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## ABOUT THE INSTITUTE

Indore Institute of Law established in the year 2003 has the vision of bringing intellectual awakening and all round development of our country through education. In short span of time the institute has created a history of being the only institute in private sector to offer all Law Courses i.e. B. A. LL. B, B.B.A. LL. B., LL. B. & LL. M. under one roof. The institute believes in 360 degree development of students. Academic growth is the reflection of any educational institution. IIL is glad to share the academic excellence of the college which is authenticated by our students who bagged 38 university top out of 40. Further to hone the skill IIL in association with Enhelion Indian Pvt. Ltd. provides its students with 5 Diploma Courses in 5 years Law course.

## ACCOLADES

Ranked among the best law colleges in Central India, Indore Institute of Law is one of the Best Law college of India and is ranked 1st in private law colleges of MP/CG/Rajasthan by India Today, Outlook and The Week.

IIL has been awarded 'The Best Private Law College of Madhya Pradesh and Chhattisgarh' in 2015 and 2016 and is also conferred 'The Excellence in Indian Education Award – 2017'.

IIL is recognized by the Bar Council of India, New Delhi and has been awarded 'The Best Educational Building of Central India' by Dainik Bhaskar and Ernst & Young in the year 2012 and 2013 consecutively. The 'Animal Moot Court' organized at IIL on World Environment Day June 5, 2016 won accolades in "The Golden Book of World Records, USA" with 171 students participating in the event. The institute has signed MOUs for internships with the top corporate firms and has an impressive list of in-house publications.

Elevating the level of education to the international level, visits of students have been facilitated on a regular basis to The International Court of Justice and The International Criminal Court, Hague, Netherlands.

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# MESSAGE FROM PATRON'S



"There are so many people who have great talents, but do not seem to use it. Many times you will be able to easily triumph over those who are gifted but unwilling to work hard enough to cope with your efforts.

Hard work and a good dose of determination can lead you anywhere, even if you are not the most talented in this area. Think about all those super talents in your preferred area of law. Only those talents who are willing to make an extra effort will be able to succeed. Otherwise, less talented people will outperform them with their boundless willingness to do extraordinary work."

**Mr. Kantilal Bam**, Chairman, Icon Education Society



"Since 2003, Indore Institute of Law has been committed to advance Law and Justice in the service of society by dispensing value based standard legal education. This year, to provide an innovative learning opportunity for young law students who are determined to polish their advocacy skills, we delightedly announce the first edition of our National Moot Court Competition. I take this honour in inviting the best law schools of the nation to Indore Institute of Law, in the heart of India, Madhya Pradesh."

**Mr. Akshay Kanti Bam**, Chairman, Indore Institute Of Law



"The main business of a lawyer is to take the romance, the mystery, the irony, the ambiguity out of everything he touches. If you want to succeed in legal profession then you have to live like a hermit and work like a horse. Kindly looking forward to your kind presence in the 1st Smt. Nirmala Devi Bam Memorial National Moot Court Competition.

**Dr. Vinod Patidar**, Principal, Indore Institute Of Law



For me it is an honor and a pleasure to invite your esteemed institution to the Flagship Competition on behalf of the Organising Committee, Moot Court Society of IIL. I take great pride in welcoming all the participants to the 1st Smt. Nirmala Devi Bam Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2019 from 10th May – 12th May, 2019. I am looking forward to meeting you all in Indore where my organizing committee would be hosting the budding lawyers with the best of our hospitality.

**Dr. Manpreet Kaur Rajpal**, HOD, Indore Institute Of Law



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*In memory of*  
**Smt. Nirmala Devi Bam**



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**10<sup>TH</sup> TO 12<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2019**



# INVITATION

To,  
The Director/Vice- Chancellor/Dean/ Head/ Principal,

Ref: Invitation for 1<sup>st</sup> Smt. Nirmala Devi Bam Memorial National Moot Court Competition organized by Indore Institute of Law, Indore.

Dear Madam/Sir,  
Greetings of the Day!

In the 16<sup>th</sup> year of its inception, Indore Institute of Law is pleased to announce the 1<sup>st</sup> Smt. Nirmala Devi Bam Memorial National Moot Court Competition, 2019 from 10<sup>th</sup> May – 12<sup>th</sup> May, 2019. The Moot Court Society on behalf of Indore Institute of Law would accept the honor and privilege to invite and host the budding lawyers to grace the event.

