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#### College Internal Compliance Committee (CICC)

#### Preamble:

The Supreme Court of India, in a landmark judgment in August 1997 (Vishaka& others Vs The State of Rajasthan & others) stated that every instance of sexual harassment is a violation of "Fundamental Rights" under Articles 14, 15 and 21 of Constitution of India and amounts to a violation of "Right to Freedom" under Article 19(1)(g). Another Supreme Court Judgment in January 1999 (Apparel Export Promotion Council Vs Chopra) has stated that sexually harassing behavior "needs to be eliminated as there is no compromise on such violations".

Sexual harassment is widely condemned as a form of human rights violation, and as an infringement on life and liberty of women as defined by the Constitution of India. Sexual harassment is contrary to anti-discrimination laws [Article 15: "Prohibition of discrimination on grounds of religion, race, caste, sex or place of birth" and Article 19(1)(g): Right to Freedom which upholds a woman's right to practice any profession, or to carry on any occupation, trade and business"].

VTU (prevention, prohibition and redressal of sexual harassment of women employees and students) regulations 2019 has issued circulars to all the Colleges, advising them to establish a permanent cell and a committee; to develop guidelines to combat sexual harassment, violence against women and ragging at the universities and colleges. Keeping the above guidelines in view SMVITM College has constituted a Committee against Sexual Harassment.

#### Composition of CICC:-

The CICC shall have the following composition:-

- (a) A Presiding Officer who shall be a woman faculty member employed at a senior level (not below the rank of Professor in case of a university, and not below the rank of Associate Professor or Reader in case of a college) at the educational institution, nominated by the Executive Authority.
- (b) Two faculty members and non-teaching employees, preferably committed to the cause of women or who have an experience in social work or have legal knowledge, nominated by the Executive Authority.
- (c) Three students, if the matter involves, who shall be enrolled at the undergraduate, master's and research scholar level respectively, elected / nominated through transparent democratic procedure.
- (d) One member from amongst non-government organisations or associations committed to the cause of women or a person familiar with the issues relating to sexual harassment, nominated by the Executive Authority.

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#### JURISDICTION:

The rules and regulations outlined in this the policy shall be applicable to all complaints of sexual harassment made:

1. By a member of the institution against any other member irrespective of whether the harassment is alleged to have taken place within or outside the campus.

2. By an outsider against a member of the college or by a member of the college against an outsider if the sexual harassment is alleged to have taken place within

the campus.

3. By a member of the college against an outsider if the sexual harassment is alleged to have taken place outside the campus. In such cases, the Committee shall recommend that the college authorities initiate action by making a complaint with the appropriate authority. Further, the committee will actively assist and provide available resources to the complainant in pursuing the complaint.

#### "Sexual Harassment" includes

- (i) Any one or more of the following unwelcome acts or behaviour (whether directly or by implication), namely:
- (a) Physical contact or advances;
- (b) A demand or request for sexual favours;
- (c) Making sexually coloured remarks;
- (d) Showing pornography;
- (e) Any other unwelcome physical, verbal or non-verbal conduct of a sexual nature.
- (ii) Any one (or more than one or all) of the following circumstances, if it occurs or is present in relation or connected with any behaviour that has explicit or implicit sexual undertones-
- (a) Implied or explicit promise of preferential treatment as quid-pro-quo for sexual favours;
- (b) Implied or explicit threat of detrimental treatment in the conduct of the work.

#### Responsibilities of the College:

- (a) Publicly notify the provisions against sexual harassment and ensure their wide dissemination;
- (b) Organise training programmes or as the case may be, workshops for the officers, functionaries (including security staff), faculty and students as indicated in the SAKSHAM Report (Measures for Ensuring the Safety of Women and Programmes for Gender Sensitization on Campuses) of the Commission, to sensitize them and ensure knowledge and awareness of the rights, entitlements and responsibilities enshrined in the Act and under these regulations;
- (c) Act decisively against all gender based violence perpetrated against employees and students of all sexes recognising that primarily women employees and students and some male students of the third gender are vulnerable to many forms of sexual harassment and humiliation and exploitation;
- (d) Publicly commit itself to a zero tolerance policy towards sexual harassment;
- (e) Reinforce its commitment to creating its campus free from discrimination, harassment, retaliation or sexual assault at all levels;
- (f) Create awareness about what constitute sexual harassment including hostile environment harassment and quid-pro-quo harassment;

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- (g) Include in its website and display prominently at conspicuous places or Notice Boards (the existence of Internal Complaints Committee (CICC)) as constituted under clause Grievance Redressal Mechanism) the penalty and consequences of sexual harassment and make all sections of the institutional community aware of the information on the mechanism put in place for redressal of complaints pertaining to sexual harassment, contact details of members of CICC, complaints procedure and so on.
- (h) Inform employees and students of the recourse available to them if they are victim of sexual harassment;
- (i) Organise regular orientation and training programmes for the members of the ICC/CICC to deal with complaints, steer the process of settlement or conciliation, etc., with sensitivity;
- (j) Be responsible to bring those guilty of sexual harassment against its employees and students to book and initiate all proceedings as required by law and also put in place mechanisms and redressal systems like the ICC/CICC to curb and prevent sexual harassment on its campus;
- (k) Treat sexual harassment as a violation of the disciplinary rules.
- (I) Ensure compliance with the provisions of these regulations, including appointments of ICC/CICC within a period of sixty days from the date of publication of these regulations.
- (m) Monitor the timely submission of reports by the ICC/CICC.
- (n) Prepare an annual status report with details on the number of cases filed and their disposal and submit the same to the Commission/University respectively.

#### Responsibilities of College Internal Complaints Committee (CICC):

The Committee Shall

- (a) Provide assistance if an employee or a student chooses to file a complaint with the police;
- (b) Provide mechanisms of dispute redressal and dialogue to anticipate and address issues through just and fair conciliation without undermining complainant's rights, and minimize the need for purely punitive approaches that lead to further resentment, alienation or violation;
- (c) Protect the safety of the complainant by not divulging the person's identity, and provide the mandatory relief by way of sanctioned leave or relaxation of attendance requirement or transfer to another department or supervise, as required during the pendency of the complaint, or also provide for the transfer of the respondent;
- (d) Ensure that victims or witnesses are not victimized or discriminated against, while dealing with complaint of sexual harassment.

#### The process of making complaint and conducting Inquiry:

The CICC shall comply with the procedure prescribed in these Regulations and the Act, for making complaint and inquiring into the complaint in a time bound manner. The Executive Authority shall provide all necessary facilities to the ICC/CICC to conduct the inquiry expeditiously and with required privacy.

