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CAREER POINT UNIVERSITY

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I. Scope and Applicability

Career Point University is committed to maintaining a safe, healthy, and disciplined environment in accordance with national laws and the University's values of wellness and responsibility. The University strictly enforces the Prohibition of Smoking in Public Places Rules, 2008, and adheres to government and Supreme Court directives related to the prohibition of smoking, alcohol, and narcotic substances.

This policy applies to all students, faculty members, administrative staff, officers, contractual workers, and visitors within University academic and administrative buildings, hostels and residential facilities, cafeterias, playgrounds, and parking areas, University-owned vehicles and transportation services, any University-organized event or function held off-campus.

II. Prohibition of Smoking and Tobacco Use

The institutional premises, including the University campus, are considered a "Public Place" as per the law. Smoking is therefore not allowed as per the Prohibition of Smoking in Public Places Rules, 2008. Smoking and the use of tobacco products, including cigarettes, beedis, cigars, hookah, pipes, smokeless tobacco, gutka, khaini and electronic cigarettes/vaping devices, are strictly prohibited on campus.

The entire campus is smoke-free, and this prohibition extends to all indoor and outdoor areas, including but not limited to buildings, courtyards, walkways, parking lots, and sports facilities. No designated smoking areas are provided within the campus premises.

Any violation of the aforesaid orders and/or possession of beedi/cigarette/cigar/other smoking devices/materials and/or tobacco products shall invite disciplinary action.

Penalties include a fine of ₹1000 for first violation and ₹2000 for second violation. Subsequent violations will result in strict disciplinary action, including suspension or other penalties as deemed appropriate.

III. Prohibition of Consumption and Possession of Alcohol

Alcohol is strictly banned. Possession, consumption and/or distribution of alcohol is strictly prohibited both on and off campus. Anyone found in possession and/or under the influence of any alcoholic substance, whether consumed inside or outside the University campus, is subject to penalty.

Penalties include a fine of ₹5000 for first violation. Repeated offenses will result in serious disciplinary action, including expulsion, termination, or removal from the University/Hostel/Services.

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IV. Prohibition of Use of Drugs or Narcotic Substances

Drugs or narcotics are completely prohibited. The University maintains zero tolerance for the possession and use of narcotic substance(s) and banned drugs.

Anyone found in possession and/or under the influence of any narcotic substance or banned drugs will face immediate expulsion from the University/hostel/services, reporting to law enforcement authorities for legal action. An FIR will be registered with police, if found necessary.

However, medicines prescribed by a registered medical practitioner, even if they contain alcohol or controlled substances, are exempted when used as per medical advice.

V. Enforcement, Reporting, and Awareness

Members of the University Community are requested to inform any violation in confidence to the Security establishment, Dean of Students' Welfare, Dean of the Schools (in case of students), Vice-Chancellor, or Deans' (in case of employees). The identity of the informant will be kept secret and confidential.

The institution is committed to promoting awareness and education on the hazards of smoking, alcohol and drug abuse. This includes conducting educational materials, campaigns, and programs.

This policy serves as a reminder to all members of the University community to maintain discipline, comply with the law, and support the creation of a healthy, substance-free academic environment in the interest of collective well-being.



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