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## Annual Quality Assurance Report 2022-23

### *Criteria-3*

#### *Research, Innovations and Extension*

##### **3.1.3- Resource Mobilization for Research**

3.1.3 - Number of departments having Research projects funded by government and non government agencies during the year

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## *Project No-1*

### ➤ Innovation & Strategies for Research Methodology

By

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Research Associate
- **Mrs. ShitalSikarwar**  
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## Into Legal World Publication

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Into Legal World, Skylark Building, Nawal Kishore Road, Hazratganj, Lucknow, 226001

Invitation for Research Project in the field of Innovation and Strategies in Research Methodology

ADVT NO. 23

Date: 12 March, 2022

Into Legal World Publication, A Unit of Parivritt Enterprises Pvt Ltd invites applicants to apply for “Research Project” under category of “Innovation and Strategies in Research Methodology”.

Eligibility Criteria and other details about the Project (ADVT 23) can be downloaded from official website <https://www.intolegalworld.com/>. Agencies/Institute/Individuals with PhD are requested to submit their application along with requisite documents in a sealed envelope addressed to the Director, Research Department, Into Legal World Publication, Hazratganj, Lucknow, UP, 226001.

Last date of the submission of application is 15 March, 2022, till 5 PM at abovementioned address. The application must clearly mention audit report for the research project. Applicants with minimum budget with quality and verified content will be allotted the project. Short listed agencies will make the presentation before the Expert Committee. The date of presentation will be informed to the shortlisted agencies via call.

Into Legal World Publication reserves the right to alter the date of opening of the bids and also to reject ADVT NO. 23 without assigning any reason whatsoever. For any queries please write to us at [info@intolegalworld.com](mailto:info@intolegalworld.com).

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## *Proposal*

INNOVATION AND STRATEGIES IN RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

**TITLE: INNOVATION AND STRATEGIES IN RESEARCH METHODOLOGY.**

### **INTRODUCTION:**

The modern global economy can be described as a knowledge economy which is marked by technological innovations, the globally competitive need for innovation and the development of new products and processes to improve human life and solve problems (Baron & Shane, 2008). The transition from the post-industrial economy required that the rules and practices that determined success in the industrial economy were rewritten to meet the demands of a globalized and interconnected economy. In the current economic landscape, human capital is more likely to be valued for intellect, social skills, and reputation (DeNisi, Hitt & Jackson, 2003). The knowledge economy has impacted on research methodologies as well. Social science researchers need to critically consider the type of knowledge they are producing and the type of methods they are using to produce this knowledge. This ultimately determines their ability to remain relevant and compete for competitive funding (grant applications), book publishing. There is therefore a need that researchers critically look at the use of innovative research methodologies to generate social knowledge and to question the types of knowledge that results from any of their research activities. Qualitative research seems to be more suitable for innovative research methodologies because it aims to understand respondents' lived experience; examine the way respondents construct meaning in their lives by studying people in their natural context; describe diverse respondents' experiences and specifically amplify respondents' voices.

### **STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM**

The qualitative researchers provide a great deal of descriptive detail based on their findings. They focus on asking 'why' questions and then provide explanations to answer these questions, which can provide richer data to enhance the knowledge generation process. Gubrium and Holstein (1997) cited in Bryman and Bell (2011) suggest four traditions of qualitative research, which have an important link to the type of knowledge qualitative research can produce.

Naturalism: Seeks to understand social reality ('as it really is') and provides rich descriptions of people and interactions in natural settings. This is the most commonly used tradition.

- Ethnomethodology/Participant Observation: Seeks to understand how social order is created through talk and interaction and a conversation analysis needs to be conducted.

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- Emotionalism: Seeks to understand the inner reality ('inside' experience) of people. This tradition has not been used in a significant stream of research but yet, it can be included in innovative research methodologies.
- Postmodernism: Seeks to understand the different ways social reality can be constructed. The impact of culture for example can be included in innovative research methodologies. Qualitative researchers are influenced by interpretivism when they consider what should count as acceptable knowledge. For these researchers the differences between people and objects need to be respected, as well as the subjective meaning of social action (Bryman & Bell, 2011). This position is the result of the merging of Weber's notion of Verstehen, symbolic interactionism and phenomenology. Furthermore, qualitative researchers consider the viewpoints of the people.

### **LITERATURE REVIEW:**

Knowledge, Creativity, Innovation, and Qualitative Research This section explores the link between knowledge, creativity, innovation and qualitative research. The role of knowledge management in research will be highlighted, creativity will be explained and reasons to innovate will be given. The difference between innovation, adoption and adaptation will also be highlighted with specific reference to qualitative research. Knowledge Management in Social Sciences Research Knowledge refers to the theoretical or practical understanding of a subject, which can include factual information and descriptions, and/or skills acquired through education or experience. Knowledge can be implicit (practical skill or expertise).

