



# भारतीय प्रौद्योगिकी संस्थान (भारतीय खनि विद्यापीठ), धनबाद Indian Institute of Technology (Indian School of Mines), Dhanbad

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## **PRESS-RELEASE**

**Anti-Ragging Day celebrated at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad with staging of play आखिरी शुरुआत दोबारा by Abhay Dramatics Club.**

Abhay Dramatics Club, the official students' drama club of IIT (ISM) today staged a 30 minute street corner play on the significant theme of Anti Ragging at Penman Auditorium of IIT (ISM).

The play titled आखिरी शुरुआत दोबारा was part of the 45 minute melodramatic show, divided into two sessions of 30 minutes and 15 minutes, which began with the staging 30 minutes play based on the theme of Anti Ragging and was followed by another play of 15 minutes titled, "विभाजन एक त्रासदी" highlighting the horrors of partition.

Saumya Kumar, a B Tech final year Mineral and Metallurgical Engineering student who is also the co-coordinator of Abhay Dramatics Club said that staging of the play was carried out as per the Directive of Ministry of Education.

The first play of around 30 minutes, titled आखिरी शुरुआत दोबारा staged by a 15 member team of B Tech 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> students depicted the exciting campus life of IIT (ISM) where students participate in all sorts of activities right from academic activities to sports, entertainment and other extracurricular activities in quite cordial atmosphere.

The activities of the different students club of institute and Gymkhana Society were highlighted through the play which drew attention of the audience towards the fact that both seniors and juniors together participate in the club activities in quite congenial atmosphere without the stereotypic boundaries of experienced and young ones.

Meanwhile, another awareness programme was also organized as part of the Anti Ragging Day at Penman Auditorium of the institute.

Earlier on August 12, a seminar was also organized by Office of Dean Student's Welfare of IIT (ISM) at Penman Auditorium of the institute as part of the inaugural day of Anti Ragging Week during which, Shri Ravi Raj Sharma, Dhanbad Municipal Commissioner and Shri Shashi Bhushan Rai, Senior Vice President of Dhanbad Press Club who were present as guests appealed to all the students to live in the campus in cordial atmosphere and also suggested the seniors to guide and train the juniors.

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