Sicito Concurso 20

A National Legislative Drafting Competition

RULES

I. **ELIGIBILITY**

- Participation is open to all students pursuing either an LL.B (3 years and 5 years) or an LL.M course in any University in India.
- Participation is restricted to a maximum of two authors per paper.
- Both the authors in case of co-authorship need not be pursuing their law degree from the same University.
- Only one paper can be submitted per author and in case of co-authorship, the author/s cannot submit a paper other than the one they have co-authored.

II. **TOPICS FOR THE COMPETITION**

> Bill on population control

> Bill to make voting compulsory

> Bill to regulate cryptocurrencies

> Bill to prevent food wastage

> Bill on an "All-India Judicial Service"

III. **PANELISTS**

- Mr. Anirudh Rastogi, Founder & Managing Partner, IKIGAI Law
- Mr. Gaurang Kanth, Managing Partner, Kanth & Associates
- Mr. Hemant Batra, Counsel & Author
- Mr. Krishnan Singhania, Managing Partner, Singhania & Co.

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IV. PRIZES

- > First Prize Rs. 10000|-
- > Second Prize Rs. 5000|-
- > Third Prize Rs. 3000]-

In case, any of the winning articles are co-authored, the prize money will not be altered and will be spilt amongst the co-authors themselves.

- > Top 5 students will be offered internships at reputed law firms as well as offered a complimentary subscription of the Annual Issue of the India Law Journal.
- > Best paper from each topic will be shared with the concerned Parliamentary Committee and published in the India Law Journal.
- > Top 20 students will be given Letters of Recommendations.
- > All participants will be issued a participation certificate which will be sent to their respective Universities.

V. <u>Submission Guidelines</u>

- > The text must be in Times New Roman font size 12.
- > Endnotes may be used and not footnotes.
- > The length of the articles should not exceed 4500 words excluding endnotes.
- > Endnotes may be cited as per any accepted method of citation.
- Submissions may be emailed to info@indialawjournal.org
- > The subject of the email should be 'Submission for Licito Concurso '20'
- > The email should also contain name of the author/s and the name of the University/s.
- \succ The last date for submitting articles is <u>31st October</u>, <u>2020</u>. No delays will be entertained.
- > Plagiarism will attract disqualification.



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- > While evaluating the articles, the board of editors and panelists will consider creativity, content, structure and linguistic skills presented in the article.
- > The decision of the Organizing Committee will be final.

VI. PROCEDURE FOR REGISTRATION

- > The last date of registration is 15th September 2020.
- > Registration can be done by downloading the Registration Form available at https://indialawjournal.org/docs/registration-form-for-licito-concurse-20.pdf
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