Or explicit (theoretical understanding of a subject) (Sun, Mathews & Lane, n.d). Knowledge is the ultimate economic renewable as it is not depleted by use. The value of knowledge to an economy comes when this knowledge is shared and creates new sources of competitive advantage which can apply to all sectors. These sources are the effective use of knowledge, skills and innovative potential (Brinkley, 2006) which can be used in the service of mankind. Zhao (2003) compared the research process, specifically research supervision, to a knowledge management process as illustrated in Figure 1 below, which is important to explore briefly in this chapter.

Basically knowledge management consists of the preserving, embedding and enhancing of knowledge. Three stages can be identified in the knowledge management model for research supervision according to Zhao (2003), namely researchers develop new knowledge, theory and methodology (knowledge creation) through integrating, synthesizing and valuing existing knowledge (knowledge transfer), and then develop new insight into their area of investigation (knowledge embedding). Her knowledge management model is particularly significant in understanding knowledge in the knowledge economy from a research perspective.

### **RESEARCH QUESTIONS:**

In this study we specifically ask:

- 1) Can there be a methodology which will help in research properly?
- 2) What measures are taken by the researchers to develop new knowledge?



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### **PROPOSED RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:**

The view that innovative research methodologies can contribute to richer data, greater validity and reliability and new discoveries will be explored. Arguments for and against innovative qualitative methodologies will be discussed. This section will also highlight that innovative methodologies does not mean designing a completely new method, but rather using tested methods in novel ways in an effort to share methodological expertise and move beyond the boundaries of disciplines.

Creativity and innovative research methodologies are important to consider in the knowledge economy due to its impact on knowledge creation and the competitiveness amongst researchers to obtain research funding. Not much has been written about truly novel and innovative research methodologies as the focus has been on adopting or adapting tested research methods, triangulation and the impact of technological developments on the collection and analysis of qualitative data. Future research needs to be undertaking to determine if researchers can use their creativity to generate and apply innovative research methodologies and the type of knowledge being produced.

These findings should then be shared to educate and inspire other researchers to also explore their creativity and their ability to generate and apply innovative research methodologies.

### **IMPLICATIONS:**

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### **DATA AND VARIABLES:**

The study will be based entirely on secondary data. The focus will be on the research work and its methodological implementations. The study will be conducted at almost all states level focusing on major Indian states. The states to be included are Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, and West Bengal majorly.

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## Proposed Budget

Head of Expenditure	Value
Research Staff @45%	157500
Field Work @ 35%	122500
Equipment and study material @ 12%	42000
Contingency @ 5%	17500
Publications @ 6%	21000
<b>Total</b>	<b>360500</b>



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## R&D Sanctioned Letters

12th June 2021

Sub. Approval for the project titled "Research Methodology"

Dear,

This is to inform that the above mentioned project proposal has been approved at a cost of a total cost of 2,96,000/- for the duration of one year with an initial release of 1,30,000/- subject to the following conditions.

- Letter of consent to take up the project at the above cost.
- Submission of bond on non-judicial stamp paper.
- An undertaking from the Organisation/Institute/Principal Investigator that it has not obtained financial assistance from any other department of the Central/State Government for this project or a similar project and the Institute is not blacklisted.
- The institute will report on the expenditure incurred by it on the project.
- The permanent assets/equipment procured if any, in the project should be used by the intended beneficiaries even after completion of project tenure. Retention of equipment if any for further research may be requested and such retention is subject to approval of competent authority.

Kindly send us a resolution signed by all members of your Executive Committee authorising the signatory to execute the bond on their behalf for this project and inform on whose name the financial transaction would be made.

The release of the grant would be through electronic transfer of funds (RTGS). You are requested to provide the following details for facilitating e-payments.

- Account Holders/Organisation Name (or) Designation
- Name of the bank
- Bank Account Number
- IFSC Code
- MICR Code

It would be appreciated if you can send us a photocopy of a cancelled cheque, which has all the requisite details. The bank details in the photocopy of the cancelled should match with details given during CPSMS registration.

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## Letter of Completion

For Research Project on  
Innovation and Strategies in Research Methodology

To,  
Dr. Manpreet Kaur Rajpal,  
Project Head

Date: 30th August 2020

It is hereby confirmed that we have received all the requisite document, research project and thus confirm submission of the project. In pursuit to which we have released 1,66,000. Thus, the total amount of funding released for the project is 2,96,000 INR.

As per the contract, team shall release materials purchased under the project in the name of Parivritt Enterprises Pvt Ltd, a Unit of Parivritt Enterprises Pvt. Ltd.

Best Wishes!