#### I. Process of making complaint of sexual harassment:

- (a) An aggrieved person is required to submit a written complaint with three copies to the CICC through Women Cell, within three months from the date of incident and in case of a series of incidents, within a period of three months, from the date of the last incident.
- (b) Provided that where such complaint cannot be made in writing, the Presiding Officer or any Member of the CICC shall render all reasonable assistance to the person for making the complaint in writing and should be documented.

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- (c) Provided further that the CICC may, for the reason to be recorded in the writing, extend the time limit not exceeding three months, if it is satisfied that the circumstances were such which prevented the person from filing a complaint within said period.
- (d) Friends, relatives, colleagues, Co-students, Psychologist, or any other associated of the victim, may file along with the identity, the complaint in situations where the aggrieved person is unable to make a complaint on account of physical or mental in-capacity or death.

#### II. Process of conducting an Inquiry:

- (a) Any complaint received by CICC must be notified to the member/Chairperson of the committee at the earliest through e-mail to obtain the consent.
- (b) The CICC shall send one copy of the complaint to the respondent within a period of seven days of receipt of the complaint.
- (c) Upon receipt of the copy of the complaint, the respondent shall file his or her reply to the complaint along with the list of documents, and names and addresses of witnesses within a period of ten days.
- (d) The parties shall not be allowed to bring in any legal practitioner to represent them in their case at any stage of the proceedings before the Complaints Committee.
- (e) The CICC, before initiating an inquiry at the request of the aggrieved woman, can take steps to settle the matter between her and the respondent through conciliation. In such case, the Executive Authority shall facilitate a conciliation process through CICC.
- (f) No monetary settlement shall be made as the basis of conciliation. If any settlement is arrived, the committee shall record the settlement so arrived and forward the same to the employer for necessary compliance.
- (g) The committee shall provide the copies of the settlement as recorded under clause (e) above, to the aggrieved woman and to the respondent. No further inquiry shall be conducted by the Committee once the conciliation is done.
- (h) If conciliation is found to be not feasible, notice should be issued to both the parties for hearing.
- (i) The inquiry has to be completed within a period of ninety days of the first date of the hearing on merits. The inquiry report with recommendations, if any, has to be submitted within ten days from the date of completion of the inquiry, to the Executive Authority. Copy of the findings or recommendations shall also be served to both parties of the complaint and either party may file an appeal before the Executive Authority within a period of thirty days from the date of receipt of copy of recommendation. The decision of the Executive Authority shall be final.
- (j) The Executive Authority shall act on the recommendations of the committee, within a period of thirty days from the receipt of the inquiry report, unless an appeal against the findings of CICC is filed within that time by either party.
- (k) If the Executive Authority decides not to act as per the recommendations of the CICC, then it shall record written reasons for the same and to be conveyed to CICC and both the parties of the proceedings.
- (I) The identities of the aggrieved party or victim of the witness or offender shall not be made public or kept in the public domain especially during the process of the inquiry.

#### Punishment and compensation:

(1) Anyone found guilty of sexual harassment shall be punished in accordance with the service rules of the University/ College, if the Respondent is an employee, the Executive Authority may:

a) Issue Warning

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- b) Seek written apology
- c) Seek Bond on Good behaviour
- d) Blacklist from examination works / University work
- e) Debar from Nomination on the committees/statutory bodies of the University
- f) Suspend for specific period of time
- g) Record adverse remarks in Service books/ confidential service register
- h) Withhold pay rise or increments
- i) Reprimand or censure
- i) Recommend for demotion/suspension/dismissal
- k) Any other punishment according to the service rules applicable to the respondent
- I) To file a police complaint in relation to an offence under Indian Penal Code, if aggrieved woman chooses so.
- (2) If the respondent is a student, depending upon the severity of the offence, the Institution
- a) Issue Warning
- b) Seek written apology
- c) Seek Bond on Good behaviour
- d) Suspend for specific period of time
- e) Withholding results
- f) Debarring from exams
- g) Debarring from holding posts such as member of committee
- h) Expulsion
- i) Denial of admission /readmission/change of College/Change of Branch
- j) Declaring the harasser as "persona non grata" for stipulated period of time
- k) Any other relevant action

#### **Action against frivolous complaint:**

To ensure that the provisions for the protection of employees and students from sexual harassment do not get misused, provisions against false or malicious complaints have to be made and publicized in the workplace. If the CICC concludes that the allegations made were false, malicious or the complaint was made knowing it to be untrue, or forged or misleading information has been provided during the inquiry, the complainant shall be liable to be punished as per the provisions of sub-regulations (1) of regulations 9, if the complainant happens to be an employee and as per sub-regulation (2) of this regulation 9, if the complainant happens to be a student. However, the merely inability to substantiate a complaint or provide adequate proof will not attract attention against the complainant. Malicious intent on the part of the complainant shall not be established without an inquiry, in accordance with the procedure prescribed, conducted before any action is recommended.

We follow as per the rules of VTU. CICC will abide by the rules and execute the necessary actions based on the suggestions given by the committee legal adviser.

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## Laws and Procedures: Sexual Harassment in the Workplace Vishaka Guidelines against Sexual Harassment in the Workplace

#### Guidelines and norms laid down by the Hon'ble Supreme Court in Vishaka and Others Vs. State of Rajasthan and Others (JT 1997 (7) SC 384)

HAVING REGARD to the definition of 'human rights' in Section 2 (d) of the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993,

TAKING NOTE of the fact that the present civil and penal laws in India do not adequately provide for specific protection of women from sexual harassment in work places and that enactment of such legislation will take considerable time,

It is necessary and expedient for employers in work places as well as other responsible persons or institutions to observe certain guidelines to ensure the prevention of sexual harassment of women.

### 1. Duty of the Employer or other responsible persons in work places and other institutions

It shall be the duty of the employer or other responsible persons in work places or other institutions to prevent or deter the commission of acts of sexual harassment and to provide the procedures for the resolution, settlement or prosecution of acts, of sexual harassment by taking all steps required.

#### 2. Definition

For this purpose, sexual harassment includes such unwelcome sexually determined behaviour (whether directly or by implication) as:

- a) Physical contact and advances;
- b) A demand or request for sexual favours;
- c) Sexually coloured remarks;
- d) Showing pornography;
- e) Any other unwelcome physical, verbal or non-verbal conduct of sexual nature

Where any of these acts is committed in circumstances where-under the victim of such conduct has a reasonable apprehension that in relation to the victim's employment or work whether she is drawing salary, or honorarium or voluntary, whether in government, public or private enterprise such conduct can be humiliating and may constitute a health and safety problem. It is discriminatory for instance when the woman has reasonable grounds to believe that her objection would disadvantage her in connection with her employment or work including recruiting or promotion or when it creates a hostile work environment. Adverse consequences might be visited if the victim does not consent to the conduct in question or raises any objection thereto.

