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Subject: JNUSU Election campaigning/canvassing through posters, pamphlets etc.

As per clause Nos. 6.7.5 to 6.7.8 of Lyngdoh Committee Report and order of the Supreme Court of India, Students may use hand-made posters and pamphlets or their photo copies for canvassing at the designated places in the University campus.

In this regard, attention is invited to the circular dated 10/6/2019 issued by the Director, Swachh JNU wherein it has been informed that:

"Whereas, as per Delhi Prevention of Defacement of Property Act, 2007 (Delhi Act 1 of 2009), "defacement" of property - building, hut, structure, wall, tree, post, fence, pole or any other erection by the means of writing - printing, painting, decoration, lettering, ornamentation etc. produced by stencil and impairing or interfering with the appearance or beauty, damaging, disfiguring, spoiling or injuring in any other way whatsoever and the word "deface" shall be construed accordingly and will attract penalty/action for defacement of property as provided therein.

And whereas, JNU in the 272nd Executive Council, JNU meeting dated 13.03.2018, under "Any Other Item" resolved that "No property of the University, including walls and buildings, will be used for putting posters/bills, except in the designated places."

Further, it is also mentioned in the above said circular that "All concerned are further advised to designated bill boards, which have been provided at Academic buildings, the Hostels, the Central Library, the Health Centre, Shopping Complexes, the Canteen behind Central Library, the Ganga Dhaba and Food Court near Sabarmati Hostel, for pasting/fixing posters/bills."

Further, Director, Swachh JNU vide its circular dated 01/07/2019 also informed that "Those, who paste or fix posters/bills at designated places, will be responsible for removing the same at the appropriate time."

Therefore, all concerned are advised to adhere to the above mentioned guidelines.

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