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## STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURE

(TO BE TYPED AND SUBMITTED ON SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER)

Name of the University/College/Institute **Indore Institute of Law**

Audited statement of expenditure by **Indore Institute of Law**

**Dr. Manpreet Kaur Rajpal**

**Project Head**

**Dr. Kavita Dive**

Research Associate

**MrsShitalShikarwar**

Research Assistant

**Ms. Akriti Shukla**

Research Assistant

Name of the Topic **“Invitation for Research Project in the field of Innovation and Strategies in Research Methodology”**

Duration of fellowship: From March 2022 To August 2022

Items	Amount Sanctioned by the in to Legal world (For One Year)	Amount actually released by the in to legal world	Amount released by the University to the scholar	Balance	Remarks
Fellowship	296000	296000	296000	0	
Contingency	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total Amount</b>	<b>296000</b>	<b>296000</b>	<b>296000</b>	<b>0</b>	

1. Certified that the grant has been utilized for the purpose for which it was sanctioned and in accordance with the terms and conditions.
2. If as a result of checking or audit objection, some irregularity is noticed at a later stage, due action will be taken.

**Research Scholar**  
(Sign)

**Head/Supervisor**  
(Sign & Stamp)

**Registrar/Principal/Director/Dean**  
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## Detail of Expenditure

Particular	Amount
Publication & Books and Equipment	46000
Conveyance Bill	15000
Director Salary 25000*4	1,00,000
Co. Director Salary 25000*3	75000
Research Staff 10000*6	60000
<b>Total</b>	<b>2,96,000</b>



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## *Project No-2*

### ➤ Medico Legal Issue & Right to Abortion in India

By:-

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## VASHISHTHA ENTERPRISES

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### Advertisement for Research Project

Advt. 48

Date: 01 July, 2022

Applications are invited from Indian nationals organization/Institutions, giving full details of educational qualification and experience for the following positions as details given below in the minor research project titled “Medico - legal issues and right to abortion in India”. Maximum grant for the project would be 3,00,000/- and minimum would be 1,00,000/-. Duration of research project would be 2-4 months. Applicants with minimum bidding subjects to quality and verification will be approved.

**Vivek Vashishtha**

Director, Vashishtha Enterprises Pvt Ltd

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## TITLE: MEDICO LEGAL ISSUES AND RIGHT TO ABORTION IN INDIA.

### INTRODUCTION:

One of the greatest dangers to our contemporary human progress is the threat of skewed sex proportion. The expanding irregularity amongst males and females is prompting numerous violations, for example, illicit trafficking of ladies, rapes, polygamy and dehumanization of society. These crimes have been on an increase making this world dangerous for women. Female foeticide is a standout amongst the most violent crimes on this planet; maybe what is wretched is that the general population which carries out this heinous crime is amongst the affluent ones.

### STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM:

There are certain laws against Right to Abortion in India. The primary causes of female foeticide in India are patriarchal, safety issues and lack of education.

Where Patriarchy refers to a social system in which men hold primary power in all spheres of life, such as political leadership, moral authority, control of property, family affairs, etc. Most of the societies in India are patriarchal and most of the patriarchal societies are patrilineal, meaning that the male lineage inherits the property and title. Centuries of patriarchy in India has led to oppression of females and eventually to female foeticide since the early 1990s.

Whereas when it comes to Safety Issues, increase in the number of crimes against women with the invasion of India by various intruders, became a cause of concern for families having a girl child. Females have borne the brunt of the declining standards of humanity, respect and demeanour. Eve teasing has become a frequent activity throughout India. Many boys tease girls when they find them alone or even in public places. They pass bad comments regarding their dresses, characters, physical appearances, etc. Heinous crimes such as sexual harassment and rape of women, have become common in India. However, protection of female is a major concern in our society due to the pertaining problem.

And lastly there is a lack of Education where Even till date more than 25% of the Indian population continues to be illiterate. Lack of education among Indians has proven to be detrimental for the development on the social and psychological front.

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Secondary causes of female foeticide in India are misuse of ultrasound technology, and corruption in the medical field.

### **LITERATURE REVIEW:**

Globally, induced abortion—safe or unsafe, legal or illegal—is a reproductive health service that is part of the lives of women, couples and communities in both developed and developing countries. When faced with unintended pregnancies, especially in contexts in which women lack access to effective family planning, induced abortion is an important part of women’s reproductive health care.

Ensuring the safety and availability of abortion services is critical to women’s health, and creating a supportive legal environment is one step in that process. In India, the second most populous country in the world, abortion has been legal on a broad range of grounds since 1971.

We focus on key issue areas on which a sufficient amount of literature exists: abortion laws, policies and guidelines; abortion services, including the availability and quality of services among different facility and provider types; task-shifting related to provision of abortion services; and the availability, effectiveness and safety of, and women’s preferences for, different abortion procedures (medical versus surgical).