#### 3. Preventive Steps

All employers or persons in charge of work place whether in public or private sector should take appropriate steps to prevent sexual harassment. Without prejudice to the generality of this obligation they should take the following steps:



- (a) Express prohibition of sexual harassment as defined above at the work place should be notified, published and circulated in appropriate ways.
- (b) The Rules/Regulations of Government and Public Sector bodies relating to conduct and discipline should include rules/regulations prohibiting sexual harassment and provide for appropriate penalties in such rules against the offender.
- (c) As regards private employers, steps should be taken to include the aforesaid prohibitions in the standing orders under the Industrial Employment (Standing Orders) Act, 1946.
- (d) Appropriate work conditions should be provided in respect of work, leisure, health and hygiene to further ensure that there is no hostile environment towards women at work places and no employee woman should have reasonable grounds to believe that she is disadvantaged in connection with her employment.

#### 4. Criminal Proceedings

Where such conduct amounts to a specific offence under the Indian Penal Code or under any other law, the employer shall initiate appropriate action in accordance with law by making a complaint with the appropriate authority.

In particular, it should ensure that victims, or witnesses are not victimized or discriminated against while dealing with complaints of sexual harassment. The victims of sexual harassment should have the option to seek transfer of the perpetrator or their own transfer.

#### 5. Disciplinary Action

Where such conduct amounts to misconduct in employment as defined by the relevant service rules, appropriate disciplinary action should be initiated by the employer in accordance with those rules.

#### 6. Complaint Mechanism

Whether or not such conduct constitutes an offence under law or a breach of the service rules, an appropriate complaint mechanism should be created in the employer's organisation for redress of the complaint made by the victim. Such complaint mechanism should ensure time bound treatment of complaints.

#### 7. Complaints Committee

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The complaint mechanism, referred to in (6) above, should be adequate to provide, where necessary, a Complaints Committee, a special counsellor or other support service, including the maintenance of confidentiality.

The Complaints Committee should be headed by a woman and not less than half of its member should be women. Further, to prevent the possibility of any undue pressure or influence from senior levels, such Complaints Committee should involve a third party, either NGO or other body who is familiar with the issue of sexual harassment.

The Complaints Committee must make an annual report to the Government department concerned of the complaints and action taken by them.

The employers and person in charge will also report on the compliance with the aforesaid guidelines including on the reports of the Complaints Committee to the Government department.

#### 8. Worker's Initiative

Employees should be allowed to raise issues of sexual harassment at a workers' meeting and in other appropriate forum and it should be affirmatively discussed in Employer-Employee Meetings.

#### 9. Awareness

Awareness of the rights of female employees in this regard should be created in particular by prominently notifying the guidelines (and appropriate legislation when enacted on the subject) in a suitable manner.

#### 10. Third Party Harassment

Where sexual harassment occurs as a result of an act or omission by any third party or outsider, the employer and person in charge will take all steps necessary and reasonable to assist the affected person in terms of support and preventive action.

- 11. The Central/State Governments are requested to consider adopting suitable measures including legislation to ensure that the guidelines laid down by this order are also observed by the employers in Private Sector.
- 12. These guidelines will not prejudice any rights available under the Protection of Human Rights Act, 1993.

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Other legal provisions include filing a criminal case under sections of the Indian Penal Code (IPC), the Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act and/or filing a civil suit.

The sections of the **Indian Penal Code** that can be applicable to sexual harassment (which makes it a criminal case):

#### 1.- " Section 294

'Whoever, to the annoyance of others, (a) does any obscene act in any public place, or (b) sings, recites and utters any obscene songs, ballads or words, in or near any public space, shall be punished with imprisonment of either description for a term that may extend to three months, or with fine, or with both.' This provision is included in Chapter XVI entitled 'Of Offences Affecting Public Health, Safety, Convenience and Morals' and is cognisable, bailable and triable by any magistrate.

#### 2. Section 354

Whoever assaults or uses criminal force on any woman, intending to outrage her modesty or knowing it likely that he will thereby outrage her modesty, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years, or with fine, or with both.

#### 3. Section 509

(Word, gesture or act intended to insult the modesty of a woman) This is included in Chapter 22 entitled 'Of Criminal Intimidation, Insult and Annoyance', and is cognisable, bailable and triable by any magistrate. It holds: 'Whoever, intending to insult the modesty of

a woman, utters any word, makes any sound or gesture, or exhibits any object, intending that such word or sound shall be heard, or that such gesture is seen by such woman, or intrudes upon the privacy of such woman, shall be punished with simple imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.'

Under the Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act (1987) if an individual harasses another with books, photographs, paintings, films, pamphlets, packages, etc. containing the "indecent representation of women", they are liable for a minimum sentence of 2 years. Section 7 (Offenses by Companies) further holds companies where there has been "indecent representation of women" (such as the display of pornography) on the premises, guilty of offenses under this act, with a minimum sentence of 2 years.

#### Civil case

A civil suit can be filed for damages under tort laws. That is, the basis for filing the case would be mental anguish, physical harassment, loss of income and employment caused by the sexual harassment.

# No. 11013/2/2014 Estt (A.III) Government of India Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions (Department of Personnel and Training)

North Block, New Delhi, Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> November 2014

#### OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Subject: Alignment of Service Rules with the Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act 2013.

The undersigned is directed to say that the 'Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013' { SHWW (PPR) Act } has been promulgated on 22<sup>nd</sup> April 2013. Further to the Act, the 'Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Rules, 2013' were notified on 9.12.2013. The Act and the Rules framed thereunder provide a redressal mechanism for handling cases of sexual harassment at workplace. The Act and Rules are available at the website of the Ministry of Women and Child Development (wcd.nic.in) under Legislation/Acts.

- 2. The CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 and CCS (CCA) Rules, 1965 have been amended vide Notifications of even number published as G.S.R. 823(E) and G.S.R.822(E) in the Gazette of India Extraordinary dated 19-11-2014. These are available on this Department's website <a href="https://www.persmin.gov.in">www.persmin.gov.in</a>
- 3. So far as Central Government employees are concerned, provisions already exist in the CCS (Conduct) Rules 1964 defining sexual harassment. Further, the proviso to Rule 14(2) of the CCS (CCA) Rules 1965 provides that the complaints committee established in each Ministry or Department or office enquiring into such complaints shall be deemed to be the inquiring authority appointed by the disciplinary authority and the committee shall hold the inquiry so far as practicable in accordance with the procedure laid down in those rules. Similar provisions exist in the relevant service rules of the Central Government servants not governed by CCS (Conduct) Rules / CCS (CCA) Rules.