On behalf of the University, we would like to invite your esteemed institution to participate in this enriching experience. Indore Institute of Law after the resplendent success of incessant 'Seven' Chapters of Lex Bonanza has now initiated a new flagship Competition in Moot Court.

As a leading institution of this country, we endeavour to provide the budding lawyers, the best possible exposure in terms of practical experience, and we believe that by organising such academics events, we strive to achieve that aim.

It gives us immense pleasure to extend our heartfelt invite to your esteemed institution to participate and make this event a grand success. This event incites to provide a platform to the students and faculty of law to sharpen their minds and showcase their legal knowledge.

We expect your response and look forward for an opportunity to welcome your team at Indore Institute of Law, Indore.

Warm regards,  
The Moot Court Society  
Indore Institute of Law, Indore.



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# MOOT PROPOSITION

1. **Mr. Rocky** is a resident of **HIMALA** which is situated in **VINDYACHAL PRADESH** and **Mr. Rocky** has completed his under graduation from University of **TUCKLAND** in engineering in 2011 and has been working in **MIPRO** Software Company situated in **KYDERABAD** as a senior software engineer.
2. **Ms. Ruby** has been working as a junior engineer in **KIKO** Software Company situated in **RAMBALA** in **TEPSU STATE**. **Ms. Ruby** has completed her graduation from **ZATHANKOT** situated in **TEPSU**.
3. **Mr. Rocky** and **Ms. Ruby** met in the marriage of the common friend named **Mr. Roe** which was situated in **TIMPAL** in **STATE** of **SIMPAYA**.
4. **Mr. Rocky** and **Ms. Ruby** had a good talk in the marriage ceremony, due to which they developed friendship, and they started regular talks on phone, and by this they decided to get married.
5. **Mr. Rocky** and **Ms. Ruby** got married in 2016 and settled in **SIGNORE** in **SARNATAKA** state as they were working there in an IT Company. After 2 years of marriage **Mrs. Ruby** became pregnant but underwent severe miscarriage.
6. After 3 years of miscarriage, **Mrs. Ruby** became aware that she could not give birth to a healthy child. **Mr. Shresth** used to be very helpful to **Mrs. Ruby** when she was struggling with her hard times.
7. **Mr. Gopi** was a divorcee and was very close to **Mr. Rocky**, who was a neighbor to **Mr. Rocky**. They had a good talk and good relation with each other and at times, **Mr. Gopi** used to spend night to share the family problems with **Mr. Rocky**.
8. After a long time **Mr. Rocky** and **Mrs. Ruby** celebrated their marriage anniversary and organized a party for their well known friends and colleagues and in that party **Mr. Gopi**, **Mr. Shresth** and **Mrs. Ruhi Shresth** were also invited. On that day **Mrs. Ruby** saw that **Mr. Gopi** and **Mr. Rocky** were in the bedroom of **Mr. Gopi** and they were in compromising positions, when **Mrs. Ruby** entered into the room. On that day only she also came to know that her husband was not able to reproduce. **Mrs. Ruby** had seen the medical report of the **Mr. Rocky** also, which confirmed that her husband could not reproduce. In spite of all this **Mrs. Ruby** was interested in adoption, but her husband was not.
9. By being so much upset and disturbed with these incidents, **Mrs. Ruby** went to her maternal house, and **Mrs. Ruby** told her parents that her husband never told her about his health problem either prior to their marriage or after the marriage and he kept the information secretly. **Mrs. Ruby** remained at her maternal house and her husband went for employment training programme to **TOCHIN** for two months.
10. **Mrs. Ruby** wrote about her status on her face book talking about the gay relation and homosexuality of **Mr. Rocky**, by which it was presumed by everyone that **Mr. Rocky** might be a gay. After some time **Mr. Rocky** got the information that his wife, has a healthy child, due to extra marital relationship with, **Mr. Shresth**, but **Mr. Rocky** did not object to the same.
11. **Mr. Rocky**, **Ms. Ruby**, **Mr. Shresth**, **Mrs. Ruhi Shresth** and **Mr. Gopi** were of **SONDHEIM** religion and they were the members of **TRISCO** Trust which was situated in **KOBEE STATE**.