### **RESEARCH QUESTIONS:**

In this study we specifically ask:

- 1) Can the Laws make the Changes in the Society for the Right to Abortion?
- 2) What measures have been taken by the Government to Implement the Laws to Safeguard women

### **PROPOSED RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:**

Due to all these causes and implications of female foeticide, many laws have been passed from time-to-time to control this menace.

India passed its first abortion-related law in 1971, the so-called Medical Termination of Pregnancy Act, which made abortion legit in almost all states of the country, but it was particularly made for the cases of medical risk to the mother and child conceived by rape. The law had also established physicians who could legally perform the abortion in the said scenarios. But the government had not considered the possibility of female foeticide based on technological advances. Due to this reason, this law proved to be highly ineffective.

During the 1980's, sex screening technologies in India was easily accessible to the common people. Due to this reason, a large number of reports started pouring in about the abuse of the sex screening technologies. Considering this problem, the Government passed the Pre-natal Diagnostic Techniques Act (PNDT) in 1994. This law was again amended due to various reasons, and it finally became Pre-Conception and Pre-natal Diagnostic Techniques (Regulation and Prevention of Misuse) (PCPNDT) Act in 2004. Its main goal was prevention and punishment of prenatal sex screening and female foeticide.

### **IMPLICATIONS:**

Many important changes were made in the PCPNDT Act, 2004. It brought ultrasound and amniocentesis under its ambit. It also led to the empowerment of the Central Supervisory Board and the formation of State Level Supervisory Board. The rules, regulations, and punishments are made more stringent.

Despite all these changes, it has been said that the implementation of this act has turned into a farce. It has been nearly two decades since the law came into force and despite this, not many changes have taken place in the society. Despite rulings given by the Supreme Court and various High Courts to make the existing law an impediment, the courts have shown their hesitancy in sending the offenders off to jail. The convicts in many cases have been let off only by a mere warning by the judge which has led to a mass negative reaction from the legal fraternity as well as social and academic activists. Lawyers and activists have unanimously demanded stringent punishment for the guilty while also fixing the accountability of the competent authorities handling the cases of sex detection.

### **DATA AND VARIABLES:**

The study will be based entirely on secondary data. The focus will be on safeguarding females and their right to abortion. The study will be conducted at almost all states level focusing on major Indian states. The states to be included are Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Bihar, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Punjab, Rajasthan, Tamil Nadu, Uttar Pradesh, and West Bengal majorly.

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## Proposed Budget

Head of Expenditure	Value
Research Staff @45%	101250
Field Work @ 35%	78750
Equipment and study material @ 12%	27000
Contingency @ 5%	11250
Publications @ 6%	13500
<b>Total</b>	<b>231750</b>

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### Sanction Letter

Date: 08 July 2022

Indore Institute of Law,

Opp.IIM Rau,

Pithampur Road,

Indore, (M.P.) 453331

Sub:- Approval for the project proposed title 'Legal Issues and right to abortion in India'

Dear Sir/Madam,

We would like to inform you that the above mentioned project is approved with the total cost of 1,36000/- for the duration of one month.

It is hereby informed to the applicant that the applicant shall enclose research project with the expenditure so incurred on the project. The products in possession shall be in ownership of the Investigator of the Project. The cost of the total expenditure shall not exceed the cost granted by Vashishtha Enterprises.

All the submission shall be made at [vashishthaenterprises99@gmail.com](mailto:vashishthaenterprises99@gmail.com) We would further request you to send the following details.

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### LETTER OF APPRECIATION

To,  
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Date  
20/08/2022  
From,  
The Director,  
Vashishtha Enterprises,  
R-4/75 Rajnagar,  
Ghaziabad (UP)201001

Subject:- Letter of appreciation for project completion

Dear Sir/Madam,

I hope this letter finds you in good health.

I am writing this letter specifically in reference to the project **Medico Legal Issue & Right to Abortion in India** dated 08 July 2022 completed by your end on 18 August 2022.

I hereby, appreciate your positive work support which you gave to our company. I am amazed at the speed and quality of work you submitted before time, which is highly benefitted and appreciated by my employees. Not to forget, the low cost winding up. This being a huge project, I appreciate your immense cooperation.

The ultimate smoothness which we have achieved in this project is only because of your high concern and support towards our contract. As a token of appreciation, I would offer another project proposed by the company in future.

We humbly wish to seek your presence for such projects in the near future as well.