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Sexual harassment as defined rule 3-C of CCS (Conduct) Rules,1964 in has 4. been amended vide Notification of even number dated 19-11-2014 (copy enclosed). The amended rule is as follows:

#### "Rule 3C - Prohibition of sexual harassment of working women

- (1) No Government servant shall indulge in any act of sexual harassment of any woman at any work place.
- (2) Every Government servant who is incharge of a work place shall take appropriate steps to prevent sexual harassment to any woman at such work place.

Explanation- 1 For the purpose of this rule,

- (a) "sexual harassment" includes any one or more of the following acts or behaviour, (whether directly or by implication), namely:--
  - (i) physical contact and advances; or
  - (ii) demand or request for sexual favours; or
  - (iii)sexually coloured remarks; or
  - (iv) showing any pornography; or
  - (v) any other unwelcome physical, verbal, non-verbal conduct of a sexual nature.
- (b) The following circumstances, among other circumstances, if it occurs or is present in relation to or connected with any act or behaviour of sexual harassment may amount to sexual harassment : -
  - (i) implied or explicit promise of preferential treatment in employment; or
  - (ii) implied or explicit threat of detrimental treatment in employment; or
  - (iii) implied or explicit threat about her present or future employment status; or
  - (iv) interference with her work or creating an intimidating or offensive or hostile work environment for her; or
  - (v) humiliating treatment likely to affect her health or safety.
  - "workplace" includes, -
  - any department, organisation, undertaking, establishment, enterprise, (i) institution, office, branch or unit which is established, owned, controlled or wholly or substantially financed by funds provided directly or indirectly by the Central Government;

hospitals or nursing homes; (ii)

any sports institute, stadium, sports complex or competition or games (iii) venue, whether residential or not used for training, sports or other activities relating thereto:

any place visited by the employee arising out of or during the course of (iv) employment including transportation provided by the employer for undertaking such journey;

a dwelling place or a house." (v)

- 5. All Ministries/Departments are advised that the following procedure may be adopted while dealing with complaints of sexual harassment:-
  - Sexual harassment will include any one or more of the Acts or behaviour defined in Rule 3-C of the CCS (Conduct) Rules 1964 read with Sec 3(2) of SHWW (PPR) Act.
  - The Committee constituted in each Ministry/ Department/ office under the CCS (Conduct) Rules, 1964 shall inquire into complaints of sexual harassment in accordance with the provisions of Section 4 of the SHWW (PPR) Act.
  - (iii) The Committee will as far as practicable follow the procedures prescribed in CCS (CCA) Rules 1965 for conduct of the inquiry.
  - (iv) If any complaint is received directly by the committee, the same shall be referred to the appropriate disciplinary authority and the Committee shall inquire into the complaint on the complaint being referred to it by the disciplinary authority.
  - In addition, the Committee will have the powers to recommend to the 6. employer:
    - a) to transfer the aggrieved woman or the charged officer to any other workplace; or
    - b) to grant leave to the aggrieved woman up to a period of three months. (The leave granted to the aggrieved woman under this section shall be in addition to the leave she would be otherwise entitled to.)
    - c) to grant such other relief to the aggrieved woman as may be prescribed; or
    - d) to deduct from the salary or wages of the charged officer such sum as it may consider appropriate to be paid to the aggrieved woman or to her legal heirs. Any amount outstanding at the time of cessation of the services of the charged officer due to retirement, death or otherwise may be recovered from

the terminal benefits payable to the officer or his heirs. Such compensation will not amount to penalty under Rule 11 of CCS (CCA) Rules in terms of the Explanation (ix) to Rule 11 inserted vide Notification of even Number dated 19-11-2014.

- 7. It may also be noted that the Committee may recommend action to be taken against the person who has made a complaint, if the Committee arrives at the conclusion that the allegation is malicious or the aggrieved woman or the person making the complaint has made the complaint knowing it to be false or has produced any forged or misleading document. The Committee may also recommend action against any witness if it comes to the conclusion that such witness has given false evidence or produced any forged or misleading document.
- Attention is also invited to the following provisions of SHWW (PPR) Act:
  - Sec 16 & 17: Prohibition of publication or making known contents of complaint, inquiry proceedings and recommendations of the Committee.
  - Sec 19: Duties of employer. This may be read with provisions of Rule
     3(C) (2) of CCS (Conduct) Rules.
  - Sec 21, 22 of SHWW(PPR) Act and Rule 14 of the SHWW (PPR) Rules
     Annual Reports
- 9. All the Ministries/Departments are requested to bring the contents of this OM to the notice of all officers and staff working under them. The Ministries/ Departments are also requested to advise the PSEs /Autonomous Bodies under their administrative control to align their service rules with the SHWW (PPR) Act/ Rules.

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To

All Ministries/Departments (as per standard list)



#### EXTRAORDINARY

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- (1) इन नियमों को केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (वर्गीकरण, नियंत्रण एवं अपील) तृतीय संशोधन नियमावली, 2014 कहा 1.
  - (2) ये सरकारी राजपत्र में इनके प्रकाशन की तारीख से प्रवृत्त होंगे।
- केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (वर्गीकरण, नियंत्रण एवं अपील) नियमावली, 1965 के नियम 11 में, स्पष्टीकरण में मद सं. (viii) के पश्चात् निम्नलिखित मद को जोड़ा जाएगा, नामत :-
- केंद्रीय सिविल सेवा (आचरण) नियमावली, 1964 के नियम 3 ग में अभिप्रेत यौन उत्पीड़न की शिकायतों की जांच हेतु तथा नियम 14 के उप नियम (2) के परंतुक में संदर्भित भारत सरकार के विभाग में बनाई गई शिकायत समिति की सिफारिशों पर दिया गया हर्जाना।"।

[सं. 11013/2/2014-स्था.(क)]

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टिप्पणी: मूल नियम, भारत के राजपत्र में दिनांक 20 नवंबर, 1965 की अधिसूचना सं. 7/2/63 स्था.(क) के तहत प्रकाशित किए गए थे और निम्नलिखित अधिसूचना संख्याओं के तहत संशोधित किए गए थे:-

