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EDUCATION

National Law University and Judicial Academy, Assam

2019-2024

B.A.L.LB

9.1 CGPA | Specialization- IPR Law, Business Law

ADDITIONAL COURSES

- Microsoft Excel: From Beginner to Advanced- by UDEMY (2022).
- General Course on Intellectual Property by WIPO (2020).

WORK EXPERIENCE

LITLEGAL NEW DELHI

Ip Litigation August 2024- present

- *Drafted & filed* suits related to trade mark infringement and cancellations.
- Drafted & filed multiple S.124 application under Trademarks Act 1999; Writ Petition against a notification of Govt. banning FDC; Rejoinders; Caveat application; Compromise Application O. XXIII R. 3; Agreement for sharing technical capabilities; Application for substituted service and other legal documents.
- Prepared TM-A application; Reply to Examination Report; Notice of Opposition; counter statement.
- Researched cases relating to S. 52(1)(k) & (l), 55 of the Copyright Act; advertisement of trade mark constitutes as 'use'.
- Researched cases relating to directions given by the court in matters of trademark infringement by e-commerce websites.

INTERNSHIP

LINK LEGAL NEW DELHI

Disputes Team August 2023

- Researched on can application be filed in the court seeking discretion for getting the records of a case filed by a 3rd party against one of the parties to original suit; Does MCA, ROC, SFIO have the power to freeze the shareholding of a company; Product liability and its cases; whether RP can approach NCLT for maintenance of a company as a going concern;
- Prepared note on dilution of shareholding and rights of shareholders; Section 60(5) of the IBC, 2016 should be dealt with before initiation of CIPR process.

LAKSHMIKUMARAN & SRIDHARAN

BANGALORE

July 2022

Indirect Tax Team

- Researched on and formulated a summary on judicial precedents and circulars on refund of tax under Inverted Duty Structure in Transactions of SEZ unit for client purposes terms of Section 54(3) of CGST Act; whether tablets and ipads come under the ambit of computers and laptops for the purpose of depreciation under IT Act; whether club membership given by employer uniformally to all employees will or can be exempted from taxation; secondment taxation in India.
- Collected judicial decisions and made summary on whether CCDs are characterized as Debt or Equity under the IT Act;
- Formulated a report on secondment taxation in USA, South Africa and UK and drafted document on provisions of Specified Domestic.

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New Delhi

Corporate Law Team

July 202

- Researched on status-quo order granted by a court needs to be specific and cannot be so vague as to stop the functioning of the company; Whether after submitting resignation letter & completing the notice period, the employee shall be deemed to have resigned from service when the service rules is silent about the deemed resignation; Whether the competent authority in a departmental proceeding is bound to obey the direction/order of High Court.
- Researched on whether Personal Guarantor can initiate proceedings under Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code,
 2016 to absolve from Guarantor obligations; whether three different Stamp duty has to be paid for three different properties mortgaged or a single stamp duty for all.
- Prepared research notes on Section 233 and 241 of the Companies Act, 2013 and Private Placement procedures under Companies Act, 2013.

ANM GLOBAL ADVOCATES

- Researched on Section 11(6) of Arbitration and Conciliation Act, Section 31 of the Copyright Act, 1957, Section 9(2) of the Trademarks Act, 1999 and Section 47, 50, 51 of Maharashtra Stamp Act, 1958 through judicial precedents and made case notes on the same.
- Analyzing through judicial precedents- Copyright registration is only prima facie evidence and does not proof originality; Confidentiality is a right in personam and not right in rem; Courts denying anticipatory bail where the actions of the petitioner have hurt religious sentiments; Interpretation of terms of contract should not lead to absurdity and should have reasonable meaning.
- Prepared a note on initial draft of 'ASCI Guidelines for Influencers'
- Conducted Public Trademark Search and prepared a note on the same.
- Proofread & assisted the senior in drafting the pleadings and other legal documents.

ASSAR LAW FIRM NEW DELHI

Litigation Team September 2020

- Assisted in drafting of- Certificate u/s 65B of The Evidence Act; Consumer Complaint u/s 34 of Consumer Protection Act, 2019; Caveat Application u/s148-A of the Civil Procedure Code; Application under Order 21 Rule 11(2) of CPC; Miscellaneous Application for transfer of decree; Application under Order VIII Rule 10 of CPC.
- Analyzed through Judicial precedents- working wife can claim maintenance from husband; Judge ordering to break-open the lock in case of eviction and giving possession to the owner; and prepared note on the same.

SCRIBOARD ADVOCATES & LEGAL CONSULTANTS

DELHI

Research Team (IPR)

July-August 2020

- Assisted the Partner, with updates case materials for his book.
- Researched cases related to the Trademarks Act, 1999; Copyright Act, 1957 and other allied IP Laws.
- Researched on compulsory licensing under copyright law and Section 51 and 52 of the Copyright Act, 1957.

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KOLKATA

Litigation June 2020

- Researched on cases related to matrimonial disputes including provisions of dissolution of marriage and restitution of conjugal rights; cases of appeal u/s 37(1)(c) against order of Court setting aside or refusing to set aside an arbitral award u/s 34
- Researched on ambit of Section 18 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988; on legality of maintaining a Savings A/C in India by NRI.
- Researched and prepared notes on Section 9, 11, 34 of the Arbitration and Concilliation Act.

VAHURA MUMBAI

Legal Consultancy & Recruitment Team

January 2023- February 2023

- Formulated databases by inputting employee information and employment details of Tier 1 Law Firms.
- *Created* talent pipeline by sourcing potential candidates through online channels.
- Assisted in screening potential employees' resumes and application forms to identify suitable candidates and organizing interviews with shortlisted candidates.

VOLUNTEERING EXPERIENCE

Information Officer, IDIA

2022-2023

- Acted as a liaison between the management and the members of the North-East Chapter.
- Formulated a plan to increase the funding for North-east Chapter and was successful in increasing it by 110% on Y-O-Y basis.
- Mentored the trainees on subjects like Quantitative Aptitude and Logical Reasoning and prepared practice questionnaire for the same.

EXTRA-CIRRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- **Semi-Finalist,** 2nd NLUJAA National Law Quiz Competition (November 15, 2019).
- Operational Head, Aequitas Victoria Foundation (2021-2022)
- Student Coordinator, National Seminar on "Transition of Inclusive and Exclusive Practices of Child Protection and Promotion: A Multidisciplinary Approach" - organized by Government Law College, Kozhikode.
- Volunteer, NSS NLUJAA Unit (2019-2021)
- Semi-finalist, Football Tournament (Bosco Fest, 2016).
- Quarter- finalist, Football Tournament (St. James Sports Fest, 2014).
- Position of Responsibility
 - o **School Games Captain,** Holy Child School (2017).
 - o Vice-Captain, Holy Child School Football Team (2016-2017).