Thankyou

Yours Sincerely

Vivek Vashishtha

Director

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Research Assistant
- Mrs. Aakriti Shukla  
Research Assistant
- Mr. Amaresh Patel  
Research Assistant

Name of the Topic “Medico - Legal Issues and Right to Abortion”

Duration of fellowship: From 8 July 2022 To 18 August 2022

Items	Amount Sanctioned by the in to Legal world (For One Year)	Amount actually released by the in to legal world	Amount released by the University to the scholar	Balance	Remarks
Fellowship	1,36,000	1,36,000	136000	0	
Contingency	-	-	-	-	
<b>Total Amount</b>	<b>1,36,000</b>	<b>1,36,000</b>	<b>136000</b>		

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Particular	Amount
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Conveyance Bill	10000
Director Salary 10000*5	50,000
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Research Staff 4200*5	21000
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## *Project No-3*

### ➤ Importance of Jain Teerth ,Special Concern With SammedShikarji

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It is involved in Hardware consultancy. This class includes consultancy on type and configuration of hardware with or without associated software application. (Similar activities carried out by units selling computers are classified in class 3000). Hope Textiles Ltd's Annual General Meeting (AGM) was last held on N/A and as per records from Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA), its balance sheet was last filed on 31 March 2022. Directors of Hope Textiles Ltd are Kantilal Bam, Bimal Kumar Poddar, Abhishek Poddar, Rajeev Sanghi, Govindaswamy Sridharan, Aaradhana Jhunjhunwala and Ayesha Jhunjhunwala. Hope Textiles Ltd's Corporate Identification Number is (CIN) U72112MP1922PLC000060 and its registration number is 60. Its Email address is hopetextiles@yahoo.co.in and its registered address is 1, SNEHLATAGANJ MAIN ROAD INDORE.

### **Invitation for Research Project in the field of The basic Importance of Jain Teerth, Special Concern with Sammed Shikarji**

#### **ADVT NO. 2**

**Date: 23 July, 2022**

Hope Textiles Ltd is a Public incorporated invites applicants to apply for "Research Project" under category of "Social Engineering causes and their effects and religion study".

Eligibility Criteria and other details about the Project (ADVT 2) can be downloaded from official website and Address: PVM7+68H, Chandrashekhar Vyas Rd, Pologround Industrial Estate, Snehlataganj, Indore, Madhya Pradesh 452001 and communicated on office hour between 9 am to 5pm )

Agencies/Institute/Individuals with PhD are requested to submit their application along with requisite documents in a sealed envelope addressed to the Director,

Last date of the submission of application is 5 Aug, 2022, till 5 PM at abovementioned address. The application must clearly mention audit report for the research project. Applicants with minimum budget with quality and verified content will be allotted the project. Short listed agencies will make the presentation before the Expert Committee. The date of presentation will be informed to the shortlisted agencies via call.

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## *Proposal*

### TITLE:Importance of Jain Teerth, Special Concern with SammedShikarji

#### INTRODUCTION:

After the contentious notice by the Jharkhand government to develop SammedShikarji sanctum as an ecotourism destination, a great deal of unusual uneasiness has broken out. For the Jain community, the hill tabernacle is a pivotal place of spiritual and religious deification. A no way -ahead- seen position of uproar from the Jain community was apparent after the notice, and it has only gotten worse since. The sacred place of SammedShikarji atop Parasnath hills in the ultramodern- day Giridih district of Jharkhand is where 20 of the 24 Tirthankaras, including Lord Parsvanatha, the 23rd Tirthankara, attained their spiritual redemption (moksha), according to Jain Holy Writ. The JMM- led administration of Jharkhand made this decision, and the Jains are vehemently opposed, claiming that it'll encourage alcohol and non-vegetarian food input by Tourists to their sacred position. Another complaint of discourteousness for the saintship of a far-off holy point in Gujarat surfaced at Shetrunjay hill in Palitana, where recent incidents of vandalization of a sanctum, unlawful encroachment, and trade of alcohol took place. This farther fueled the demonstrations. The central government has now stopped any similar conditioning in the bigger Parasnath Hills sanctuary in response to Jains' enterprises over the designation of their top sanctum SammedShikarji in Jharkhand as an ecotourism magnet. also, it has instructed the government to take harsh action against interdicted behaviors like drinking alcohol or" defiling of locales of religious and artistic value" or ecological detriment. Also, it has commanded the government to discipline roughly counter culturist gist like as drinking alcohol, as well as the" defiling of areas of religious and artistic worth" and ecological declination. Back in November, members of the Jain community alleged that the 'charanpaduka' (footprints) of Adinath placed at a temple on the Shatrunjay Hills were vandalized. A few days later, CCTV cameras were also found damaged at the site.

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### STATEMENT OF THE PROBLEM

In 2019, Central Government's ministry of environment established various areas as Eco-Sensitive zone, on 28 December, 2021 Ministry of tourism under Jharkhand's state government launched a tourism policy which gives provisions to develop the sacred place of SammedShikarji as a tourist place.

1. The word 'Tourism' is a very controversial word in itself, because nothing can be derived about the nature of such places. It doesn't depict about the types of people that would be permitted to enter such places, types of activities that would be allowed, Whether the people who arrives would respect the Jain Dharma or not, what if they start bringing alcohol there? these are certain important questions and Jharkhand government has no answer to them.