का.आ.1149, दिनांफ 13 अप्रैल, 1966;
का.आ.1596, दिनांक 04 जून, 1966;
का.बा.2007, दिनांक 09 जुलाई, 1966;
का.आ.2648, दिनोक 02 सितम्बर, 1966;
का.आ.2854, दिनांक 01 अक्तूबर, 1966;
का.आ.1282, दिनांक 15 अप्रैल, 1967;
का.आ.1457, विनांक 29 अप्रैल, 1967;
का.आ.3253, दिनांक 16 सितम्बर, 1967;
का.आ.3530, दिनांक 07 अक्तूबर, 1967;
का.आ.4151, दिनांक 25 नवम्बर, 1967;
का.आ.321, दिनांक 09 मार्च, 1968;
का.आ.1441, दिनांक 27 अप्रैल, 1968;
का.आ.1870, दिनांक 01 जून, 1968;
का.आ,3423, दिनांक 28 सितम्बर, 1968;
का.आ.5008, दिनांक 27 दिसम्बर, 1969;
फा.आ.397, दिनांक 07 फरवरी, 1970;
का.आ.3521, दिनांक 25 सितम्बर, 1971;
का.आ.249, दिनांक 01 जनवरी, 1972;
का.आ.990, दिनांक 22 अप्रैल, 1972;
का.आ.1600, दिनांक 01 जुलाई, 1972;
का,आ,2789, दिनांक 14 अक्तूबर, 1972;
का.आ.929, दिनांक 31 मार्च, 1972;
का.आ.1648, दिनांक 06 जुलाई, 1974;
का.आ.2742, दिनांक 31 जुलाई, 1976;
का.आ.4664, दिनांक 11 दिसम्बर, 1976;
का.आ.3062, दिनांक 08 अक्तूबर, 1977;
का.आ.3573, दिनांक 26 नवम्बर, 1977;
का.आ.3574, दिनांक 26 नवस्वर, 1977;
का.आ.3671, दिनांक 03 दिसम्बर, 1977;
का.आ.2464, दिनांक 02 सितम्बर, 1978;
का.आ.2465, दिनांक 02 सितम्बर, 1978;
का.आ.920, दिनांक 17 फरवरी, 1979;
का,आ.1769 दिनांक 05 जुलाई, 1980;
का.आ.264, दिनाक 29 जनवरी, 1981;
का.आ.2126, दिनांक 08 अगस्त, 1981;
का.आ.2203, दिनांक 22 जगस्त, 1981;
का.आ.2512, दिनांक 03 अक्तूबर, 1981;
का.आ.168, दिनांक 23 जनवरी, 1982;
का.आ.1535, दिनांक 12 मई, 1984;
अ.सं.11012/15/84-स्था.(क), दिनांक 05 जुलाई, 1985
अ.सं.11012/05/85-स्था.(क),दिनांक 29 जुलाई, 1985;

42.	अ.सं.11012/06/85-स्या.(क), दिनांक 06 अगस्त,			
	1985;			
43.	का.आ.5637, दिनांक 21 दिसम्बर, 1985;			
44.	का.आ.5743, दिनांक 28 दिसम्बर, 1985;			
45.	का.आ.4089, दिनांक 13 दिसम्बर, 1986;			
46.	अ.सं.11012/24/85-स्था.(क), दिनांक 26 नवम्बर,			
	1986;			
47.	का.आ.830, दिनांक 28 मार्च, 1987;			
48.	का.आ.831, दिनांक 28 मार्च, 1987;			
49.	का.आ.1591, दिनांक 27 जून, 1987;			
50.	का.आ.1825, दिनांक 18 जुलाई, 1987;			
51.	का.आ.3060, दिनांक 15 अक्तूबर, 1988;			
52.	का.आ. 3061, दिनांक 16 अक्तूबर, 1968;			
53.	का.आ.2207, दिनांक 16 सितम्बर, 1989;			
54.	का.आ.1084, दिनांक 28 अप्रैल, 1990;			
55.	का.आ. 2208, दिनांक 25 अगस्त, 1990;			
56.	का.आ.1481, दिनांक 13 जून, 1992;			
57.	सा.का.नि. 289, दिनांक 20 जून, 1992;			
58.	सा.का.नि.589, दिनांक 26 दिसम्बर, 1992;			
59.	सा.का.नि.499, दिनांक 08 अक्तूबर, 1994;			
60.	सा.का.नि.276, दिनांक 10 जून, 1995;			
61.	सा.का.नि.17, दिनांक 20 फरवरी, 1996;			
62.	सा.का.नि. 125, दिनांक 16 मार्च, 1996;			
63.	सा.का.नि. 417, दिनाक 05 अक्तूबर, 1996;			
64.	सा.का.नि. 337, दिनांक 02 सितंबर, 2000;			
65.	सा.का.नि. 420, दिनांक 28 अक्तूबर, 2000;			
66.	सा.का.नि. 211, दिनांक 14 अप्रैल, 2001;			
67.	सा.का.नि. 60, दिनांक 13 फरवरी, 2002;			
68.	सा.का.नि. 2, दिनांक 03 जनवरी, 2004;			
69.	सा.का.नि. 113, दिनांक 10 अप्रैल, 2004;			
70.	सा.का.नि. 225, दिनांक 10 जुलाई, 2004;			
71.	सा.का.नि. 287, दिनांक 28 अगस्त, 2004;			
72.	सांकानि. 1, दिनांक 20 दिसंबर, 2004;			
73.	सा.का.नि. 49, दिनांक 29 मार्च, 2008;			
74.	सा.का.नि. 12, दिनांक 07 फरवरी, 2009;			
75,	का.आ. 946, दिनांक 09 अप्रैल, 2009;			
76.	का.आ.1762 (ई), दिनांक 16 जुलाई, 2009;			
77.	सा.का.नि. 55 (ई), दिनांक 02 फरवरी, 2010;			
78.	का.आ. 2079(ई), दिनांक 01 जनवरी, 2014 और			
79.	सा.का.नि. 769(ई), दिनांक 31 अक्तूबर, 2014			

## MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (Department of Personnel and Training) NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th November, 2014

G.S.R.822 (E).— In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to article 309 and clause (5) of article 148 of the Constitution and after consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India in relation to persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, the President hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1965, namely:—

- (1) These rules may be called the Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Third Amendment Rules, 2014.
  - (2) They shall come into force on the day of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Central Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1965, in rule 11, in the Explanation, after item (viii), the following item shall be inserted namely:—
  - "(ix) any compensation awarded on the recommendation of the Complaints Committee referred to in the proviso to sub-rule (2) of rule 14 and established in the Department of the Government of India for inquiring into any complaint of sexual harassment within the meaning of rule 3 C of the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.".

[ No.11013/2/2014-Estt. (A)] MAMTA KUNDRA, Jt. Secy.

