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One-day National Workshop on Election Laws in India

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Dear Student,

Warm Greetings from Centre for Research in Public Policy and Law!

We are pleased to announce that we are organizing a one-day National Workshop on Election Laws in India on 16th February 2020.

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

While many of us know of the basics of the Election machinery that runs our democracy, a more complex understanding of the systems is necessary; this will facilitate an effective understanding of the intricacies and nuances of our political system. Hence, the National Workshop on Election Laws in India is being conducted for a well-thought-of and established discourse on Election Laws and its associated procedures within our country. It aims to be a primer into the field, for all students, irrespective of their field of study, academicians, advocates, and NGO representatives.

Tentative Sessions:

16th February 2020

Session 1-

10.00a.m. to 11.00a.m. – Introduction: Placing Election Laws in the Indian Constitutional Context

Session 2-

11.15a.m. to 12.45p.m. – Election Finance

Session 3-

02.00p.m. to 03.00p.m. – Role of the Election Commission in Indian Democracy

Session 4-

03.15 p.m. to 04.15 p.m. – Political Parties and Election Laws: A Summation

Registration can be completed by filling the Google form:

<https://forms.gle/VQBxJCHMXkZXzksi9>

Registration fee-

The fee for the internal students is INR. 50/- only

Participation certificates will be given to all the participants.

The certificate will be issued to those participants who have 85% attendance in the duration of the workshop.

Last date for registration – 14/02/2020

Last date of registration fee – 14/02/2020

Note: Registration fee only includes the Workshop Kit and High Tea for the day of the Workshop.

Organizing COMMITTEE

Chief Patron - Prof. (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan

Patron - Dr. Anuradha Binnuri

Convener - Mr. Avinash Singh

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Thanks & Regards,

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ABOUT SYMBIOSIS LAW SCHOOL HYDERABAD

The idea of 'Symbiosis' is nurtured by Dr. S. B. Mujumdar on the principles of Vedic thought Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam which translates to 'world as one family'. Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad was established in 2014 inheriting splendid novelty, dynamism and excellence in education of Symbiosis International University, Pune. The legacy of the Symbiosis Law Schools in excellence and quality began with Symbiosis Law School, Pune, which is consistently ranked among the top 10 law schools in India in last 13 years. Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad is founded on pillars of expertise, justice and Service and is committed to impart quality legal education confirming to acclaimed International standards. SLS, Hyderabad is cocooned in the upcoming educational zone with state-of-art infrastructure, catering to the impending needs of student community. It is located in Mamidipalle village, Mahabubnagar district of Telangana near Hyderabad; it is just 45 minutes away from the International airport. It share expertise in imparting quality legal education through competent and well qualified teaching staff, techno-driven research culture, internationalization, centres of excellence, training and skill enhancement programmes, moot courts and the like. It is committed to contribute to the justice mission of the state by initiating pro-bono activities to help poor and marginalised through community lawyering, legal aid camps and permanent legal aid clinics. Further, it endeavours to create value-conscious, skilled lawyers with par excellence serving dynamic needs of the community through Bar and Bench.

ABOUT CENTRE FOR RESEARCH AND PUBLIC POLICY LAW

Centre for Research in Public Policy (CRPPL) is a centre of Symbiosis Law School, Hyderabad, concerned with establishing a concrete research paradigm within our university, and largely, within the legal community. From Socratic dialogues to inter-disciplinary approaches towards research, the centre seeks to engage in stimulating conversations and analyses, which result in an informed understanding of various issues, ranging from citizenship to free speech to privacy and so on.

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FACILITATOR

The Workshop will be facilitated by Jasmine Joseph who works as an Assistant Professor in Tamil Nadu National Law University. She did her graduation in Bachelor of Laws in University of Ernakulam and her Masters in Law from University of Legal Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kerala. She started her career as an Assistant Lawyer at the office of the District Government Pleader & Public Prosecutor in Kerala. She has also worked as an Assistant Professor in West Bengal National University of Juridical Sciences and as a visiting faculty in University of Legal Studies, Cochin University of Science and Technology and West Bengal State Judicial Academy. She has written articles for many books and has reviewed and edited various books.

ELIGIBILITY

The Workshop is open to Students, LL.M/M.Phil/PhD Research scholars, Academicians and Practitioners.

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Alternatively, registration can also be made by sending email to

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Name of Participant, Contact number, Email, Institution name, Designation

Registration fee - Rs. 500 per participant

Fee can be paid by GooglePay/Paytm on following number:

Gpay Number:7367963906, PayTM Number: 7765061063

ON SPOT REGISTRATIONS ALLOWED AT WORKSHOP VENUE

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REPORT ON ONE DAY NATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ELECTION LAWS IN INDIA

16 February 2020

The Centre for Research in Public Policy and Law (CRPPL), a research based centre of Symbiosis Law School Hyderabad (SLS-H), is proud to report that on 16th of February, 2020, the CRPPL team successfully conducted one-day National Workshop on Election Laws in India at Symbiosis Law School-Hyderabad campus.

