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NATIONAL LEVEL PRO BONO DRAFTING COMPETITION - 2023

Background

Access to Justice is an integral part of any country's judicial system. No one should be deprived of it because of economic or any other inability. Free Legal Aid and Assistance is crucial for country like India where billions of people are not able to get timely legal assistance in cost effective or freely manner. Government and Judiciary have been making all effort to make justice accessible and affordable through various legislations, schemes and policies. Law Students can play crucial role in providing free legal aid and assistance to needy and bring a change in the society. Some time there is a need of some legal instruments in terms of petition, complaint to take various issues further. Looking at the same we have organised National Level Pro Bono Drafting Competition in which students will be required to use their drafting skill in preparing PIL petition, RTI Application and Consumer Complaint.

Who can participate?

Any law students studying in three years or five years of UG Programme in any recognized institution in India.

Registration

Registration fees of Rs. 100 to be paid via UPI (Mob. 99248 97691)



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Registration to be made by <u>March 15</u> by filling up details in following form https://forms.gle/dS51W4mXkHaBkeZ4A

Competition Modalities

- 1. This competition is focusing on following three sub topics.
 - a. PIL Drafting
 - b. RTI Drafting
 - c. Consumer Complaint Drafting
- 2. Each participant is required to prepare Only One Draft in handwritten form only.
- 3. Participants will be intimated about the drafting problem (PIL/RTI/Consumer Complaint) via email on **Sunday, March 26, 2023** at **10-25 am.**
- 4. Total duration for preparing draft is One and Half Hrs. (10-30 am to 12 noon.)
- 5. Participants will have to upload handwritten draft on google form shared in email on or before 12 noon.
- 6. Drafts will be evaluated based on the parameters viz. Format, Content, Legal Provisions involved, professionalism.
- 7. Late submission will not be considered in any circumstances.
- 8. Result of the competition will be declared by April 10, 2023
- 9. Decision of the organizer will be final and binding

Awards

Competition	First Position	Second Position
PIL Drafting	Cash Prize Rs. 5,000/-	Cash Prize Rs. 3,000/-
	Certificate of Merit	Certificate of Merit
	Memento	Memento
RTI Drafting	Cash Prize Rs. 5,000/-	Cash Prize Rs. 3,000/-
	Certificate of Merit	Certificate of Merit
	Memento	Memento
Consumer Complaint Drafting	Cash Prize Rs. 5,000/-	Cash Prize Rs. 3,000/-
	Certificate of Merit	Certificate of Merit
	Memento	Memento

All participants will be given an $\underline{\text{e-certificate}}$ of participation for submission.

For any further information or clarification, please contact,

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