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12. **TRISCO** trust had been established in 1901, and managed by a Government appointed trustee. Taking into consideration its growing popularity the Government of **KADIA** in 1980, constituted the **TRISCO CORPORATION SOCIETY** Trust and appointed the committee to look after its day-to-day running.

13. **Mr. Shresth** confessed to his wife that he had illicit relationship with **Mrs. Ruby** and after listening this statement from **Mr. Shresth**, **Mrs. Ruhi Shresth** filed a petition in the Family Court of **SINGORE** district for 'divorce' from her husband under The **SONDHEIM MARRIAGE ACT**, 1955.

14. The Additional District Judge, of **SINGORE, SARNATAKA** allowed the petition filed by **Mrs. Ruhi Shresth** under Section 13 (1) (i) of the **SONDHEIM MARRIAGE ACT** by following the judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court in the case of **NAVTEJ SINGH JOHAR & ORS V. UNION OF INDIA THR. SECRETARY MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE AND JOSEPH SHINE V. UNION OF INDIA**.

15. **KADIA** is a country where societal system is influenced more by customs and traditions which are religion based. In spite of this **KADIA** proclaims to protect the right of homosexuals by incorporating gender equality in Adultery. However, in **KADIA**, Adultery and homosexual rights are not recognized by restrictive law. The constitution of **KADIA** guarantees its citizens their privacy right as their fundamental right.

16. **TRISCO** has made a clause for exclusion and termination of those people who are in practice of adultery and homosexuality. The object of the **TRISCO** trust is to practice **SONDHEIM** religion on the basis of custom and tradition, and build the temple for public worship under the supervision of **TRISCO** trust which is open to all sections and classes of people of **SONDHEIM** religion, who are subject to special rules for religious denominations.

17. **TRISCO** is a popular trust in **KOBEE STATE** which does not approve legally the practices of adultery and homosexuality in **SONDHEIM** Culture. **TRISCO** trust is a registered trust under **KADIA** Trusts Act as public trust and it confers numerous reimbursements upon the trustee for financial assistance. With this recognition **TRISCO** act in accordance with strategy of non discrimination, on grounds of religion, race, caste, sex/sexual orientation, place of birth, age, disability, descent and residence. The **TRISCO** has an option for extending membership to persons irrespective of their status or belief.

18. **TRISCO** is a renowned Trust of **KOBEE** funded by the governmental organization and it has great followers throughout the country. **TRISCO** is primarily a supporter of **SONDHEISM** promoting practice of radical **Sondheism** and targets the Indian for its support. **TRISCO** enjoys a sect of Hindu member who have created Faith on **TRISCO CORPORATION SOCIETY (TCS)** in several educational institutions. **TRISCO** members are of the opinion that homosexuality and adultery are incurable practice of the **Sondheism** culture. It also believes that homosexuals and persons who go for adultery have no right to practice radical Hinduism. **TRISCO** members are also against the view of Supreme Court's judgment in **NAVTEJ SINGH JOHAR & ORS V. UNION OF KADIA THR. SECRETARY, MINISTRY OF LAW AND JUSTICE AND JOSEPH SHINE V. UNION OF KADIA** which, according to them are against **Sondheism** and **Sondheim** culture.

19. In Jan 2019, **TRISCO CORPORATION SOCIETY** clearly stated that homosexuals and persons who go for adultery are non-Hindus and are not eligible to seek membership. The people who are practicing and are indulged in such type of practice are not the part of **SONDHEIM** Culture because it hurts the integrity and feelings of the **SONDHEIM** culture and they are not allowed to follow the **SONDHEIM** culture and go to the **SONDHEIM** temple in whole of **KADIA**.

20. **TRISCO** has cancelled the membership of **Mr. Rocky**, **Ms. Ruby**, **Mr. Shresth** and **Mr. Gopi** and rejected the membership of **TRISCO** trust and put the life time ban on them to become member of **SONDHEIM** religion trust and they are accordingly not allowed to enter in the religious place made by the trust because they were in practice of the homosexuality and adultery which is against the **TRISCO** members who are strong believers of the **SONDHEIM** Culture.



