offered to the Indian National Flag; or
- (b) dipping the Indian National Flag in salute to any person or thing; or
- (c) flying the Indian National Flag at half-mast except on occasions on which the Flag is flown at half-mast on public buildings in accordance with the instructions issued by the Government; or