



Students' Senate (2023-24) Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur Review Board | Recommendation



Recommendations

The Students' Senate in its 5th (Special) Meeting 2023/24 constituted a Review Board as per existing procedures of the Senate to review contentions raised against Vox Populi.

The Review Board suggests the following recommendations for the specific case:

- 1) The subject article be withdrawn from all the formal/informal sources immediately. Further, if Mr. Animesh Singh still wishes to contribute to an article on a similar theme, Vox can undertake it in accordance with provisions within the Journalism and Ethics document.
- 2) The preceding update shall be communicated to the General Body, through formal means

Further, the following include a few recommendations on the Ethics Document and general conduct of the body:

- 1) Chief Editors should hold one mandatory session where they discuss the Journalism and Ethics document with the entire Editorial Board and CGMs. One such session per tenure will ensure that similar lapses are not repeated.
- 2) The minimum number of times a person has to be contacted by Vox is 2. Henceforth, at least one of those attempts has to over email that will not only ask for consent to be interviewed but also briefly state the context of the article.

The same shall be communicated to the Students' Senate for itemizing as a noting item.