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21. By the refusal of membership by **TRISCO** and life time ban on **Mr. Rocky, Mr. Shresth** and **Mr. Gopi**, they have decided to consult **TAPI NGO**. The legal advisor of **TAPI NGO** has suggested to file a writ petition in the Supreme Court of **KADIA** contending that the refusal of membership and lifetime ban by **TRISCO** violates the fundamental right to equality, right to life and personal liberty, and right to freedom of religion. **TRISCO'S** refusal grounds have also been challenged that practicing homosexuality and adultery are against the religious beliefs of the **SONDHEIM** religion.

22. The **TRISCO** consulted the advocate **GAKI** of the **KOBEE STATE**. The advocate **GAKI** was of the opinion that **TRISCO** has placed the conditions on the conferral of Hindu religious status in terms of the Prohibition of Discrimination according to the trust. The termination of membership which was imposed by the trust was reasonable and was not meant to harm any person or group. The mere fact that such ban is not operated to disadvantage the **SONDHEIM** religious practice; it does not make it unconstitutional, as the **TRISCO** does not guarantee any constitutional and Fundamental right to selective preferences of behavior like homosexuality and adultery.

23. **Mr. Rocky, Mr. Shresth** and **Mr. Gopi** have decided to move to the Supreme Court of **KADIA** for their violation of their fundamental rights.

## Note :-

Country **KADIA** is in Pari-materia to India.

All references, actual, deeming or fictional; are fictional.

Participants are advised to devise a "litigation strategy". The issues can be argued in alternative/without prejudice, which can be divided into sub-issues, and can be added to or amended upon. It is permissible to concede issue(s) at the time of oral arguments, subject, however, to appropriate explanation readily available on the query of the bench. However, the written submissions must address all the issues.

Any citations, without actual para/page references, will invite negative marking. Unnecessary citations and passim references are to be avoided. In case of oral arguments, a primary reference for all case-laws being referred is mandatory.

The moot problem is the way it is, with full application of the principle of "as is, there is... whatever where is". No queries or requests for clarifications will be entertained.

The moot problem is drafted by MOOT COURT COMMITTEE OF INDORE INSTITUTE OF LAW. All participating teams are restrained from communicating with any member of Moot court committee and faculty of Indore Institute of Law in relation to the moot problem and violation of which will lead to immediate disqualification.



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### RULES OF THE COMPETITION

#### RULES & REGULATIONS

**These rules shall be the official rules for Moot Court Competition to be held 10th, 11th and 12th May 2019 at Indore Institute of Law. All the participating teams must strictly adhere to these rules in every circumstance.**

#### 1. Competition committee and forum

- Moot Court Society will be the Competition committee for the purpose of this competition.
- In case of any dispute or difficulty arising out of or during the course of the competition, the Competition Committee shall have the sole and absolute authority to remove such difficulty and resolve the dispute.
- The Competition committee's decision as regards the interpretation of these rules or any other matters related to the Moot Court competition shall be final and binding. If there is any situation, which is not covered by these rules, the decision of the Competition committee shall be final.
- The Competition committee reserves the right to amend, modify or repeal any of the rules if so required and as they deem appropriate. Participating teams shall receive adequate notice of any/all such amendments or modifications to the rules.
- The Competition committee shall not be held responsible for any loss or non-delivery of the Memorials.

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#### REGISTRATION CLAUSE

1. **The Registration for the aforementioned competition it starts from 5<sup>th</sup> March to 15<sup>th</sup> April 2019**
2. **The Registration Fees remains as:**
  - INR 3000 (with Accommodation Per Team)
  - INR 1000 (without Accommodation Per Team)



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## INTERPRETATION CLAUSE

The following terms shall have the corresponding meanings unless otherwise specified:

- Bench Memorandum' means the memorandum of laws and authorities concerning the problem.
- Compendium' means the compiled research material.
- Competition Rules' means the official rules and regulations of the competition as amended from time to time.
- Competition' means the I. Smt. Nirmla Devi Bam Memorial National Moot Competition, 2019.
- I.S.T.' means Indian Standard Time.
- Memorial' means the Written Submissions of a team, submitted pursuant to these rules.
- Moot Court Society' (hereinafter MCS) for the purpose of this moot court competition means the committee as for the administration and conduct of the competition, including any other authorised person and of all events leading to the competition.
- Oral Pleading' means the pleading before a panel as explained under "Evaluation Criteria for Written Submission".
- Panel' means the adjudicators of an Oral Pleading Session collectively.
- Participant' means any member of the participating team.
- Penalty' means the consequence of a rule violation, whether disqualification or the deduction of points.
- Petitioner' means the side of the team which argues on behalf of the applicant at any given point in the competition.
- Rebuttals' refer to the set of arguments /challenges that the applicant shall raise at the end of the main pleadings of all the orators. This shall be replied to in the appropriate manner by the respondent.
- Researcher' means the member of the team who is not speaker.
- Respondent' means the side of the team which argues on behalf of the Respondent at any given point in the competition.
- Speaker' means the designated speaker of the team.
- Team Code' means the code allocated to a team through a draw of lots.

## GENERAL RULES & GUIDELINES

1. Students enrolled in an undergraduate & postgraduate law course or its equivalent by any recognized college/ university/ institution are eligible to participate in the Competition.
2. Any college/university/institution, whose students full the eligibility criteria or for exceptional circumstances have been deemed by the organizers to be eligible for this Competition, shall be entitled to send only one team to the Competition, subject to the completion of registration formalities as detailed in the 'Invite' to the Competition.
3. Each team may comprise a minimum of two (2) and not more than three (3) members. The team composition shall be of two (2) speakers only (in case of 'two speakers' team, anyone of the speakers would be designated as 'researcher' for appearing in the Researchers Test). If the team composition is of three (3) member than it shall comprise of two (2) speakers and one Researchers (Who shall the designated as a researcher for appearing the Researchers test)
4. Each team shall prepare one memorandum for each side, that is, the Petitioner(s)/ Appellant(s) and the Respondent(s). The soft copy of the memoranda must be emailed to [iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com](mailto:iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com), on or before 20th April, 2019 (at or before 23:59 hours IST).



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## ACCOMMODATION AND NOURISHMENT DETAILS

The teams that avails the accommodation, will be provided the necessary from 10<sup>th</sup> may to 13<sup>th</sup> may 2019 (till 10:00 am).

### Following Meals Shall Be Provided For The Teams Availing Accommodation-

- On 10th May, 2019 - Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- On 11th May, 2019 - Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- On 12th May, 2019 - Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- On 13th May, 2019 - Breakfast

### Following Meals Shall Be Provided For The Teams Not Availing Accommodation-

- On 10th May, 2019 - Lunch
- On 11th May, 2019 - Lunch
- On 12th May, 2019 - Lunch

## COMPETITION FORMATS

1. There will be two (2) Preliminary Rounds to ensure that each team is given the opportunity to argue from both sides of the Proposition. The fixtures for the Preliminary Rounds shall be determined by draw of lots.
2. The winning team shall proceed to quarter rounds. In which their shall be to Quarter Rounds power match-up.
3. The teams that proceed to the Quarter Rounds, with the highest round points in each court room, each team shall argue only once for the side allotted by draw of lots. The fixtures for the Quarter Rounds shall be power match-ups.
4. The winning team shall proceed to quarter rounds 2. In which their shall be Quarter Rounds match-ups.
5. The teams that proceed to the Quarter Rounds 2, with the highest round points in each court room, shall argue only once for the side allotted by draw of lots. The fixtures for the Quarter Rounds shall be power match-ups.
6. Four (4) teams shall qualify for the Semi Final Rounds on a knock out basis, i.e., the winner of Quarter Round 2 shall qualify to the Semi Final Rounds. The team with more points shall proceed to the final round. In case of a tie, the team with higher aggregate speaker scores will be declared the winner for that round. If the aggregate speaker scores of the teams are the same, then the team with higher gross memorandum score i.e., the score of the memorandum without deducting penalties shall be ranked higher.
7. The four (4) teams that proceed to the Semi Final Rounds, as determined by the Rules above, shall each argue only once for the side allotted by a draw of lots.
8. Two (2) teams shall qualify for the Final Round on a knock out basis, i.e., the winner of each Semi Final Rounds shall qualify to the Final Round. The bench-strength for this round shall be an odd number but not one (1).
9. The two (2) teams that proceed to the Final Round, as determined by the rules above, shall each argue only once for the side allotted by a draw of lots.
10. The team which wins the Final Round shall be declared as the 'Winning Team'. The other team shall be declared as the 'Runners-Up Team'.