Note: The principal rules were published in the Gazette of India vide notification number 7/2/63. Estt.(A), dated the 20th November, 1965 and subsequently amended vide notification numbers:—

1, S.O. 1149, dated the 13th April, 1966;

2. S.O. 1596, dated the 4th June, 1966;

3. S.O. 2007, dated the 9th July, 1966;

- 4. S.O. 2648, dated the 2nd September, 1966;
- 5. S.O. 2854, dated the 1st October, 1966;
- 6. S.O. 1282, dated the 15th April, 1967;
- 7. S.O. 1457, dated the 29th April, 1967;
- 8. S.O. 3253, dated the 16th September, 1967;
- 9, S.O. 3530, dated the 7th October, 1967;
- 10. S.O. 4151, dated the 25th November, 1967;
- 11, S.O. 321, dated the 9th March; 1968;
- 12. S.O. 1441, dated the 27th April, 1968;,
- 13. S.O. 1870, dated the 1st June, 1968;
- 14. S.O. 3423, dated the 28th September, 1968;
- 15, S.O. 5008, dated the 27th December, 1969;
- 16. S.O. 397, dated the 7th February, 1970;
- 17. S.O. 3521, dated the 25th September, 1971;
- 18. S.O. 249, dated the 1st January, 1972;
- 19. S.O. 990, dated the 22nd April, 1972;
- 20. S.O. 1600, dated the 1st July, 1972;
- 21, S.O. 2789, dated the 14th October, 1972;
- 22. S.O. 929, dated the 31st March, 1973;
- 23. S.O. 1648, dated the 6th July, 1974;
- 24. S.O. 2742, dated the 31st July, 1976;
- 25. S.O. 4664, dated the 11th December, 1976;
- 26. S.O. 3062, dated the 8th October, 1977;
- 27. S.O. 3573, dated the 26th November, 1977;
- 28. S.O. 3574, dated the 26th November, 1977;

- 29. S.O. 3671, dated the 3rd December, 1977;
- 30. S.O. 2464, dated the 2nd September, 1978;
- 31. S.O. 2465, dated the 2nd September, 1978;
- 32. S.O. 920, dated the 17th February, 1979;
- 33. S.O. 1769, dated the 5th July, 1980;
- 34. S O. 264, dated the 24th January, 1981;
- 35. S.O. 2126, dated the 8th August, 1981;
- 36. S.O. 2203, dated the 22nd August, 1981
- 37. S.O. 2512, dated the 3rd October, 1981;
- 38, S.O. 168, dated the 23rd January, 1982;
- 39. S.O. 1535, dated the 12th May, 1984;
- 40. Notification No.11012/15/84-Estt.(A), dated the 5th July, 1985;
- 41. Notification No.11012/05/85-Estt.(A), dated the 29th July, 1985;
- 42. Notification No.11012/06/85-Estt.(A), dated the 6th August, 1985;
- 43. S.O. 5637, dated the 21st December, 1985;
- 44. S.O. 5743, dated the 28th December, 1985;
- 45. S.O. 4089, dated the 13th December, 1986;
- 46. Notification No.11012/24/85-Estt.(A), dated the 26th November, 1986;
- 47. S.O. 830, dated the 28th March, 1987;
- 48. S.O. 831, dated the 28th March, 1987;
- 49. S.O. 1591, dated the 27th June, 1987;
- 50. S.O. 1825, dated the 18th July. 1987;
- 51. S.O. 3060, dated the 15th October, 1988;
- 52. S.O. 3061, dated the 16th October, 1988;
- 53. S.O. 2207, dated the 16th September, 1989;
- 54. S.O. 1084, dated the 28th April, 1990;

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55. S.O. 2208, dated the 25th August, 1990;

56. S.O. 1481, dated the 13th June, 1992;

57. G.S.R 289, dated the 20th June, 1992;

58. GS.R. 589, dated the 26th December, 1992;

59. G.S.R. 499, dated the 8th October, 1994;

60. G.S.R. 276, dated the 10th June, 1995;

61. G.S.R. 17, dated the 20th February, 1996;

62, G.S.R. 125, dated the 16th March, 1996;

63. G.S.R. 417, dated the 5th October, 1996;

64, G.S.R. 337, dated the 2nd September, 2000;

65. G.S.R. 420, dated the 28th October, 2000;

66 G.S.R. 211, dated the 14th April, 2001;

67. G.S.R. 60, dated the 13th February, 2002;

68. GS.R. 2, dated the 3rd January, 2004;

69. GS.R. 113, dated the 10th April, 2004;

70. G.S.R. 225, dated the 10th July, 2004;

71. GS.R. 287, dated the 28th August, 2004;

72. GS.R. 1, dated the 20th December, 2004;

73. G.S.R. 49, dated the 29th March, 2008;

74. GS.R. 12, dated the 7th February, 2009;

75. S.O. 946, dated the 9th April, 2009;

76. S.O. 1762(E), dated the 16th July, 2009;

77. G.S.R. 55(E), dated the 2nd February, 2010;

78. S.O. 2079(E), dated the 1st January, 2014 and

79. G.S.R. 769(E), dated the 31st October, 2014.

#### बिधसूचना नई दिल्ली, 19 मवम्बर, 2014

सा.ना.नि. 823(ज).- संविधान के अनुच्छेद 309 के परंतुक एवं अनुच्छेद 148 के खंद (5) द्वारा प्रदत्त शक्तियों का प्रयोग करते हुए तथा भारतीय लेखा परीक्षा और लेखा विभाग में कार्यरत व्यक्तियों के संबंध में भारत के नियंत्रक एवं महालेखापरीक्षक के साथ परामर्श के पश्चात, राष्ट्रपति, केन्द्रीय सिविल सेवा (आचरण) नियमावली, 1964 में और संशोधन करने के लिए एतदद्वारा निम्नलिखित नियम बनाते हैं, नामत:-

।. (1) इन नियमों को केन्द्रीय सिविल सेवा (आचरण) द्वितीय संशोधन नियमावली, 2014 कहा जाएगा।

(2) ये सरकारी राजपत्र में इनके प्रकाशन की तारीख से प्रवृत्त होंगे।

2. केन्द्रीय सिविल सेवा (आचरण) नियमावली, 1964 में नियम 3-ग के लिए निम्नलिखित प्रतिस्थापित किया जाएगा, नामत:-

'3-ग - कामकाजी महिलाओं के लैंगिक उत्पीड़न पर प्रतिबंध,- (1) कोई भी सरकारी सेवक किसी भी कार्यस्थल पर किसी भी महिला के लैंगिक उत्पीड़न संबंधी किसी कार्य में लिप्त नहीं होगा।

