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**Book Title: Understanding the landscape of sports law in India**

**About the Sports law**

Sports have long been viewed as a way to stay healthy and keep fit. However, today, its benefit have gone further beyond this. On individual level, sports improve psychology health along physical health, it also develops skills of teamwork, Leadership, discipline, self-confidence & self –esteem. At national level, it is accepted that the feeling of nationalism is indispensable to the ideas of nation building. After religion, sports is the only thread that binds people together and helps in developing the feeling of oneness and unity that can counter various factors of separatism.

In addition, in terms of employment and revenue, sports industry is regarded as one of the largest industries in the world and it is estimated that by 2025 the India sports good industry will touch $6 billion. Sport has also extensively contributed and continues to contribute in building international relations in a positive way. It has become a phenomenon more widespread than the facts such as the democracy, the free market, and even the freedom.

Like several mega industries, sport industry consists of interwoven relationships between several different parties like players, councils/federations, media houses, sponsors, etc. Similarly, it has its own sets of concerns starting:

* from accountability to cultural/infrastructural impediments
* from the discrimination to sexual harassment,
* from breach of contract to IP rights Violation,
* from match-fixing to doping,
* from field sports to e-sports, etc.

Depending upon nature of disputes sports law includes: Constitutional law, law of Contract, Intellectual property rights, Criminal law, Administrative law, Labor law, Information Technology law etc. This interdisciplinary aspect of conflicts has led to the discussion of different kinds of debate such as whether it is ‘sports law’ or ‘law and sports’. Moderate answer to this question is that sports law can develop into the field of law. It is in the middle of a revolutionary, thrilling and demanding phase. The relevance of the question resides in whether we believe that we can take pride in working in an area that is respected as having substantive value and is considered a vital part of the legal community.

This area is a Pandora of opportunities for lawyer’s especially new ones. Sport law is a fun as well challenging way area of law. Whether lawyer focuses exclusively on sports related business or practices sports law as part of any other area of law, sports law may be a enjoyable way to indulge in serious business of court practice.

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* Sports and Insurance
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