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## MEMORANDUM SPECIFICATIONS

11. Each memorandum shall necessarily consist of the following and only the following sections:
  - Cover Page
  - Index of Authorities
  - Issues for Consideration
  - Prayer
  - Table of Contents
  - Statement of Jurisdiction
  - Summary of Arguments
  - List of Abbreviations
  - Statement of Facts
  - Written Submissions
12. Each memorandum shall have the following and only the following on its cover page:
  - The team code on the top right-hand corner of the cover page.
  - The name and place of the forum.
  - The relevant legal provision under which filed.
  - Name of parties and their status.
  - Memorandum Filed on Behalf of Appellant/Claimant/Respondent.
13. A team code shall be assigned to each of the participating teams at the culmination of Registration formalities. Names of the participants or of the institution being represented must not be mentioned anywhere in the memorandum. Any other mark, character or text that reveals the identity of the team members or of the institution being represented would also be considered a violation of this Rule. Violation of this Rule shall attract severe penalty at the sole discretion of the Competition Committee.
14. The hard copies of the memoranda must bear a cover page in conformity with the following scheme -  
Petitioner(s)/Appellant(s): Blue; Respondent(s): Red
15. The electronic copy of each memorandum must reach the following e-mail address: [iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com](mailto:iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com) 20th April, 2019 (at or before 23:59 hours IST) with the subject of the e-mail being 'Memoranda for <Team Code> - XYZ'.
16. The memoranda must only be in PDF format. The file names of the soft copy of the memoranda must contain only the team code and the side being represented in the following format: 01-A or 01-R, where 'A' and 'R' represent the teams set out in the Proposition.
17. Eight (8) hard copies of the memorandum for each side of the Proposition must be submitted to the organizers by 25th April, 2019 that the following **Address: INDORE INSTITUTE OF LAW "GENDALAL BAM PARISAR" Opp. to IIM, INDORE, RAU PITHAMUR ROAD, Village Dehari- Rangwasa Indore (M.P.) 453556, India.**

## FORMATTING SPECIFICATIONS

18. The Memorials should be typed on documents compatible with Microsoft Word 2003 (or higher) only.
19. The page size should be A4; Font shall be 'Times New Roman' throughout the document with font size 12 (including headings), 1.5 lines spacing & 1 Inch margin on each side.
20. Footnotes shall be in 'Times New Roman' with Font Size 10 and 1.0 spacing.
21. The Participants may use uniform page borders.
22. The Memorials shall use The Bluebook: A Uniform System of Citation (20th Edition), for formatting of all cited authorities.
23. The Memorial should be spiral bound only. Any other form of binding will attract negative marking. No amendment of the Memorials will be permitted after submission.



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24. Word limits for various parts of the memorandum are as follows:

- Statement of Facts: 1000 words
- Summary of Arguments: 1000 words
- Written Submissions and Prayer: 10000 words (inclusive of footnotes)

Note: the organizers of the Competition reserve the right to not evaluate arguments that go beyond the prescribed word limit.

25. Any substantial similarity, in part or in whole, between a memorandum of a team and any other literary work shall amount to plagiarism and that team shall be disqualified.

26. In case the soft copy of the memoranda is submitted more than once, the soft copy sent last shall be considered for all purposes of the Competition.

27. No amendments can be made to the memoranda after submission. Any distinction or difference between the soft and hard copies of the memoranda would attract a penalty, as determined by the Competition Committee. The organizers reserve the right to determine which of such differing memoranda would be considered for evaluation

## MEMORANDUM EVALUATION CRITERIA

Memoranda shall be evaluated on the following criteria:

Criterion	Marks
Application and Appreciation of Facts	20 Marks
Identification of Issues	10 Marks
Structuring and Presentation of Issues	10 Marks
Application of Legal Principles, Authorities and Precedents	20 Marks
Marks Ingenuity and Logical Reasoning	20 Marks
Lucidity and Writing Skills	10 Marks
Proper Footnoting and Formatting	10 Marks

## PENALTY CRITERIA

Following penalties shall be deducted after each such memorandum has been evaluated.