(2) प्रत्येक सरकारी सेवक, जो कार्यस्थल का प्रभारी है, अपने कार्यस्थल पर किसी भी महिला का लैंगिक उत्पीड़न रोकने के लिए समुचित कदम उठाएगा।

स्पष्टीकरण - (1) इस नियम के प्रयोजनार्थ,-

- (क) "लैंगिक उत्पीड़न" के अंतर्गत निम्नलिखित में से कोई एक या अधिक निंदनीय कार्य या व्यवहार (चाहे प्रत्यक्ष रूप से या तात्पर्यित) सम्मिलित है; अर्थात -¹
  - (i) शारीरिक संपर्क और फायदा उठाना; या
  - (ii) हैंगिक पक्षपात की मांग या अनुरोध करना; या
  - (iii) हैंगिक अर्थ वाली टिप्पणियां करना; या
  - (iv) अश्लील साहित्य दिखाना; या
  - (v) वैंगिक प्रकृति का कोई अन्य निंदनीय शारीरिक, शाब्दिक या गैर-शाब्दिक आचरण करना।
- (ख) अन्य परिस्थितियों के साथ ही निम्नलिखित परिस्थितियों को, यदि लैंगिक उत्पीड़न के किसी कार्य या आचरण के संबंध में उत्पन्न होती हैं या विद्यमान है या उससे संबंधित है, लैंगिक उत्पीड़न माना जा सकेगा:-
  - (i) उसके नियोजन में अधिमानी व्यवहार का अंतर्निहित या स्पष्ट वचन देना; या
  - (ii) उसके नियोजन में अहितकर व्यवहार का अंतर्निहित या स्पष्ट धमकी देना; या
  - (iii) उसकी वर्तमान या भावी नियोजन के प्रास्थिति के बारे में अंतर्निहित या स्पष्ट धमकी देना; या
  - (iv) उसके कार्य में हस्तक्षेप करना या उसके लिए अभित्रासमय या आपराधिक या शत्रुतापूर्ण कार्य वातावरण सजित करना; या
- (v) उसके स्वास्थ्य या सुरक्षा को प्रभावित कर सकने वाला अपमानजनक आचरण करना। (ग) "कार्यस्थल" में निम्नलिखित शामिल हैं-

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- (i) ऐसा कोई विभाग, संगठन, उपक्रम, स्थापन, उद्यम, संस्था, कार्यालय, शाखा या यूनिट जो केन्द्रीय सरकार द्वारा स्थापित, उसके स्वामित्वाधीन, नियंत्रणाधीन या पूर्णतः या भागतः उसके द्वारा प्रत्यक्ष रूप से या अप्रत्यक्ष रूप से उपलब्ध कराई गई निधियों द्वारा वित्तपोषित की जाती है;
- (ii) अस्पताल या परिचर्या गृह;
- (iii) प्रशिक्षण, खेलकूद या उससे संबंधित अन्य क्रियाकलापों के लिए प्रयुक्त, कोई खेलकूद संस्थान, स्टेडियम, खेलकूद काम्प्लेक्स या प्रतिस्पर्धा या क्रीड़ा का स्थान, चाहे आवासीय हो या नहीं;
- (iv) नियोजन से प्रोदभूत या उसके प्रक्रम के दौरान कर्मचारी द्वारा भ्रमण किया गया कोई स्थान, जिसके अंतर्गत ऐसी यात्रा के लिए नियोजक द्वारा उपलब्ध कराया गया परिवहन भी है;
- (v) कोई निवास-गृह या कोई गृह।"।

[सं. 11013/2/2014-स्था.(क)]

ममता कुंद्रा,संयुक्त सन्विव

टिप्पणी- मूल नियम, भारत के राजपत्र के भाग II, खंड 3, उप-खंड (I) में दिनांक 12 दिसंबर, 1964 की का आ. सं. 4177 के तहत प्रकाशित किए गए थे और बाद में निम्नलिखित के तहत संशोधित किए गए थे:-

क्र.सं.	अधिसूचना सं.	दिनांक		भारत के राजपत्र के माग II, खंड 3, उप-खंड (i) में	
`			प्रकाशित का.आ. सं.		
1.	25/23/68-स्या(क)	3 फरवरी, 1970	482	14 फरवरी, 1970	
2.	25/11/72-स्था(क)	24 अक्तूबर, 1972	3643	4 नवंबर, 1972	
3.	25/57/64-स्था(क)	5 जनवरी, 1973	83	13 जनवरी, 1973	
4.	11013/12/75-स्था(क)	13 फरवरी, 1976	846	28 फरवरी, 1976	
.5.	25/19/74-स्था(क)	30 जून, 1976	2563 .	17 जुलाई, 1976	
<u>6</u> .	11013/19/75-स्था(क)	6 जुलाई, 1976	5691	24 जुलाई, 1976	
7.	11013/06/75-स्या(क)	24 नवंबर, 1976	4663	11 दिसंबर, 1976	
8.	11013/4/76-स्था(क)	24 अगस्त, 1977	2859	17 सितंबर, 1977	
9.	11013/03/78-स्था(क)	22 सितंबर, 1978	2859	30 सितंबर, 1978	
10.	11013/12/78-स्था(क)	20 दिसंबर, 1978	3	6 जनवरी, 1980	
11.	11013/3/80-स्था(क)	24 अप्रैल, 1980	1270	,10 जून, 1980	
12:	11013/21/84-स्था(क)	3 अन्तूबर, 1985	.4812	19 अक्तूबर, 1985	
13.	11013/6/85-स्था(क)	21 फरवरी, 1986	935	8 मार्च, 1986	
14.	11013/11/85-स्था(क)	7 मार्च, 1986	1124	22 म <del>ार्च</del> , 1986	
15.	11013/5/86-स्था(क)	4 सितंबर, 1986	3159	20 सितंबर, 1986	
16.	11013/16/85-स्था(क)	10 सितंबर, 1986	3280	27 सितंबर, 1986	
17.	11013/1/87-स्था(क)	27 जुलाई, 1987	1965	8 अगस्त, 1987	
18.	11013/19/87-स्था(क)	19 अप्रैल, 1988	1454	14 जून, 1988	
19.	11013/18/87-स्था(क)	18 सितंबर, 1990	2582	6 अस्तूबर, 1990	
20.	11013/20/91-स्था(फ)	9 दिसंबर, 1992	3231	6 दिसंबर, 1992	
21.	11013/4/93-स्था(क)	12 जुलाई, 1995	सा.का.नि. 355	29 जुलाई, 1995	
22.	11013/4/93-स्था(क)	16 अगस्त, 1996	सा.का.निं. 637	31 अगस्त, 1996	
23.	11013/10/97-स्था(क)	13 फरवरी, 1998	सा,का.नि. 49	7 मार्च, 1998	
24.	11013/5/97-स्था(क)	14 अक्तूबर, 1999	सा.का.नि. 342	23 जक्तूबर, 1999	
25.	11013/6/2001-स्था(क)	15 दिसंबर, 2003.	सा.का.ति. 458	27 दिसंबर, 2003	
26.	11013/7/2005-स्था(क)	18 अक्तूबर, 2005	सा.का.नि. 376	18 अम्तूबर, 2005	