The people of Jain community are demanding to declare the sacred place of SammedShikarji as a holy place of worship, so that its sanctity can be maintained. Follower of Jain community from all over the India were protesting peacefully for the same. So that Jharkhand Government can be notified with their demands and set their orders aside.

2. Another major problem was that the Government wasn't including and involving the stakeholders in their plans. Even after being aware of the fact that the place is having a religious history of many centuries, then also stakeholders weren't involved in the decision-making process of such a major decision.

### LITERATURE REVIEW:

- (A study of Jain sacred place): SammedShikarji , religious significance to its physical form – Maitry Shah: Bihar is a Remote and rural state and also it's the place for birth of Jainism , indeed it's very name derived from the Sanskrit word "vihara" Cleave out of the neighbouring Bihar in year 2000 to meet the autonomy demands of Adivasi (Trible) population, Jharkhand is land of immense natural and anthropological wealth. Many of the Jain munis used to travel to this place for meditation and achieved salvation. Jharkhand is Commonly known for its Jain pilgrimage place called SammedShikarji. It is a sacred place for Jain. It is said to be one of the highest peak, compare to other pilgrimage places of Jain. (Jeffery D. Long. New York): I. B. Tauris, 2009

This book, intended for use in undergraduate classes on religion, presents a reliable outline of the history, philosophy, and ritual practices of Jainism, emphasizing how Jain ideals such as "relativity" and nonviolence can be used to foster religious pluralism and an environmental ethic.

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- (Balbhadra Jain 2002) :This religious book references of Sramana culture found in Vedas and other texts of Vedic culture indicates the existence of it at the time of compilation of Vedas. The archaeological material found in the excavation of Mohan-jo-daro supports this view.Jain culture is an integral part of Sramana culture and its Tirthankaras and Acaryas influenced a lot to Indian culture.

Practically there is no field of knowledge in Indian tradition where we do not feel its effect. The holy Jain Tirthas, Temples, Sculptures, Idols, Manuscripts are spread throughout the country and they are very valuable assets of our rich culture heritage. Jain temples and idols have there antic and sculptural values. Jain Acāryas contributed a lot in the field of Grammer, Ayurveda, Astrology, Astronomy, Mathematics, Literature etc. The proper assessment of there contributions increases the beauty of Indian culture.

(Balbhadra Jain 2002) Jain Temples :This book illustrates temples as small-scale models of a Samavasarana. In the Samavasarana there are twelve Sri pavilions with gandhakuti, the canopied place where a Tirthankaras sits or rests on a throne. There is a wheel of religion at the gate of the Samavasarana and just ahead of it is a Māna-stambha (freestanding pillar-standard crowned by Jina images. The plan of a temple follows the same pattern. In ancient period Mana-stambha was an essential part of a temple. The wheel of religion is sculpted at the moulded basement of a temple.

- Vijay k. Jain (2015)This book illustrates the all 24 tirthankaras who attained nirvama : All the Jain temples are dedicated to one or another of 24 Tirthankara. among them Rishbhdev, Shantinath, Neminath, Parashnath, Mahavira are the most popular, as many number of temples are dedicated to them. The pictures of all the Tirthankara are indistinguishable, in this way the icon is perceived by the china (symbol) puts underneath the picture.
- (Dr.HukumchandBhavrilal 1991) SammedShikarjiJi : This book illustrates the uniqueness and strong belives of Jain for SammedShikarjiji. TirtharajSammedShikarjiis the place of meeting and unity of the entire Jain society,Because the Jain society, divided into many sects, easily merges here and their results are also pure at the time of the journey;Because of this, they get an easy opportunity to increase mutual harmony.
- (Dr.Brahmachandrashastri) Tirthankara : Tirthankara is a term of definition in Jainism. Whose sense is, the one who runs the religious pilgrimage or the promoter of religious pilgrimage, such a

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time also comes, when the effect of religion starts to wane, there is laxity in it. At that time, such intense energetic great men are born, who eradicate the filth and perversions in the religious tradition and re-establish the original form of religion, similarly the great men, who are the saviours of the world, are called Tirthankaras. There are 24 such pilgrims.