Description	Penalty
Failure to include all sections of the Memorandum or the inclusion of an un-enumerated section.	Two (2) marks for each such section.
Failure to include necessary information on the cover page of the Memorandum, or the use of a color on the cover page contrary to the scheme provided.	Two (2) marks for each such information and each violation of the color-code for the cover page
Delay in submission of memoranda	Three (3) marks on the first day of delay, with five (5) marks per day for every day thereafter, subject to a maximum cumulative penalty of eighteen (18) marks.
Use of incorrect font, font size or line spacing.	One (1) mark per violation, subject to a maximum cumulative penalty of ten (10) marks.
Substantive legal arguments (explanatory footnotes) outside of the approved sections of the Memorandum.	One (1) mark, subject to a maximum cumulative penalty of six (6) marks. Further, such arguments will not be evaluated.
Incorrect Margins	One (1) mark, being a one-time penalty only.



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Excessive length of any section of the Memorandum.	Five (5) marks for every 1000 words exceeded
Improperly prepared Index of Authorities.	Two (2) marks, being a one-time penalty only

**\* If the hard copy has not been submitted till the last date i.e. till 25th April 2019, then there shall be deduction of 5 marks of the memorandum of the team.**

## ORAL SUBMISSIONS

28. The language of the Court shall be English only.
29. The time limit for the oral submissions shall be thirty (30) minutes for each team. This shall include the submissions of both the speakers from the team and the time reserved for rebuttal/sur-rebuttal. The team cannot allocate less than twelve (12) minutes to either speaker.
30. Only one speaker from each team shall be permitted to rebut/sur-rebut, as the case may be, subject to a time limit of two (2) minutes. The sur-rebuttal shall be limited to the rebuttals made by the team. If the Appellant/Petitioner waives rebuttal, Respondent's sur-rebuttal is automatically waived as well.
31. The time split between the speakers must be communicated to the bailiff prior to the commencement of each round.
32. There shall be no communication, oral, written or in any other manner whatsoever, between team members seated on the table and the speaker making oral submissions.
33. Teams shall not be permitted to use any electronic devices while their rounds are in session.
34. The teams shall not disclose, in any manner whatsoever, for the entire duration of the rounds, either their own individual identities or the identity of the institution that they represent.
35. Teams can pass on compendium of the sources they cite in their memoranda if so requested by the judges.
36. In every round of the Competition, teams arguing for Petitioner/Claimant/ Complainant/Applicant will argue their case first.

## EVALUATION OF ORAL SUBMISSIONS

**The evaluation would be done on the following criteria:**

Criterion	Marks
Structure, Articulation & Clarity	20 Marks
Application of Legal Principles and Use of Authorities	20 Marks
Knowledge and Marshalling of Facts	20 Marks
Persuasiveness, Ingenuity & Response to Questions	20 Marks
Court Etiquette, Presentation Style and Time Management	20 Marks





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## SCOUTING

37. No member of any team will be permitted to hear the arguments in any court room in which that team is not one of the contesting teams whilst that team is still in the Competition. The organizers may take appropriate action, including disqualification from the Competition, against any team found to be scouting through a team member or through any other means.

## EXCHANGE OF MEMORANDUMS

38. There shall be an exchange of memoranda between the respective opposing teams, in accordance with the fixtures as determined by a draw of lots, prior to all the rounds of the Competition.
39. The teams are prohibited from making any marks on the exchanged memoranda.
40. The teams are prohibited from making any copies of the exchanged memoranda.
41. At the conclusion of their respective rounds, the teams are required to return the exchanged memoranda to the bailiffs of the Court where the round is so conducted.

## AWARDS

- Winner: INR 31000    •First Runners Up: INR 21000    •Second Runners Up: INR 11000    •Best Advocate: Gold Medal  
•Best Memorial: INR 11000    •Best Researcher: INR 11000    •Best Speaker: INR 11000

Participation Certificates to all Participants

## POWERS OF THE ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

### 42. The Organizing Committee has the power and sole discretion to:

- Enforce all the Competition rules;
- Provide a definite & final interpretation of the Competition rules;
- Resolve any dispute that may arise during the Competition;
- Change or supplement the Competition Rules, if necessary. Changes or supplements will be duly communicated to all participating teams; and
- Take appropriate action for any unethical, unprofessional and immoral conduct by any participant/participating teams.
- The decision of the ILL Moot Court Society shall be final in all matters concerning the Competition.