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27.	11013/12/2008-स्या(क)	27 जनवरी, 2009	सा.का.नि. 8	27 जनवरी, 2009
28.	11013/8/2009-स्था(क)	9 मई, 2011	सा.का.नि. 370(अ)	9 मई, 2011
29.	11013/3/2013-स्या(क)	4 मार्च, 2014	सा.का.नि. 149(अ)	4 मार्च, 2014

#### NOTIFICATION

#### New Delhi, the 19th November, 2014

G.S.R.823 (E).— In exercise of the powers conferred by the provise to article 309 and clause (5) of article 148 of the Constitution and after consultation with the Comptroller and Auditor General of India in relation: to persons serving in the Indian Audit and Accounts Department, the President hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, namely:-

- (1) These rules may be called the Central Civil Services (Conduct) Second Amendment Rules, 2914.
  - (2) They shall come into force on the day of their publication in the Official Gazette.
- 2. In the Central Civil Services (Conduct), Rules, 1964, for rule 3C, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:-
- '3C. Prohibition of sexual harassment of working women, (1) No Government servant shall indulge in any act of sexual harassment of any woman at any work place.
- (2) Every Government servant who is incharge of a work place shall take appropriate steps to prevent sexual harassment to any woman at the work place.

Explanation. - (I) For the purpose of this rule, -

- (a) "sexual harassment" includes any one or more of the following acts or behaviour (whether directly or by implication) namely: -
  - (i) physical contact and advances; or
  - (ii) a demand or request for sexual favours; or
  - (iii) making sexually coloured remarks; or
  - (iv) showing pornography; or .
  - (vi) any other unwelcome physical, verbal, non-verbal conduct of a sexual nature.
- (b) the following circumstances, among other circumstances, if it occurs or is present in relation to or connected with any act or behaviour of sexual harassment may amount to sexual harassment:
  - (i) implied or explicit promise of preferential treatment in employment; or
  - (ii) implied or explicit threat of detrimental treatment in employment; or
  - (iii) implied or explicit threat about her present or future employment status; or
  - (iv) interference with her work or creating an intimidating or offensive or hostile work environment for her; or
  - (v) humiliating treatment likely to affect her health or safety.
- (c) "workplace" includes,-
  - (i) any department, organisation, undertaking, establishment, enterprise, institution, office, branch or unit which is established, owned, controlled or wholly or substantially financed by funds provided directly or indirectly by the Central Government;
  - (ii) hospitals or nursing homes;
  - (iii) any sports institute, stadium, sports complex or competition or games venue, whether residential or not used for training, sports or other activities relating thereto;
  - (iv) any place visited by the employee arising out of or during the course of employment including transportation provided by the employer for undertaking such journey;
  - (v) a dwelling place or a house.'.

[No.11013/2/2014-Estt. (A)]

MAMTA KUNDRA, Jt. Secy.

Note:- The Principal rules were published in the Gazette of India, Part II, Section 3, Sub-section (i), vide S.O. No. 4177 dated the 12th December, 1964 and subsequently amended by -

S. No.	Notification No.	Date		Published in the Gazette of India Part II Section 3, Sub-Section (i), S.O. No.	
1.	25/23/68-Estt.(A)	3rd February, 1970	482	The 14th February, 1970	
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3.	25/57/64-Estt.(A)	5th January, 1973	83	The 13th January, 1973	
4.	11013/12/75-Estt.(A)	13th February, 1976	846	The 28th February, 1976	
5.	25/19/74-Estt.(A)	30th June, 1976	2563	The 17th July, 1976	
6.	11013/19/75-Estt.(A)	6th July, 1976	5691	The 24th July, 1976	
7.	11013/06/75-Estt.(A)	24th November, 1976	4663	The 11th December, 1976	
8.	11013/4/76-Estt.(A)	24th August, 1977	2859	The 17th September, 1977	
9.	11013/03/78-Estt.(A)	22nd September, 1978	2859	The 30th September, 1978	
10.	11013/12/78-Estt.(A)	20th December, 1978	3	The 6th January, 1980	
11.	11013/3/80-Estt.(A)	24th April, 1980	1270	The 10th June, 1980	
12.	11013/21/84-Estt.(A)	3rd October, 1985	4812	The 19th October, 1985	
13.	11013/6/85-Estt.(A)	21st February, 1986	935	The 8th March, 1986	
14.	11013/11/85-Estt.(A)	7th March, 1986	1124	The 22nd March, 1986	
15	11013/5/86-Estt.(A)	4th September, 1986	3159	The 20th September, 1986	
16	11013/16/85-Estt.(A)	10th September, 1986	3280	The 27th September, 1986	
17.	11013/1/87-Estt.(A)	27th July, 1987	1965	The 8th August, 1987.	
-1.6 18	11013/19/87-Estt.(A)	19th April, 1988	1454	The 14th June, 1988	
19.	11013/18/87-Estt.(A)	18th September, 1990	2582	The 6th October, 1990	
20.	11013/20/91-Estt.(A)	9th December, 1992	3231	The 26th December, 1992	
21.	11013/4/93-Estt.(A)	12th July, 1995	GSR 355	The 29th July, 1995	
22.	11013/4/93-Estt.(A)	16th August, 1996	GSR 637	The 31st August, 1996	
23.	11013/10/97-Estt.(A)	13th February, 1998	GSR 49	The 7th March, 1998	
24.	11013/5/97-Estt.(A)	14th October, 1999	GSR 342	The 23rd October, 1999	
25.	11013/6/2001-Estt.(A)	15th December, 2003	GSR 458	The 27th December, 2003	
26.	11013/7/2005-Estt.(A)	18th October, 2005	GSR 376	The 18th October, 2005	
27.	11013/12/2008-Estt.(A)	27th January, 2009	GSR 8	The 27th January, 2009	
28.	11013/8/2009-Estt.(A)	9th May, 2011	GSR 370(E)	The 9th May, 2011	
29.	11013/3/2013-Estt.(A)	4th March, 2014	GSR 149(E)	The 4th March, 2014	