- (Kumar pal Desai 2008) This research analysis the teachings of Jainism ; The concepts of non-violence, truth, detachment, anekant and environment found in Jain religion can hold becon light to the world and similarly the values such as restraint, vegetarianism, forgiveness is the need of the hour.
- (Praveen k. Shah 2001)  
Jainism, religion of ecology and compassion:  
Founded and nurtured over the centuries in India, Jainism is a rich and profound way of life embraced by a strong and affluent minority. Though the religion has produced world class leaders and propagated philosophies for the human family, it is little known about outside the South Asian continent. The Jain community consisting of 8 to 10 million Jains or approximately 1% of the Indian population has produced successful men and women in all fields including, academics, government, medicine and the arts.
- (Heritage tourism : a need, with reference to Jain teerth,kundal Ar. Pranoti)  
The paper discusses about heritage tourism and discusses how the concept is applicable to KundalTeerth. This is the concept which is becoming popular. It also discusses about the place, its importance and significance, as well as present situation. Kundal, has a strong history from Chalukya period. There are tangible-intangible aspects associated with it. Caves, temples, inscriptions are found in digging showing the importance of a place. Lack of cooperation of governmental bodies and private sectors affected the development and conservation of KundalTeerth. It is seen that, trust is working and organizing various activities, things are going smoothly at a smaller scale but at a larger scale and larger circle more works, more activities, more advertisement should be done for which it requires more planning.
- (Kumari Shweta and Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh):  
KumariShweta and Dr. Sanjeev Kumar Singh in 2019 examined the environmental impact of the annual pilgrimage to Shikarji. The study found that the pilgrimage has led to significant damage to the natural habitat and biodiversity of the area. The researchers recommend the implementation of sustainable tourism practices to protect the environment.
- (Dr. Shashank Kela):  
Dr. ShashankKela in 2018 examined the architectural and archaeological significance of Shikarji. The study notes that the site contains several ancient temples and sculptures that date back to the



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10th century CE. Dr. Kela also discusses the role of Shikarji in the spread of Jainism in ancient India.

- (Dr. Rajendra Jain 2016):

There have also been studies on the spiritual practices associated with Shikarji. A study by Dr. Rajendra Jain in 2016 examined the Jain concept of meditation and its role in the pilgrimage to Shikarji. The study found that meditation is an essential part of the pilgrimage experience and helps devotees connect with their spiritual selves.

### **RESEARCH QUESTIONS:**

In this study we specifically ask:

- 1) . How efficiently do you think, the state government managed SammedShikarji controversy so far?
- 2) How efficiently do you think the Central government have coordinated with the State Govt. regarding SammedShikarji controversy so far?
- 3) Do you think the non-conversion of SammedShikarji into a tourist place, due to communal protests violative of Secularism?
- 4) Should Eco-tourism be promoted in India?
- 5) . On the scale of 5 how much you are satisfied; the conversion SammedShikarji would enhance the scope of mining industry in Jharkhand?
- 6) Do you think conversion of religious places to tourist places for the purpose of revenue generation is justified?
- 7) Do you agree that promotion of tourism activity degrades the purity of religious sites?
- 8) Rate your satisfaction on scale of 5, how much will you be satisfied by converting a religious place to tourist place for enhancing GDP of the country?
- 9) Do you think such a kind of communal protests will result in reduction in introduction of revenue generation activities like conversion of religious places into tourist places and ultimately hampers the growth of the country?
- 10) Do you think conversion of SammedShikarji will contribute in employment generation for local inhabitants?
- 11) Can government restrict the sale of meat and alcohol at such tourist places with religious sentiment?

### **PROPOSED RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:**

The Questionnaire method used in this paper provides an insight into the Shikarji Controversy and the experiences of the Jain community. This technique gives a knowledge into human conduct and their encounters of cases dealing with controversy so far. This project's goal is to assess the SammedShikarji pilgrimage site's choice to become a tourism destination after the Jharkhand government made the announcement. This paper discusses the Shikarji dispute, which has sparked outrage across India and been a hot button issue. The Jains want the Shikarji Hill to be recognized by the relevant government officials as a "Place of Worship" through this effort because it is their most revered religious

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site. Jains argued these initiatives represented attempts to commercialize the Shikarji hill and were opposed to the state government's plans to upgrade the infrastructure in the hill to increase tourism. Respondents' attitudes, experiences, and opinions are included in the list of questions or items used in this paper. The various questions regarding this controversy are of both a qualitative and quantitative nature, such as closed-ended and multiple-choice questions.

The secondary data has been collected from the sources like Books, Articles, Journals, and Internet, Orders issued by the Govt. of India as well as printed and digital news.

These findings should then be shared to educate and inspire other researchers to also explore their creativity and their ability to generate and apply innovative research methodologies.

### **SIGNIFICANCE OF SHIKARJI**

Both Digambara and Svetambara regard Shikarji as the most significant pilgrimage point, and both groups partake control of the top tabernacles. Because it's located on the Parasnath hill in the Giridih district of Jharkhand and is considered to be the largest passage point by both the Digambaras and the Svetambaras, SammedShikarji is so significant to the community that they don't want the position to become an eco-tourism destination. A "venerable peak" is the nonfictional meaning of the name "Shikarji.

