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Legal Professional with **14+ years** post qualification experience and Founder of a law firm.



TITLE

**Advocate on
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EXPERTISE

**Dispute Resolution
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WORK EXPERIENCE

- ❖ **Employees' related disputes:** Handled disputes between the employer and employee concerning Employees' Provident Fund, theft of Intellectual Property by the employees, termination without notice, complaints before Labour Courts, etc.
- ❖ **General Civil and Criminal Litigation (Supreme Court - Delhi High Court – District Courts)**
 - **Civil Litigation** - both original and appellate; commercial litigation; writ jurisdiction including Public Interest Litigation; corporate litigation and arbitration. Other practice areas include commercial disputes, construction disputes, company affairs, mediation and matrimonial settlement, trademark passing off and infringement suits, suits for infringement of copyright, suits with respect of share purchase agreements, recovery suits, suits for specific performance of an agreement to sell and of like nature, suits to set aside collusive and fraudulent decrees, consumer, product and service liability litigation, contractual disputes for liquidated damages and specific performance etc.
 - **Corporate and Commercial Litigation** - Disputes concerning oppression and mismanagement, cases under the Insolvency and Bankruptcy Code, 2016 in the National Company Law Tribunal (NCLT) and National Company Law Appellate Tribunal (NCLAT), High Court of Delhi and Supreme Court.
 - **Arbitration** - Section(s) 9, 11 and 34 petitions for interim measures, the appointment of arbitrators and challenge to arbitral awards. Participated in various ad hoc and institutional arbitration proceedings, including formalizing rules and procedures, analysis of contractual disputes, and drafting of claims and counter claims. Represented companies in a highly contentious issue w.r.t. delay in handing over the project, risk and cost and liquidated damages.

- **Consumer Disputes** - Working experience on the practice and procedure of district and state consumer forums in Delhi as well as the NCDRC.
- **Banking:** Litigation in debt recovery tribunals and appellate tribunal; Litigation under the Negotiable Instruments Act and the SARFAESI Act.
- **Industrial Disputes:** Industrial Disputes between the employer and employee before the High Court.
- **Public Interest Litigations –**
 - o **Shashank v. the State of Maharashtra**
A successful PIL seeking SAT in Palghar Lynching Case
 - o **Animal and Birds Charitable Trust v. Union of India**
A successful challenge to the 'animal exchange programme', between a German zoo and an Indian zoo.
 - o **ABCT v. Union of India**
PIL against the killing of wild animals by Kheti Bachao Sangharsh Samiti Animal and Birds Charitable Trust vs State of Himachal Pradesh and Ors.
 - o **Priyanka Das v. Union of India**
First ever to challenge Section 66A of the Information Technology Act, 2000.

NEWS COVERAGE

- o Palghar Lynching Case - <https://www.republicworld.com/the-debate/1608/4671/india-demands-justice-for-palghar-victims.html>
- o Arnab Goswami Bail in Supreme Court - <https://www.lawyered.in/legaldisrupt/articles/quoteunquote-how-arnab-goswami-and-other-accused-got-bail/>
- o Bail case - <https://dainik-b.in/bggVdrLqxjb>

EDUCATION AND BAR ENROLLMENT

- June, 2009: B.A.LL.B from Mewar Law College.
- Certificate Course in Intellectual Property Rights from Indian Law Institute, Delhi with grade A.
- 2018 – Advocate on Record, Supreme Court of India