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## REGISTRATION PROCESS (STEP PLAN)

The following steps have to be strictly followed by the respective teams interested to Participate in the competition -

- Registration form link will be shared to the institution's designated MCS.
- Payment of registration fee (as per team composition).
- Download the authorization form (to be scanned and attached to the online registration form).
- Fill in the details of the online registration form & travel form, attach the scanned copy of authorization form (sealed and signed) and attach the proof of payment of registration fee.
- Submit the details of the scanned form to the prescribed mail id [iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com](mailto:iilmootcourtsociety@gmail.com) and hard copy latest by 20th April 2019.

### Important Dates:

(a) Registration starts: 5th March, 2019

(b) Registration closes: 15th April, 2019

(c) Memorial Submission (Soft Copy): 20th April, 2019

(d) Memorial Submission (Hard Copy): 25th April, 2019

(e) Event Days:

- Inaugural Day , Draw of lots , Researchers Test & Moot Court Competition- 10th May, 2019
- Moot Competition & DJ-11th May 2019
- Moot Competition & Valedictory Day - 12th May, 2019

## PAYMENT DETAILS

Teams are required to wire - transfer the registration fee/amount to the details mentioned below:

- Name : Indore Institute of Law
- Account Number : 53001040267
- IFSC Code : SBIN0030450
- Bank : State Bank of India
- Branch : Sch. No. 54, AB Road Indore

- The proof of payment of the amount needs to be attached to the online registration form prior payment of registration fee (INR 1000 without accommodation) and (INR 3000 with accommodation) is mandatory for completing online registration form, else the registration form will not be submitted.
- IMPORTANT NOTE: For the purposes of participation in the competition, confirmation of your institution's provisional registration is mandatory. Payment of registration fee by the students/ participants of the institution, provisional registration of which is not confirmed by the Competition Committee, shall not be accepted.

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**LAST DATE OF REGISTRATION: 15<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2019**



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# About INDORE

Indore is 200 km west of capital Bhopal and has a population of around 30 lakhs. Therefore, it is 14th most populous city in India. The greater metropolitan area of Indore makes it a city of 2.5 million inhabitants. It is industrial, cosmopolitan, prosperous and resembles Mumbai as far as the lifestyle is concerned. Therefore Indore is also called as Mini-Mumbai. It is also a melting pot of different ethnic groups such as Marathi, Gujarati, Marwari, Muslims and Sindhi etc. Indore proves to be promising educational hub and home to both IIT and IIM, the most reputed technological and management institutes of India. Indore owes its early growth to trade and commerce, which is still a dominant feature of this city.

The diverse culture of Indore is quite visible even in the food habits of people. Due to the good flavor, taste as well as variety of food in Indore, it is praised by food lovers all across the country. Indore is known for its popular variety of Namkeens. The city takes a treasure trove of culinary information and today its menu consist different kinds of taste buds. Spicy Chat Food like pani puri, vadas, samosas and the very delectable chola baturas are first choice of the people. Indore is well known for other dishes like Dal-Bafra, Nihari Gosht and Bafra-Gosht in Malwa Region. The city is well known for its drinks and thirst quenchers like the Shikanji-a fascinating which is a combination of milk and dry fruits. They are an integral part of the cuisine of Indore. The good old lassi consisting of yoghurt flavor is famous here. Restaurants and eateries are also served appetizers like Jal- Jira and santrola. The people of Indore are mostly vegetarians and consequently, there is no dearth of vegetarian eateries in the Madhya Pradesh city. It is essential that tourists savor the wide array of street food that is sold in the food galleries of Indore till wee hours of the night. Besides restaurants, Sarafa and Chappan Dukan of indore also offer delight food for the fan of good vegetarian food. To know more about the restaurants and street food of Indore. Also been awarded as the cleanest city of India under Swachh Bharat Survey .With around development in Indore, the Indore city is seen to be a great choice of investment from various MNC, real estate developers, organizations and entrepreneurs . Indore city quenches this investment interest due to its rapidly development in IT sectors, hospitality, commerce houses and other alight services. Giant Indian companies like Infosys and TCS have started the construction of their respective offices in Indore near Super Corridor. Both the companies are approximately 5 km from Indore airport. It is believed to create about 1 lacks jobs in coming 5-6 years.

## LOCATION MAP



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