Interestingly, "Parshvanatha," the 23rd Jain tirthankara who attained moksha then, is the source of the word "Parasnath." The Jain faith holds that Shikarji, along with Ashtapad, Girnar, the Dilwara temples on Mount Abu, and Shatrunjaya, are the "SvetambaraPanchaTirth," or the five most important places of passage. Palganj on the Giridih road, where there's a small sanctum to Parshvanatha, is the first stop on any passage to Shikarji. After that, they can offer offerings to the Madhuban temples at the bottom of Parasnath Hill.

During the circumambulation of Shikarji, pilgrims must journey roughly 27 kilometers. In 1768 announcement Jagat Seth rebuilt the tabernacles of Shikarji in their current configuration. still, the hero itself is old. The 1678 CE date is written in Sanskrit at the bottom of the image. One of the sanctuaries is aged than the 14th century. A number of Svetambara tabernacles were erected in the 20th century. Pilgrims serve fruits, flowers, rice, sandals, dhupa, sandals and diya then. At the bottom of Shikarji(Taleti) is a Bhomiyaji tabernacle. On the walls of the Jain tabernacle in Madhubanvill is a tempera of each tabernacle on Parasnath hill. The foremost tabernacle in which a BhaktamaraStotraYantra is elevated is the SvetambaraBhaktamara Temple innovated by Acharya Ramchandrasuri. At the bottom of the hill is a sizeable Digambar Jain tabernacle with a statue of NandishwarDweep. A Calcutta trafficker erected the Nichli Temple, which is notable for its armature. Arched entrances and tirthankara busts can be seen throughout the tabernacle

### **OBJECTIVES**

The objective of this project is to review the Shikarji decision after Jharkhand government declared to covert the pilgrimage site of SammedShikarji into a tourist destination out of the bolt. This paper is a discourse of the Shikarji controversy which has been a hot potato and the cause of protest all over India. We will further discuss the below objectives-

1. To find whether such a protest against an initiative by Government bolster the economic growth of the country, hampers the secular nature of the country or not?
2. To find whether it is economically beneficial to convert the pilgrimage site into a tourist site or not?
3. To find whether the conversion of SammedShikarji led to cultural erosion or not?

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## Proposed Budget

Head of Expenditure	Value
Research Staff @45%	60000
Field Work @ 35%	30000
Equipment and study material @ 12%	25000
Contingency @ 5%	20000
Publications @ 6%	15000
<b>Total</b>	<b>150000</b>



To,  
Indore Institute of Law

Date : 01-Sep-2022  
31- Jan -2023

Subject: Research Grant Award Notification

We are pleased to inform you that Hope Textiles has reviewed and approved your research proposal titled " [IMPORTANCE OF JAIN PILGRIMAGE SPECIAL CONCERN WITH SAMMED Shikarji." After careful consideration, your project has been selected for funding under our research grants program.

Grant Details: Grant has been awarded for a spritual research Sikarji.

Project Title: IMPORTANCE OF JAIN TEERTH SPECIAL CONCERN WITH SAMMED Shikar

Principal Investigator : Dr. vinod Patidar  
Research Associate : DR. Reva Mishra, Associate Professor  
Asst.Professor : Sheetal Shikarwar,  
Asst.Professor : Jaidev Mahindra and  
Asst. Professor : Shalini Menon,  
Organization name : Indore Institute of Law

Grant Amount: 150000/-

Project Duration: 2022-2023

Please find attached the formal grant agreement, which outlines the terms and conditions associated with the award. We kindly request that you review and sign the agreement, returning a copy to our office. Additionally, we require the completion of any necessary administrative forms, as specified in the attached document.

Our organization believes in the significance of your research and looks forward to the positive impact it will have on Jain minority . We anticipate regular progress reports and encourage you to reach out should you encounter any challenges during the course of your project.

Congratulations on your successful proposal, and we wish you every success in your research endeavors.

Sincerely,

Mr. Kantilal Ji Bam  
Managing Director  
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To,  
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Subject: Congratulations on Successful Completion of Grant-Funded Projects

We are delighted to extend our heartfelt congratulations to you and your team on the successful completion of the projects IMPORTANCE OF JAIN PILGRIMAGE SPECIAL CONCERN WITH SAMMED Shikarji. funded through our grant. Your dedication and hard work have not only met but exceeded our expectations, contributing significantly to the advancement of our shared objectives.

We appreciate your commitment to the goals outlined in the grant proposal and your transparent communication throughout the project's lifecycle. The impact of your efforts is evident, and we are proud to have been a part of such meaningful initiatives.

As part of the grant closure process, we kindly request that you submit the final project report, financial statements, and any other relevant documentation outlined in the grant agreement at your earliest convenience. This information will aid us in evaluating the overall success of the projects and will contribute to our ongoing commitment to transparency and accountability.

Once again, congratulations on your achievements, and we look forward to the continued success of your organization. We value our partnership and eagerly anticipate the possibility of future collaborations.

Thank you for your dedication to making a positive impact in our community.

Best regards,

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