# **NEELAM PRUSTY**

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# ACADEMIC QUALIFICATIONS

- B.A. LL.B. (Hons.) : 7.05/10 CGPA [Madhusudan Law University, Odisha]
  - 12<sup>th</sup> Standard (CBSE Board) : 65% [Kendriya Vidyalaya, Paradeep Port]
- 10<sup>th</sup> Standard (CBSE Board) : 9.8 CGPA [Kendriya Vidyalaya, Paradeep Port]

# WORK EXPERIENCE

<u>Biswajit Sarkar, Advocates – IP Attorneys</u> (Trainee Associate) [July 2023: 90 days]

- Prepared Examination Replies, Notice of Opposition and Counter-Statement
- Filed Copyright and Trademark Applications
- Prepared Trademark Search Opinion Report.
- Attended show cause hearing of Trademark objection

# INTERNSHIPS

Khurana & Khurana, Advocates and IP Attorneys

[October 2022: 60 days]

- Prepared Trademark Search Opinion Report.
- Drafted Reply to the Examination Reports for the clients of the firm.
- Maintained the database and worked on WIPO and EUIPO.
- Wrote case brief of *Triumphant Institute of Management Education vs. TIMES Coaching Centre.*

# IP Trademark Clinic, Patna, Bihar

- Prepared Trademark Search Opinion Report.
- Drafted User Affidavit for the purpose of filing trademarks and Reply to the Examination Reports for the clients of the firm.
- Wrote case brief of Abercrombie & Fitch Company vs. Hunting World, Incorporated, 461 F.2d 1040 (2d Cir. 1972).
- Conducted status check of certain trademarks.

# KP Sivaramakrishnan's Law Office, Uttar Pradesh

- Drafted Reply to the Examination Reports for the clients of the firm.
- Researched on various situation to reply the ER
- Maintain the record of all marks and their development

[May 2022: 30 days]

[April 2022: 90 days]

#### Zest IP Consultant, New Delhi

- Wrote an article on Trademark Opposition
- Prepared Evidence for the ongoing trademark case "Just Her v. Just Beard".
- Prepared case brief of the Khandelwal Edible Oils Ltd. v. Landsmill Agro Pvt. Ltd. [CS(COMM) 568/2021]

### India Lost and Found, New Delhi

- Researched on Section 30 of the Copyright Act, 1957.
- Drafted Copyright Licensing Agreement
- Conducted due diligence for the library

# FREELANCE

- Created content on design law for the website <u>www.marksandtech.com</u>.
- Drafted affidavit and contract for LawyerOnCall.
- Wrote 9 articles on eSign and eContract for ZoopSign Consultancy.

# MOOT COURT EXPEREINCE

- Participated in the R. U. Singh Memorial National Moot Court Competition at Lucknow University in 2020.
- Semi-Finalists at State Biswaranjan Pattanayak Memorial State Moot Court Competition in 2019.

# PUBLICATION

- Article on <u>Copyright Ownership of Google Images</u> and <u>How Can One Avoid Misuse of</u> <u>Common Social Media Logos</u> on iPleaders.
- Article on <u>Air Sports Law: A Safety Shield, Trademarking Times</u> and <u>Intellectual</u> <u>Property And The Festival Of Halloween</u> on IPLF.

# **CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Diploma in Intellectual Property, Media and Entertainment Laws-February 2021

- Drafted Legal Opinion, In-show Integration Agreement, Endorsement Agreement, Actor Employment Agreement.
- Learnt to draft Trademark Search Opinion, User Affidavit, Trademark Assignment Agreement and Licensing Agreement etc.

# POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITIES HELD

- Trainee Associate at LawSikho (From November 2020 to April 2021)
- Volunteer at Our Voix, 2019

[April 2021 – 150 days]