

Licito Concurso '10

A National Legal Writing Competition

RULES

I. ELIGIBILITY

- *Participation is open to all students pursuing both LL.B (3 years and 5 years) and LL.M in any university in India.*
- *Participation is restricted to maximum two authors per article.*
- *Both the authors in case of co-authorship need not be pursuing their law degree as mentioned above from the same university.*
- *Only one article can be submitted per author and in case of co-authorship, the author/s cannot submit an article other than the one which they have co-authored.*
- *All participants shall be issued a participation certificate which shall be sent to their respective universities.*

II. TOPICS FOR COMPETITION

- *Legal Education: Impact of Globalization on Legal Education in India*
- *Arbitration: Present status of Indian law on treatment of international arbitration agreements*
- *Climate Change: Was Copenhagen more than the accord: The Indian perspective*
- *Competition Law: Competition issues affecting the energy sector in India*
- *Legal Processing Outsourcing: Is the lack of a regulatory framework one of the challenges facing the LPO industry in India?*

III. PANELISTS

- *Prof. Ghanshyam Singh, Registrar, National Law University (NLU), Delhi*
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IV. PRIZES

- *First Prize - Rs. 5000/-*
- *Second Prize - Rs. 3000/-*
- *Third Prize - Rs. 2000/-*

In case, any of the winning articles are co-authored, the prize money shall not be altered and will have to be spilt amongst the co-authors themselves. In addition to the prize money, the winners shall also receive a complimentary subscription for the 2009 and 2010 issues and their articles shall be published in the forthcoming issues of India Law Journal.

V. SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- *The Font size shall be size 12 in Times New Roman format.*
- *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 vikrant@indialawjournal.com.*
- *The subject of the email should be 'Submission for Licitto Concorso '10'*
- *The email should also contain name of the author/s and the name of the university(s) to which the authors belong.*
- *The last date for submitting articles is 31st May 2010. No delays for whatsoever reason shall be entertained.*
- *Plagiarism shall attract disqualification.*
- *While evaluating the articles, the board of editors and panelists shall consider creativity, content, structure and linguistic skills presented in the article.*
- *The decision of the Organizing Committee shall be final.*

VI. PROCEDURE FOR REGISTRATION

- *The last date of registration shall be 31st March, 2010.*
- *The registration can be done by downloading the registration form available at www.indialawjournal.com.*
- *It should be sent along with the participation fee of Rs. 150/- payable by way of demand draft only in the name of "INDIA LAW JOURNAL" and payable at New Delhi.*
- *The registration form and demand draft must be accompanied by a photocopy of the author's university identity card or bonafide letter from the respective institution.*

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