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Press Release by NALSAR Student Bar Council Condemning the assault on NUJS **Students**

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The Student Bar Council, NALSAR strongly condemns the assault on the Six students of NUJS and stands in solidarity with the students of NUJS.

The Calcutta High Court issued a stay order against demolition of the Subhas Saravor Slums. On September 10, 2017, a mob of goons brutally assaulted six NUJS students who went to stop the demolition of the Subhas Saravor Slums in light of that stay order. Despite the stay order, the contractors demolished the slums, tore the stay order and assaulted NUJS students.

We reiterate the need for respecting and safeguarding the rights of all citizens of this country. We extend our sympathies and support not only to these students, but also to the arbitrarily displaced slum dwellers. Rights guaranteed to us cannot be restricted by displays of force or coercion.

We applaud the actions of the six students who, unfazed by odds, arose to defend the rights of the most vulnerable among us. We further condemn the breach of the High Court's orders, and call for immediate sanctions against those responsible.

Warm Regards,

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