The team acted with utmost diligence in fulfilling this task and took responsibility while conducting this event. The event initiated at 10:00am in the assembly hall with welcome address by Mr. Avinash Singh, Faculty-in-charge, CRPPL. The event then followed by felicitation of the Chief guest Miss Jasmine Joseph, Assistant Professor, Tamil Nadu National Law University (TNNLU) by Prof. (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan, Director, SLS-H followed by the an address by the Director, SLS-H. Following are the details of the sessions addressed by esteemed guest:

Session 1: Introduction: Placing Election Laws in the Indian Constitutional Context (10:00a.m. -11:00a.m.)

In this session, Constitutional aspects of election law was highlighted. The esteemed guest discussed upon various case laws in respect of the same. She then highlighted the functioning of election under the Representation of People's Act, 1951 and working of election tribunal. Finally, she ended the session with a discussion over the nature of right to vote especially in terms of prisoner.

Session 2: Election Finance (11:15 a.m.-12:45 p.m.)

Miss Jasmine shed a light over the financing schemes to the political parties and election Commission of India. She discussed upon it in light of transparency and accountability. In this session, she stated aspects like advertising, lobbying and electoral bonds. Finally, she ended this session by highlighting the role of the Supreme Court in ensuring transparency in terms of election finance to the political parties.

Session 3: Role of the Election Commission in Indian Democracy (02:00 p.m. - 03:00 p.m.)

In this session, the esteemed guest highlighted the role of Election Commission of India (ECI) in conducting election and controlling election based offences. She also shed a light about the limitations they face while doing so. She gave an idea about the hierarchy being followed within ECI and powers of the authorities as per their posts and the Constitutional powers granted to them. She ended the session with giving a practical idea about the working of ECI.

Session 4: Political Parties and Election Laws: A Summation (03:15 p.m. – 04:15 p.m.)

In this session, she highlighted corrupt practices of political parties during the election and their roles as per Constitution. She gave an idea upon the rights of political parties to register the party. She also classified political parties as per law and the basis of such classification. Finally, she ended the session with a note over election disputes as well and practical aspects underlying therein.

The event then came to an end with a Thank You note by Mr. Avinash Singh, Faculty-In-Charge, CRPPL.

This event was conducted to create a brainstorming, reflection, discussion, sharing, analysis and critiquing the election laws and reforms in respect of the same among the students and make them actively participate in the same in order to effectuate such reforms. Around 33 students participated in the event including the external and internal participants.

This event would not have reached its estimated success without the support of Prof. (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan, Director SLS-H; Mr. M.A. Hazi, Administrator, SLS-H; Col. B.S. Bali (Retd.), Campus Administrator of Symbiosis, Hyderabad campus; Mr. Avinash Singh, Faculty-in-charge, CRPPL and the student members of team CRPPL.

The team concluded the event on a strong note, fulfilling the objectives and agendas set for them, and made their strong contribution in awareness creation upon the election laws and reforms inherent therein amongst the students.



A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read 'Dr. Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan'.

Director
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Picture 1: Hosting of the Event by the Member of CRPPL



Picture 2: Interaction of the Chief guest Miss Jasmine Joseph(in the middle) with Prof. (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan, Director, SLS-H (Right) and Mr. Avinash Singh, faculty-in-charge, CRPPL.





Picture 3: Felicitation of Miss Jasmine Joseph, the Chief guest of the event by the Prof. (Dr.) Sarfaraz Ahmed Khan, Director, SLS-H.



Picture 4: Miss Jasmine Joseph addressing the queries of the participants.





Picture 5: Participants of the workshop with Miss Jasmine Joseph, the esteemed guest of the event and Mr. Avinash Singh, Faculty-in-Charge, CRPPL.



Picture 6: Team CRPPL with Mr. Avinash Singh, Faculty-in-charge, CRPPL and Miss Jasmine Joseph, assistant Professor, TNNLU and the esteemed guest of the event.



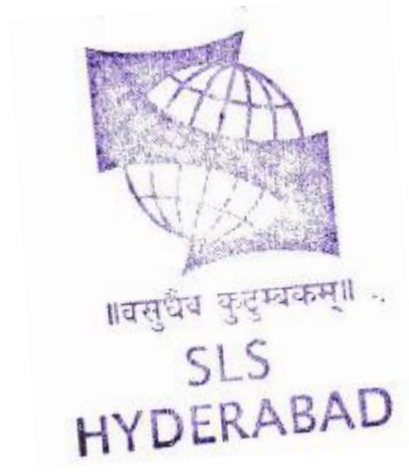
ATTENDANCE


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