



**GOVERNMENT OF KERALA**

No: K3/227/2021/H.Edn.

Higher Education (K) Department,  
Thiruvananthapuram,  
Dated:26-11-2021

From

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government

To

1. The Director of Collegiate Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
2. The Director of Technical Education, Thiruvananthapuram.
3. The Director, Institute of Human Resource Development, T.C 86/1949 (2), NH Bypass Junction, Chackai, Pettah.P.O Thiruvananthapuram
4. The Director of LBS Centre, Thiruvananthapuram
5. The Director, Centre for Continuing Education Kerala, Anathara Lane, Charachira, Kowdiar P.O., Thiruvananthapuram - 3
6. The Principal, Law College, Thiruvananthapuram/Ernakulam/ Thrissur/Kozhikode.
7. The Registrar, University of Kerala, Thiruvananthapuram/  
M.G. University, Kottayam/Sree Sankaracharya University Sanskrit, Kalady, Ernakulam/Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kochi/Calicut University, Malappuram/Kannur University, Kannur/Malayalam University, Thirur/National University of Advanced Legal Studies, NUALS Campus, H.M.T. Colony P.O., Kalamassery, Ernakulam/A P J Abdul Kalam Technological University, College of Engineering Campus, Thiruvananthapuram/Sreenarayana Guru Open University University Building, Kureepuzha, Kollam - 691601
8. The Director, K.R. Narayanan National Institute of Visual Science & Arts, Thekkumthala, Kottayam, Kerala - 686 585

(P.T.O)

Sir,

Sub:- Higher Education Department – Pledge to be administered by students of Colleges and Universities in Kerala at the instance of Kerala High Court Legal Services Committee -reg.

Ref:- Letter dated, 18.11.2021 and 19.11.2021 from Adv. Parvathy Menon, Project Co-ordinator, Victim High Court Right Centre, Kerala High Court Legal Services Committee, High Court of Kerala.

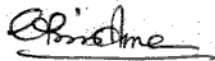
The Kerala High Court Legal Services Committee (KHCLSC) has decided to launch a new project - Victim Rights Centre (for vulnerable groups in the society which include women, children, transgender and sexual minorities, ethnic minorities and Scheduled caste/Scheduled Tribe and also women prisoners and children living with them) between 25.11.2021 and 10.12.2021 which is a 16 day activism period declared by the United Nations to fight gender based violence against women and girls.

Hence, as a part of the official launch of the project, I am to request you to instruct the college students all over kerala (under graduates, Post graduates, diploma students doctorate and post doctorate students) to pledge the solidarity to the theme initiated by UN to change the world by putting end to violence against women.

The copy of the pledge is enclosed.

Yours faithfully,  
**Rajesh Kumar.K.K**  
Under Secretary  
for Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Approved for issue



Section Officer

### **PLEDGE**

"I pledge my solidarity to end violence against women and girls. I wholeheartedly recognize and acknowledge the equal right of women to a dignified life as enshrined in the Constitution of India . I realise the need for action to liberate women from factors that hinder their progress, dignity and empowerment. I pledge to break the silence on violence and to oppose all stigmas and practices that deny and deprive a dignified life to women. I respect and salute womanhood. I shall endeavour to achieve the aspirations of women and walk together in the nation's progress. I shall work for violence free spaces and to end all forms of violence against women and girls."